

Lockyer, Herbert (1986). *Illustrated Dictionary of the Bible*, Herbert K. Lockyer, Sr., Editor, Thomas Nelson Publishers, Nashville, TN, Jewels and Precious Stones, Chrysolite, p. 570:

= A yellow stone that could have been the same as topaz or some other yellow gem such as beryl, zircon, or a yellow quartz. Its name comes from a Greek word that means “gold stone.” The chrysolite known today is the peridot, an olive green silicate of magnesium and iron. This is not believed to be the same gem as that referred to by the Book of Revelation.