

#1870 The Yom Kippur War and the Abomination of Desolation – The post-World War II U.S. waxing great toward the South and toward the East as a *second* Syria/Antiochus IV Epiphanes, part 129, *An Angel riding in the Whirlwind and directing the Storm: The Micah 5:5 Assyrian vs. the Micah 5:5 Seven Shepherds, (iii), Alan Shepard and the Mercury Seven in history and prophecy*

The Space Race. The series The Short Space Kingdoms was covered in Unsealings #110–#131. Prophetically, the so-called “space race” is seen in Revelation 17:10. The Lord ordained the King James version to describe the short duration of the life of the USSR as “*a short space*”, because it would be the “space race” that came to define the competition between the U.S. and the USSR for world supremacy.



*Revelation 17:10-11 (KJV) . . . and **THE OTHER** [the Seventh Kingdom, the USSR] **IS NOT YET COME**; and when he cometh, he [the Seventh Kingdom, the USSR] must continue **A SHORT SPACE**. [The Space Race defined the Cold War competition between the USSR, the 7th Kingdom, and the U.S., the 8th Kingdom. Germany’s V-2 rocket from World War II provided the basis for the Space Race.]
11 And **THE BEAST** [out of the Pit in Rev. 17:08, the United States of America] that was, and is not, even **HE IS THE EIGHTH**, and is of the seven, and goeth into perdition.*

Alan Shepard and the Mercury Seven. The Mercury Seven were the Original Seven astronauts picked by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) in 1959 for America’s space program. The Original Seven were (in alphabetical order) Scott Carpenter, Gordon Cooper, John Glenn, Virgil “Gus” Grissom, Wally Schirra, Alan Shepard, and Donald “Deke” Slayton. The first of the Mercury Seven astronauts to be launched into space was Alan Shepard, on May 5, 1961.



Key Understanding: Alan Shepard and the Mercury Seven in history and prophecy. The reason why Alan Shepard was the first American to be launched into space, and the reason why the Mercury Seven were the first group of American astronauts to challenge the Soviet Union in the space race, is because the Lord ordained the United States – in the *counterfeit* fulfillment of Micah 5:5 – to play the role of the “seven shepherds” against its “Assyrian” adversary in the Cold War, the Soviet Union. Or simply, America’s famous first group of astronauts numbered *seven* in the *counterfeit* fulfillment of the *seven shepherds* of Micah 5:5. [This will be repeated in the next two Unsealings.]

Micah 5:5-6 (KJV) And this man shall be the peace, WHEN THE ASSYRIAN SHALL COME INTO OUR LAND; and when he shall tread in our palaces, THEN WE SHALL RAISE AGAINST HIM SEVEN SHEPHERDS, and eight principal men.

6 And they shall waste the land of Assyria with the sword, and the land of Nimrod in the entrances thereof: THUS SHALL HE DELIVER US FROM THE ASSYRIAN, when he cometh into our land, and when he treadeth within our borders.



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