KEY TO UNLOCK THE

BIBLE

Luke 11:53
Revelation 3:7
Matthew 16:19
Revelation 1:18

TWENTY FIVE KEY LESSONS

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LESSON 1 - GOD'S PURPOSE WITH THE EARTH

"For thus saith Yahweh that created the heavens; God himself that formed the earth and made it; He hath established it, He created it not in vain, He formed it to be inhabited".
Isa 45:18

- **GOD IS GOING TO FILL THE EARTH WITH HIS GLORY**
  "But as truly as I live all the earth shall be filled with the glory of the Lord." Num.14: 21 cf Isa 11:9 Hab.2:14 Psa. 72:19

- **WHAT IS GOD'S GLORY?**
- God's glory revealed to Moses Ex.34:5-7 cf Ex 33:18-19
- God's glory or name or character can be divided into two sections.
  (1) GOODNESS (2) SEVERITY Rom 11:22

  (1) GOODNESS
  - The LORD the LORD God Ex 34:6
  - The LORD (Heb. YAHWEH HE WHO WILL BE)
  - God (Heb. EL = STRENGTH)
  - THE NAME OF YAHWEH EXPRESSES HIS PURPOSE WITH THE EARTH THAT HE WILL BE MANIFESTED IN A MULTITUDE OF PEOPLE

  THE GLORY OR CHARACTER OF THE NAME Ex 34:6-7
  YAHWEH IS "MERCIFUL" - Compassionate cf Psa 78:38
  YAHWEH IS "GRACIOUS" - divine favour cf Eph 2:8
  YAHWEH IS "LONGSUFFERING" - patient, slow to anger cf 1Pet 3:20
  YAHWEH IS "GOODNESS" – kindness, goodness, beauty cf Psa 33:5
  YAHWEH IS "TRUTH" – trustworthiness, stability, cf Gen 6:5-8

  (2) SEVERITY
  "I will by no means clear the guilty" Ex 34:7 cf Deut 5:9 "of those that hate him." Gen 6:5-8

- **CHRIST MANIFESTED THE FATHERS NAME**
  "I have manifested thy name unto the men which thou gavest me out of the world……" Jn 17:6 cf Jn 1:14 see 11 Cor 4:6

- **GOD IS CALLING US FOR HIS NAME**
  So that the earth through us may be filled with his glory. "God at the first did visit the gentiles, to take out of them a people for his name." Acts 15:14

- **THE EARTH FILLED WITH GOD'S GLORY**
  God's purpose with the earth will be completed when all sin and death will be removed. This will be when Christ hands the Kingdom back to God at the end of the 1,000 year reign and then:-
  "GOD WILL BE ALL IN ALL" 1 Cor 15:28, Rev 5: 9 – 10, 14: 1, 22: 1-5.

LESSON 2 - THE HOLY BIBLE

Holy – Separate

Bible - Book

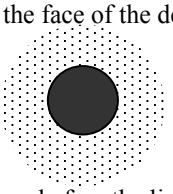
} **The separate Book**

- INSPIRED – By inspired we mean that God was its author 11Tim 3:16
- INFALLIBLE – By infallible we mean it is true in all its parts
- A LIBRARY – The Bible (Book) is not one book, but a library of 66 books. Six is the number of sin and man. Rev 13:18
  By having 66 Books we are reminded that the Bible is God's message to sinful man.
  OLD TESTAMENT……39 Books
  NEW TESTAMENT……27 Books
  Both old and New Testament divisions are only man made and the Bible should be treated as one revelation from Genesis to Revelation
- BOTH OLD AND NEW TESTAMENT ARE OF EQUAL VALUE
  See 2Tim 3: 16 Rom 15:4 2 Cor 10:11
- HOW THE BIBLE WAS WRITTEN
  - God moved man to write by His Spirit 11Pet 1:21
  - Written over a period of 1,600 years
  - Various writers from all walks of life
    Kings – David, Solomon Physicians – Luke
    Prophets – Isaiah, Jeremiah, Ezekiel Shepherds – David
    Priests – Samuel Fisherman – Peter, John
    Statesman – Daniel
  - Written from different places and countries
    Arabia – Moses Asia – Paul
    Babylon – Ezekiel, Daniel Italy – Paul
    Palestine – Matthew, Mark Patmos – John
  - Written in two different languages
    THE OLD TESTAMENT – HEBREW
    THE NEW TESTAMENT – GREEK
    } The Bible as we know it today is translated from these languages
  - Despite all these facts the bible does not contradict itself.
- HOW TO READ THE BIBLE
  - The main substance of the Bible is LITERAL
  - Some places are SYMBOLICAL Rev 1:1 cf Rev 12
  - Some places contain PARABLES Matt 13:34
  - Some places are PROPHETICAL Psa 22:18 cf Matt 27:35
  - Some places contain TYPES Matt 12:39-40
  - Some places contain METAPHORS Deut 4:20
  - Some places contain PERSONIFICATION Prov 3:13-16
  - Some places contain METONYMY 2Cor 5:21
- WHAT THE BIBLE CAN DO
  - Purify our character 1Pet 1:7 Psa 119:9
  - Encourage us Heb 10:24-25
  - Give us peace of mind Col 3:15
  - It offers us more abundant living now and immortality in the age to come 1 Tim 4:8
- THE BIBLE REVEALS HUMAN NATURE AS IT REALLY IS
  - David committed adultery 2Sam 11
  - Peter was a traitor John 18:16-17
- THE BIBLE PROVEN TRUE
  - No man has ever shown the Bible to be at fault in its historical detail. Only God could so accurately foretell the future.
  - 2,500 years of world history Dan 2
  - Babylon is a waste Isa 13:19-20
  - Nineveh lies empty Nahum 2:8-13
  - Egypt a base nation Ezekiel 29:14-16
  - Tyre submerged and a place for drying nets Ezekiel 26:4-6
  - Israel scattered and returning Deut 28:63-68 Jer 30:10-11

LESSON 3- CREATION

- CREATION
  - The act of bringing into existence at the command of God over a period of six literal days.
    cf Gen 1:3, 6,9,11,14,20,24 "God said" and it was created.
  - All things are made by one of the spirit of God. Psa 104:30, Rom 11:36, Job 34:14-15
- EVOLUTION
  - It is a scientific theory according to which the higher forms of life have gradually evolved, over a period of thousands of years, developing from the simple.
    BOTH THESE VIEWS CONTRADICT EACH OTHER AND ONE CANNOT ACCEPT THE THOERY OF EVOLUTION AND ALSO BELIEVE THE BIBLE.
- IN THE BEGINNING GOD CREATED THE HEAVEN AND THE EARTH Gen 1:1
  - These words summarize the creation cf Gen 2:4
  - And give the glory unto the creator (God) cf Psa 19:1
- BEFORE THE CREATION

  "……..and the earth was without form and void and darkness was upon the face of the deep" Gen 1:2
  - The earth was in existence before creation
  - Being much older than 6,000 years
  - Having no form and void
  - Engrossed in darkness
  - Water covered the earth

  The state of the world before creation can be likened unto the state of man before the light of God's word does shine. He is engrossed in darkness, his life has no form, and all he does is void.
- THE SIX DAYS OF CREATION

  The creation was accomplished within a period of six literal days each of twenty four hours.
  - cf Ex 31:15-17 "Six days may work be done, but in the seventh is the Sabbath of rest…....
    For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth and on the seventh day he rested and was refreshed."
  - EACH DAYS WORK IS CLEARLY DIVIDED
    Each days work began with the words "And God said" Gen 1:3,6,9,14,20,24 and ends with the words "And the evening and the morning were the first day" see Gen 1:5,8,13,19,23,31
  - THE CREATION WAS "VERY GOOD"
    "And God saw everything that he had made, and behold it was very good" Gen 1:31 cf Gen 1:4, 10, 12,18,21,26.
- "THE HEAVENS DECLARE THE GLORY OF GOD" Psa 19:1

  "When I consider the heavens, the work of thy fingers, the moon and the stars which thou has ordained, what is man, that thou art mindful of him" Psa 8:3-6
  - THE EARTH

    The Bible describes God as he that "hangeth the earth upon nothing" Job 26:7 cf
    - ✓ It has a diameter of 7,926 miles
    - ✓ Weighing some 6,000,000,000,000,000,000,000 tons
    - ✓ Revolving upon its own axis at a speed of 1,037mp.h at the equator
    - ✓ Hurtling through space, on its orbit around the sun at a speed of 66,600mp.h
    - ✓ Traveling through space each year, 584 million miles
  - ALPHA CENTAURU

    The closest star to our solar system
    - ✓ 41/2 light years away or 26,000,000,000,000 miles
    - ✓ If the rocket that landed on the moon was directed to Alpha Centauru, it would take 741,500 years at a speed of 4,000mp.h or 110,6000 years of 25,000mp.h
  - SIRIUS

    Sirius is called the Dog Star; it's the brightest star we see
    - ✓ Its light takes 9 years to reach us
    - ✓ If this star was in the position of the sun, our oceans and even the polar ice cops would boil away and life would vanish from earth
  - BETELGEUSE

    Betelgeuse is one of the biggest stars, being many times bigger than our sun
    - ✓ It is 350,000,000 miles in diameter
    - ✓ If this giant star was in the position of our sun, it would engulf the planets, Mercury, Venus, Earth and Mars
  - THE MILKY WAY

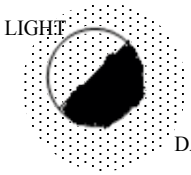
    Our sun is only one of the many billions of stars that make up the Milky Way
    - ✓ Such a group of stars is known as a Galaxy, from the Greek word 'gala' meaning milk
    - ✓ The distance from one nim to the other of our galaxy is 100,000 light years.

LESSON 4 – CREATION 7 days

THE FIRST SI DAYS OF CREATION AND THE SEVENTH A SABBATH OF REST, FORESHADOWS EVEN A GREATER CREATION WHICH IS TO TAKE 7,000 YEARS TO PERFECT. ON THE BASIS OF A DAY FOR A THOUSAND YEARS OF 2PET 3:8. THE FIRST SEVEN DAYS OF CREATION ARE PROPHETICAL OF WOLRD HISTORY FOR THE NEXT SEVEN MILLENIUMS.

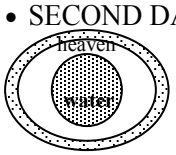
THE FIRST SEVEN DAYS

- FIRST DAY *Gen 1: 3 -5*



God created light and divided the light darkness.

- SECOND DAY *Gen 1: 6-8*

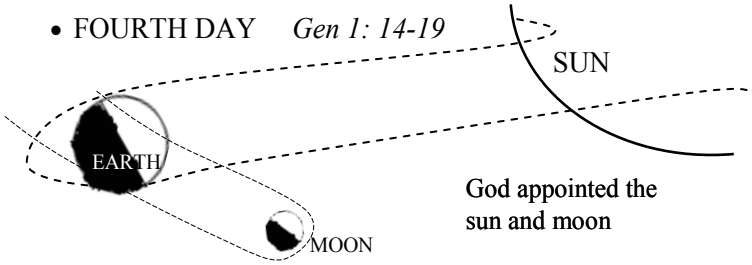


God divided the waters from the waters forming a firmament between.

- THIRD DAY *Gen 1: 9-13*

God divided the sea from the land and creating plant life with is seeds.

- FOURTH DAY *Gen 1: 14-19*



God appointed the sun and moon

- FIFTH DAY *Gen 1: 20 - 23*

God created moving creatures in the sea and birds of the air.

- SIXTH DAY *Gen 1:24 - 31*

God created life on the land
*living creature
*cattle
*beast of the earth

God created man in the image if himself * to have dominion over all the creation. (God created woman out of man, Gen 2:21-25)

- SEVENTH DAY *Gen 2: 1-3*

God rested (ceased) from their work.

- **SEVEN MILLENIUM**
  - FIRST MILLENIUM 0 – 1,000

On the first day of creation God said "Let there be light" God and his word is light, 1John 1:5. It was God's will right from the beginning that the light of his word was to dwell in man 2Cor 4:6.
God divided the light from the darkness, teaching that we have been called out of gentile darkness into his marvelous light. 1Pet 2: 9.

  - SECOND MILLENIUM 1,000 – 2,000

On the second day of creation a great division took place. God divided the waters from the earth. In the second millennium another great division took place. At the flood God divided the evil men from the good.

  - THIRD MILLENIUM 2,000 – 3,000

On the third day of creation God created land and plants yielding seed in themselves. It was the third millennium that God promised Abram and his seed an inheritance in the land of Canaan, see Gen 12:7.

  - FOURTH MILLENIUM 3,000 – 4,000

On the fourth day of creation the light of God was manifested in two marvelous works of his hand. The sun and moon. It was of the end of the fourth millennium the light of the world Jesus Christ was born. He is called "the sun of righteousness" Mal 4:2 who display the divine glory.
The moon has no light of its own but reflects the glory of the sun in its absence. The moon represents the Ecclesia which reflects the glory of Christ.

  - FIFTH MILLENIUM 4,000 – 5,000

On the fifth day of creation God created living creatures in the sea and fowls to fly in the air. The fifth millennium saw the gospel preached among the nations and baptism. The waters or seas are symbolic of nations (Rev 17:15) and with the Gospel preached among the nations Mk 16:15-16, "living creatures with life" resulted. As fowl were created to "fly above the earth in the heaven" thus teaching separation from the world and seeking these things which are above. Col 3:1.

  - SIXTH MILLENIUM 5, 00O – 6, 000

The last of God's creation was man. He was created from the dust showing that at the end of the sixth millennium God has promised man a hope of a resurrection from the grave. Man was made in the image of God and to have dominion over "all things". Cf Psa 8:6. The beast of the earth are symbolical of sin, thus man is promised the victory over sin and death.

  - SEVENTH MILLENIUM 6,000 – 7,000

Having completed the creation the Elohim (angels) rested. This Sabbath rest is a foreshadow of the GREAT MILLENIUM REST i.e. THE KINGDOM OF GOD. See Heb 4:4 -9, Rev 20: 4, 6.

LESSON 5 - HOW SIN ENTERED THE WORLD

"Wherefore, as by one man sin entered into the world and death by sin, and so death passed upon all man for that all have sinned." Rom 5:12

THE THREE NATURES OF MAN

- VERY GOOD - Adam and Eve were created VERY GOOD Gen 1:31 cf Ecc 7:29. They were not mortal or immortal, but in a state capable of death, but not under the sentence of death.
- MORTAL - Mortal means death full or subject to death. Adam and Eve became mortal when God said to Adam "For dust thou art, and unto dust shall thou return." Gen 3:19. From that time on Adam and his descendants possessed a nature that would end up in death. cf Rom 5:12
- IMMORTAL - Immortal means "to live forever"- to have eternal life. Adam and Eve were driven from the garden (after they had sinned) and forbidden to eat of the tree of life (immortality). It is our hope to one day eat of the tree of life in a symbolical sense by having our nature changed from mortality to immortality Rev 2:7, 1 Cor 15:53

WHAT IS SIN?

- The Hebrew word for sin is "choto" which means "to miss the mark". The mark to which we strive is the glory of God and to fall short or to miss that mark is sin. cf "For all have sinned and come short of the glory of God." Rom 3:23
- Whosoever committeth sin transgresseth also the law, for sin is the transgression of the law. 1 Jn 3:4

GOD'S LAW TO ADAM AND EVE Gen 2:17

- COMMANDMENT – "But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, thou shalt not eat of it."
- PUNISHMENT – "For in the day that thou eatest thereof, thou shalt surely die." (see margin – dying thou shalt die)
- This one simple law was given so that their faith and loyalty to God might be tried and proved by the keeping of the law.

WHY GOD PERMITTED THEM THE EXERCISE OF FREEWILL

God desires in mankind the development of such virtues as faith, love, voluntary obedience, mercy and forgiveness etc cf Heb 11:6

THE SERPENT TEMPTED EVE

- THE SERPENT – Was a beast of the field Gen 3:1
  - Having the power of speech Gen 3:4
  - A subtle creature Gen 3:1
  - Created very good Gen 1:31
- EVE
  - Created very good Gen 1:31
  - No sinful inclinations as in man today cf 1 Jn 2:16

THE TEMPTATION FIRST EXTERNAL

The serpent being more subtle than any beast of the field reasoned upon the law of God and implanted his reasoning into the mind of Eve.

THE TEMPTATION INTERNAL

Eve conceived upon the serpents reasoning and her natural lust, became a "deceitful lust" for the forbidden fruit.

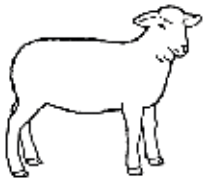
Cf 1 John 2:16	Gen 3:6
The lust of the flesh	- "Good for food"
The lust of the eyes	- "Pleasant to the eyes"
The pride of life	- "A tree to be desired to make one wise"

SIN ENTERS THE WORLD

Eve being deceived by the serpent (1 Tim 2:14) ate of the forbidden fruit. She then enticed Adam to eat also, who was not deceived. Thus man had fallen from the VERY GOOD state and suffered the consequences of sin – shame a defiled conscience (Gen 3:7 cf Gen 2:25) and mortality (Gen 3:19 cf Rom 6:23)

- DEFILED MENTALLY – When she heeded the teaching of the serpent Gen 3:6
- DEFILED MORALLY - When they ate of the fruit Gen 3:6
- DEFILED PHYSICALLY – When mortality took hold of them. Gen 3:19

LESSON 6 - THE COVERING FOR SIN



"Behold the Lamb of God which taketh away the sin of the world" John 1:29

- ***MAN COVERS HIS OWN NAKEDNESS (SIN)***

"And they knew that they were naked, and they sewed fig leaves together, and made themselves aprons." Gen 3:7

- Nakedness is a symbol of sin cf Rev 16:15
- The fig leaves covering was mans invention and not the covering provided by God – Thus man was saying, I will provide my own covering for sin.

THE WAGES OF SIN - Rom 6:23

- GOD PUNISHED THE SERPENT - Gen 3:14-15
  - The serpent cursed
  - THE EDENIC PROMISE
- GOD PUNISHED THE WOMAN - Gen 3:16
  - Multiplied conception
  - Pain in child birth
  - Subjection to husband
- GOD PUNISHED THE MAN Gen 3:17-19
  - The ground cursed eg. Thorns and thistles
  - Work hard
  - Sentenced to return to the ground

GOD'S MERCY

Man had sinned and disobeyed the command of God. God's justice was upheld and man was punished. But what was God to do now? He could :-

- Destroy sinful man and start again……
  But with the same result!
- Allow sinful man to roam the earth…..
  But this would not bring about his purpose with the earth!
- Provide a means of redemption for sinful man……
  This God did - In his mercy he made the EDENIC PROMISE!

THE LAMB OF GOD

After Adam and Eve were given the "EDENIC PROMISE", they were stripped of their fig leaf covering, and, an innocent animal skin, the skin of that animal was wrapped around their nakedness (or sin) thus covering them. "The LORD God made coats of skin and clothed them" Gen 3:21. The slaying of this animal pointed forward to the sacrifice of Christ.

- "The Lamb slain from the foundation of the world" Rev 13:8
- "Behold the Lamb of God, which taketh away the sin of the world" Jn 1:29

Adam and Eve would realize that the slain lamb could not take away sin, but by their faith, looking forward to the sacrifice of Christ, they gained forgiveness. Today, we look back in faith to God's sacrifice for sin and by putting on Christ in baptism (Gal 3:27) we also gain a covering for sin.

THE ATONEMENT

The Hebrew word for Atonement is "kaphar" meaning "to cover" (cf Gen 6:14 where "kaphar" is translated "pitch" – Thus the pitch was the atonement or covering for the ark)
The atonement is "the covering" provided by God in the sacrifice of Christ for our sins.
The Greek word "katallage" translated atonement in Rom 5:11 should be translated "reconciliation"
By our own sins we become sinners and alienated from God. Forgiveness and reconciliation God has provided, "by the death of his son" Rom 5:10
"God was in Christ reconciling the world unto himself" 2 Cor 5:19

LESSON 7 - THE EDENIC PROMISE

God said to the serpent :-
"I will put enmity between thee and the woman and between thy seed and her seed, it(he) shall bruise thy head, and thou shall bruise his heel" Gen 3:15.
By Adams own disobedience he became biased to sin and judged by God and sentenced to return to the dust. Thus man had fallen from his VERY GOOD state became MORAL. God in his mercy provided the "EDENIC PROMISE" which promised LIFE in contrast to MORTALITY

See Gen 3:20 "Adam called his wife Eve"
Eve = living or life

Adam understood that the EDENIC PROMISE promised life in contrast to mortality and that life was to come through the seed of the woman. Therefore Adam called his wife Eve (= life)
cf 11 Tim 1:10

"I WILL PUT ENMITY BETWEEN THEE AND THE WOMAN AND BETWEEN THY SEED AND HER SEED"

THE SERPENT REPRESENTS
In the declaration of Gen 3:15 The serpent is used to represent That which he manifested and Produced. He gave expression to the thinking of the flesh, and spoke ERROR which led to sin and finally resulted in DEATH – So the serpent represents SIN and DEATH.

THE WOMAN REPRESENTS
The woman in contrast to the serpent, spoke TRUTH and because of this she stood for TRUTH and those whose minds are governed by the word of God.

ENMITY EXTERNAL

THE SERPENT AND ITS SEED - Those governed by the lust of the flesh. John 8:44
Eg. The world
The mind of the flesh
The sons of men

E N M I T Y

THE WOMAN AND HER SEED – Those governed by the word of God. John 8:47
Eg. The ecclesia James 4:4
the mind of God Rom 8:5-7
the sons of God Rom 8:14

ENMITY INTERNAL

The enmity, or conflict is also manifested within the mind of every individual who would seek to do God's will, for he finds the thinking of the flesh at enmity to the mind of God. Rom 7:18-25.

"IT SHALL BRUISE THY HEAD"

In this promise, God announced his intention to provide a "seed" from the woman who would completely destroy what the serpent thinking produced – SIN AND DEATH
CHRIST AS THE SEED OF THE WOMAN

- For Christ to be the seed of the woman he had to come in identically the same nature as us. Hebrews 2:14, 1Jn 4:2, Gal 4:4
- He was subject to the like temptations as us, but did not sin. Heb 4: 15
- Sin nature was destroyed in his sacrifice. Heb 9:26, Heb 2:14
- Death was destroyed when he was raised from the grave and given immortality. 1 Cor 15:25,26;54,55,20,21,22

"THOU SHALT BRUISE HIS HEEL"

In this promise, God is telling the serpent that he is to have a temporal effect upon the seed of the woman – Christ by being born of a woman, inherited the serpent nature. Num 21:8-9 cf Jn 3:14

- If Christ was to destroy sinful flesh (THE DEVIL) he had to be a partaker of sinful flesh. 11 Cor 5:21, Rom 8:3
- If Christ was to destroy death he had to come under the sentence of death. Acts 2:24

LESSON 8 - THE DEVIL AND SATAN

DEVIL : The word "DEVIL" has been used as a translation for two entirely different Greek words – "DIABOLOS" and "DIAMONIAN" John 8:44

"DIABOLOS"

The Greek word "DIABOLOS" means "slanderer" or "false accuser". Diabolos is composed from two Greek words :-

"dia" = across or over "bollo" = to throw or cast

Diabolos is therefore that which is "thrown across" or "cast over" hence a "slanderer" or "false accuser".

- TRANSLATED SLANDERER ONCE
  "Even so their wives must be grave, not "SLANDERES" (Gr. DIABOLOS) sober, faithful in all things." 1 Tim 3:11
- TRANSLATED FALSE ACCUSER TWICE
  "The aged women likewise, that they be in behaviour as becometh holiness, not "FALSE ACCUSERS" (Gr.DIABOLOS) Titus 2:3, 2 Tim 3:3
- TRANSLATED DEVIL 35 TIMES
  Used to describe :- Judas was a "devil" to Christ . John 6:70-71
  :- Persecuting civil authorities. Eph 6:11, Rev 2:10
  :- Our sinful nature (flesh and blood). Heb 2:14

The word Devil (Gr. DIABOLOS) has been used in many different ways but never has it been used to describe a supernatural "fallen angel", who is supposedly responsible for tempting man to sin.

HOW IS MAN TEMPTED?

- TEMPTATION COMES FROM WITHIN A MAN
  "Every man is tempted, when he is drawn away of his own lust and enticed. Then when lust is conceived, it bringeth forth sin, and sin, when it is finished, bringeth forth death." James 1:13-15
- THE DEVIL OR SLANDERER IS IN US ALL
  Because our nature is so prone to "evil things" or "the works of the flesh", it is frequently styled sin, sins flesh, sin in the flesh or the devil.
- CHRIST SAID :- "That which cometh out of the mouth, that defileth the man, for from within out of the heart of man proceed :-

- Evil thoughts
- Adulteries
- Fornications
- Murders
- Thefts
- Covetousness
- Wickedness
- Deceit
- Lasciviousness
- Evil Eye
- Blasphemy
- Foolishness

"All these evil things ***<u>come from within</u>*** and defile the man." Mark 7:20-23

THE WORKS OF THE FLESH ARE THOSE EVIL THINGS WHICH COME NATURALLY FROM WITHIN MAN, THEY ARE IN CONTRAST AND AT ENMITY TO THE FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT. Gal 5:16-21

"THE FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT" -

- Love
- Joy
- Peace
- Longsuffering
- Gentleness
- Goodness
- Faith
- Meekness
- Temperance

Jer 17:9

CHRIST DESTROYED THE DEVIL THROUGH DEATH

"Forasmuch then as the children are partakers of flesh and blood, he (Christ) also himself likewise took part of the same, that through death he might destroy him that have the power of death, that is the devil." Heb 2:14, 1 John 3:8

Christ destroyed "THE DEVIL" by his life of dedication and denial of the flesh. The crucifixion of Christ is a public example of what God requires of those who would follow his Son. They like him must crucify the flesh with all its affection and lust. See Gal 5:24

DIAMONIAN

The Greek word diamonian means "demons." This word was used to describe certain diseases or mental disorders from which a person suffered. To "cast out a demon" was to cure that person of their sickness.

Matt 17:15-18,	Matt 12:22,	John 7:19-20
Lunatic	*Blind & Dumb*	*Sick or mad*

THE DEVIL AND SATAN

SATAN : The word "SATAN" is an untranslated Hebrew word meaning adversary, an opponent, withstand.

A SATAN MAY BE GOOD OR EVIL

- EXAMPLE OF A GOOD SATAN –

An obedient divine angel. Num 22:22-23. This is the first occurrence of the Hebrew word "SATAN" in the Bible and has been translated into English as "adversary" and "to withstand"

⇒ 1 Chron 21: 1…Satan moved David to number Israel…
⇒ 2 Samuel 24: 1…The LORD David to number Israel…
} Same event

- EXAMPLE OF AN EVIL SATAN

Peter in Matt 16:23 – Peter was called SATAN, because tried to prevent Christ from doing His Fathers will.

THE FOLLOWING ARE REFERED TO AS SATAN

- Hadad the Edomite 1 Kings 11:14
- David 1 Sam 29:4
- The sons of Zeruiah 2 Sam 19:22
- Adverse religious communities Rev 2:9
- The flesh being restrained under the disciplinary rule of Christ in the millennium Rev 20:2

LESSON 9 - BAPTISM

THREE STEPS TO SALVATION : - (1) BELIEF
(2) BAPTISM
(3) OBEDIENCE

BELIEF

- The Gospel – Mark 16:16, Rom 1:16, 1 Cor 15:1-2, Acts 8:12-13, Acts 8:35-37
- Only one true Gospel. Gal 1:6-9
- Knowledge of God's word. John 17:3, Rom 10:17
- Repentance and baptism when enlightened of the true Gospel. Acts 19:4-5

BAPTISM

- The Greek word for baptism, "BAPTIZO" means an immersion or washing in water. The root word "BAPTO" = to dip. This word was used among the Greeks to signify the dyeing of a .garment.
  TRUE BAPTISM IS A CHANGE AND NOT MERELY IMMERSION IN WATER
- FULL IMMERSION – John 3:23 "John was baptizing at Aenon because there was much water there.
- NOT SPRINKLING – The Greek word for sprinkling is "RHANTISO" used in Heb 9:13, 12:24, 19:21, 1 Pet 1:2.
  If Christ or the Apostles wished to imply sprinkling for the process of baptism, they would have used this word.
  - WHAT DOES BAPTISM DO FOR ME?
- Forgiveness of sins. Acts 2:38, 22:16
- Covenant with God. Eph 2:12
- A seed of Abraham. Gal 3:29
- A mediator in Heaven. 1 Tim 2:5
- Hope of eternal life. Titus 1:2, 3:7, 1 Jn 2:25
- A Father in Heaven. Matt 6:9
  - BAPTISM IS A DEATH, BURIAL AND RESURRECTION. Rom 6:3-13

  In Baptism we are baptized into Christ's death, burial and resurrection. We like Christ go to our death and with Christ declare the righteousness of God. Rom 3:25. That God was JUST in requiring death to the flesh. Gen 3
- THE OLD MAN DIES - We are crucified with Christ. Rom 6:6
- THE OLD MAN IS BURIED- We are buried with Christ. Rom 6:4
- THE NEW MAN IS RAISED- We are raised with Christ. Rom 6:4-5
- THE OLD MAN is put off, and THE NEW MAN is put on. Col 3:1-10
  - ***OBEDIENCE***

  Baptism alone does not save us, it only enters us into the race for eternal life. We have to live a life obedient to the commandments of Christ and then we are only saved by the grace of God.
- "He that endureth to the end shall be saved." Matt 10:22, 24:13, 11 Tim 4:7-8
- "By grace are ye saved through faith, and that not of yourselves, it is the gift of God." Eph 2:8

Christ is Baptised	-	Matt 3: 15
Paul commended it	-	Acts 22:16
Cornelius	-	Acts 10:2…48 [Before he was baptized he was instructed properly In the truth]
Formula	-	Matt 28:19
Serpent on a pole	-	Num 21:9

LESSON 10

DEATH

SIN BROUGHT DEATH TO ALL – ROM 5:12
2 COR 1:9 ROM 7:24
ROM 6:23 1COR 15:22

THE SOUL IS MORTAL
**18:4,20 GEN 7:22
ISA 53:12, 1 PET 3:20

HELL IS THE GRAVE
ROM 14:10-12
"SHEOL"- GEN 37:35
EZ 32:27
"HADES"- 1COR 15:55

REV 20:13
"GEHENA"- MATT 9:47

UNCONSCIOUS IN DEATH

ECC 9:5-6, 10 ISA 38:18-19
ISA 6:5

NO HOPE APART FROM RESURRECTION
1COR 15:17-18 EPH 2:12
IMMORTALITY

THE FAITHFUL ALL DIED WITH THIS HOPE
HEB 11:3

RESURRECTION

THE ONLY TRUE HOPE
1COR 15:19-23

AT CHRISTS RETURN
1COR 15:23 1THESS 4:16
MATT 25:31

KNOWLEDGE DETERMINES RESPONSIBILITY

JOHN 12:47-48

BOTH JUST & UNJUST
DAN 12:2 ACTS 24:15

JOHN 5:29

IGNORANT NOT RESURRECTED

PROV 21:16 PSA 49:18-20
ISA 26:14,43:17 JER 5:57
ROM 2:12

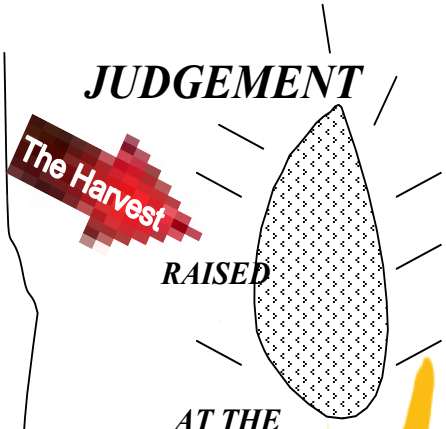
RESURRECTED MORTAL
DAN 12:2, 1COR 15:53

ROM 8:11

THREE CLASSES OF PEOPLE TO BE RESURRECTED

SAINTS	***SINNERS***
SEPARATED ONES	***THOSE NOT***
BY BAPTISM	***BAPTISED***
GODLY	***ENLIGHTENED***
UNGODLY	

JUDGEMENT



RAISED

AT THE JUDGEMENT SEAT OF CHRIST.
MATT 25:31-34

2COR 5:10, 1PET 4:17

GOD'S WORD SHALL JUDGE
JOHN 12:48

BY GRACE WE ARE SAVED
EPH 2:5,8

JUDGED UNWORTHY
MATT 25:41 JOHN 12:48

RAISED TO

ROM 2:7, 1COR 15:53
LK 20:36

THE DEAD ARE RESURRECTED FIRST AND THE LIVING ARE CAUGHT UP WITH THEM AND TAKEN TO JUDGEMENT. 1 THESS 4:15-18

The raising of a grain is a process which takes months to perfect, and is not said to be raised, until it is ripe in the ears.

LESSON 11 - CREATION TO ABRAHAM

CREATION

ADAM EVE

- LAW
- SIN
- PUNISHMENT
- PROMISE

THE CHILDREN OF MEN — THE SONS OF GOD

CAIN ENMITY ~~ABEL~~ SETH

- **CAIN & ~~ABEL~~ SETH**
  - THE BIRTH OF CAIN – Eve's hope of the promise seed. Gen 4:1
- **ENMITY BETWEEN CAIN & ABEL**
  "I will put enmity thee and the woman and between thy seed and her seed…." Gen 3:15
  - CAIN = seed of the serpent
  - ABEL = seed of the woman
- A FORM OF RELIGION
  - Both Cain & Abel were religious men.
  - Both desired to serve God.
  - Both brought their offerings before God.

BUT WHY DID GOD ACCEPT ABELS OFFERING & REJECT THAT OF CAIN?

ABEL

*Abel took the trouble seeking out what God required. Jn 4:23

*Abel presented his offering With faith. Heb 11:4,6, Rom 10:17

CAIN

*Cain worshipped according to his own conscience and ideas.

*Cain presented his offering without faith. 1John 3:12

"The longsuffering of God waited in the days of Noah while the ark was preparing" 1Pet 3:20

***CAIN SLEW ABEL** Gen 4:8

As Cain the seed of the serpent, bruised Abel the seed of the woman. So the symbolical Cain (the Scribes & Pharisees) murdered Christ. Matt 23: 34, 35

***SETH APPOINTED IN PLACE OF ABEL**

In a figure, the risen Abel was seen in Seth, pointing forward to the resurrection of Christ.

•A GODLESS SOCIETY BEFORE THE FLOOD

* MARRIAGE OUT OF THE TRUTH, Gen 6:1-2, the sons of God did not remain separate from the sons of men. (Jam 4:4) and intermarried one with the other, until there was only eight faithful people who could be termed "the sons of God".

By baptism we become "the sons of God" and we too are not t MARRY OUT OF THE TRUTH, 1Cor 7:39, 2Cor 6: 14-17.

* THE WICKEDNESS OF MAN WAS GREAT Gen 6:5
* THE IMAGINATION OF THE THOUGHTS OF HIS HEART WAS ONLY EVIL CONTINUALLY Gen 6:5
* GOD'S WAY WAS CORRUPTED Gen 6:12
* THE EARTH WAS FILLED WITH VIOLENCE Gen 6:5
* LIKENED UNTO OUR DAY BY CHRIST Luke 17:26

THE TOWER OF BABEL, GOD COFUSED MEN'S SPEECH, Gen 11: 1-9

NOAH

SHEM HAM JAPHETH

SEMETIC JEWS & ARABS — DARK RACES — WHITE RACES

• CHRIST OUR ARK

Come thou and all thy house into the ark, Gen 7:1

By the call of the Gospel, God is inviting us to enter into the ark of his son.

By baptism we enter into the Christ ark seeking refuge from the coming judgments, cf 1Pet 3:20-21

LESSON 12 - ABRAHAM

ABRAM'S FIRST CALL AT UR Acts 7:2

- Abram's family were idolaters. Josh 24:2
- Abram left Ur not knowing whither he went. Heb 11:8
- Abram and family left Ur and journeyed to Haran. Gen 11:31. God's call to Abram is our call Rom 8:28. We too in faith must leave the idols and wisdom of this world.

ABRAM'S SECOND CALL AT HARAN Gen 12:1

- At Haran (Enlightened). Abram was further enlightened by the Gospel, Gal 3:8 cf Gen 12:3. Abram responded to God's invitation and crossed over the Euphrates and became known as "Abram the Hebrew." (the crosser over) Gen 14:13

GOD'S CONDITIONAL PROMISES TO ABRAM Gen 12:2-3

(1) A NATIONAL PROMISE – "I will make for thee a great nation". The Jews will one day be a great nation. Deut 28:12

(2) A PERSONAL PROMISE – "I will make thee" – sins forgiven & eternal life. Acts 3:25
"and make thy name great" – Abraham's greatness to come
cf Matt 8:11, Isa 51:1-3
"thou shall be a blessing" – He is a blessing to those who become his spiritual seed.

(3) A FAMILY PROMISE – "I will bless them that bless thee". Sins forgiven and eternal life to Abrahams seed. Gal 3:9,14,29
"and curse him that curseth thee" "To curse Abraham" is to leave the family of Abraham or turn ones back on the truth for the pleasures of this world; all such will be finally cursed at the return of Christ. Matt 8:11-12, Lk 13:28

(4) AN INTERNATIONAL PROMISE – "In thee shall all families of the earth be blessed." The nations to be blessed in the Kingdom is "THE GOSPEL" Gal 3:8 eg. Hunger Psa 72:12-13, education Isa 2:3, righteousness rule Isa 2:4

GOD PROMISED THE LAND OF CANNAN TO <u>ABRAM'S SEED</u>

"Unto thy seed will I give this land" Gen 12:7

ABRAMS SEED :- (1) SEED AS OF ONE - "Thy seed which is Christ" Gal 3:16

(2) SEED AS MANY -"And if ye be Christ's then are ye Abraham's seed and heirs according to the promise." Gal 3:29, Gen 13:16 Gen 15:5

GOD PROMISED THE LAND OF CANAAN <u>FOREVER</u>

"For all the land which thou seest, to thee will I give it, and to thy seed for ever" Gen 13:15
Abraham is to be resurrected and with his seed be given eternal life in the land of Canaan.

THE PROMISES CONFIRMED UNCONDITIONALLY

Because Abraham did not withhold his only son (Isaac) God swore by himself that the promises made to him would come true. Gen 22:16-18

"Unto thy seed have I given this land, from the river of Egypt unto the great river, the river Euphrates." Gen 15:18, Acts 7:2-6

LESSON 13 - ABRAHAM TO THE KINGDOM

ABRAHAM

HAGAR — ISHMAEL Gen 16:15

SARAH Gen 21 — ISAAC

ISAAC — ESAU Gen 25:24-28

ISAAC — JACOB (ISRAEL) Gen 32:28

The promises confirmed with Isaac Gen 26:3-4 & Jacob Gen 32:28

Because of Abraham → *Isaac* → *Jacob* → *ISRAEL*

JACOB — RACHAEL Gen 29,20

JACOB — LEAH & TWO HANDMAIDS

RACHAEL: JOSEPH, BENJAMIN

LEAH & TWO HANDMAIDS: REUBEN, JUDAH, LEVI, 7 OTHER SONS

- Joseph sold as a slave into Egypt. Gen 39:1-2
- Joseph interpreted Pharaoh's dreams and is elevated. Gen 41:25-32 cf Gen 41:41-45
- Famine drives Jacob and his sons into Egypt

- ***EGYPT***

- Israel grows into a mighty nation. Ex 1:7
- Israel made slaves. Ex 1:8-14
- Moses flees from Pharaoh. Ex 2:15
- Israel cries to God. Ex 2:23
- The YAHWEH name revealed to Moses. Ex 3:13-15
- Moses to deliver Israel. Ex 3:7
- The ten plagues. Ex 7:19 – Ex 11
- The Passover lamb. Ex 12 cf 1 Cor 5:7

- ***THE EXODUS***

- Israel baptized into Moses. 1 Cor 10:5
- Israel called out of Egypt for the name. Acts 15:14

- ***SINAI***
  - Israel enters into covenant with God. Ex 24:8 "THE MOSAIC COVENANT"
- ***THE WILDERNESS***
  - Israel's lack of faith. Num 14
  - 40 years in the wilderness. Num 14:33-34

- ***THE KINGDOM***

- Joshua leads Israel into the promised land. Joshua 3
- God is their King. 1 Sam 8:7
- 450 years under the judges. Acts 13:20
- Saul was the first King. 1 Sam 9:17
- GOD'S PROMISE TO KING DAVID. 11 Sam 7

Abraham's Journeys

"All these things happened unto them for ensamples." (or types) 1 Cor 10:11

LESSON 14 - THE PASSOVER LAMB

"For even Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us." 1 Cor 5:7

THE PASSOVER LAMB WAS CALLED SUCH, BECAUSE ON THE SAME NIGHT THAT THE ANGEL OF GOD SMOTE THE FIRST BORN, HE PAST OVER THOSE ISRAELITES WHO HAD PLACED THE BLOOD OF THE LAMB ON THEIR DOOR POSTS

ISRAEL	***LESSON***
(1) Israel in bondage in Egypt. Ex 13:3,14 Ex 20:2	(1) In bondage to sin. Rom 7:24
(2) A lamb of the flock without spot. Ex 12:5	(2) Christ "the lamb of God". Jn 1:29 without sin. 1 Pet 1:19 ; 2:22-23
(3) The death of the lamb. Ex 12:6	(3) The death of Christ. 1 Cor 5:7
(4) The blood on the door posts and lintel. Ex 12:7	(4) Represents the atoning work of Christ for his house, i.e., the ecclesia 1 Jn 1:7 cf Heb 10:29
(5) "Roasted with fire." Ex 12:9	(5) Christ as the Passover lamb was to be crucified on a stake :- ▪ To exhibit to the world that the flesh with its affections and lust must be crucified. Gal 5:24 ▪ To come under the curse of the law, to show "that no man is justified by the law." Gal 3:10-13
(6) The flesh of the lamb to be eaten in the night. Ex 12:8	(6) We keep the Lords passover in gentile darkness. Lk 22:15 cf Psa 23
(7) The lamb to be eaten with :- ▪ Unleavened bread ▪ Bitter herbs	(7) The Lords Passover must be eaten with the unleavened bread of "sincerity and truth". 1 Cor 5:7 cf Jn 4:23 and with the "bitter herbs" of sharing in common the suffering of Christ. Phil 3:10
(8) Prepared to go Ex 12:11 ▪ Loins girded ▪ Shoes on feet ▪ Staff in hand	(8) We must always be ready - Loins girded with truth. Eph 6:14 - Feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace. Eph 6:15 - Staff of the word of God. Psa 23:4
(9) The Angel of death passes over. Ex 12:12-13	(9) When Christ comes to pour out God's judgment on spiritual Egypt those who "have washed their Robes, and made them white in the blood of the Lamb" Rev 7:4 and who have "kept the feast" 1 Cor 5:7-8 will be able to sing the song of the redeemed "for thou was slain (the Christ lamb) and hast redeemed us to God, by thy blood out of every kindred, and tongue, and people, and nation….." Rev 5:9

LESSON 15 - THE TWO COVENANTS

The Bible outlines two great covenants that God has made with man ;-

(1) ***THE OLD (MOSAIC) COVENANT*** was made with the nation of Israel at Sinai and confirmed with the blood of animal sacrifice. Ex 24:3.
The old covenant 'was added because of transgressions till the seed (i.e. Christ of v 16) should come 'Gal 3:19
Note:- "it was added" - It was not instead of the Abrahamic covenant but on addition
"it was added because of transgressions"{Here we have the reason for its addition 'because of transgressions'. Thus the law was designed to teach Israel that human nature is sinfully inclined and that no flesh is justified by law. See Gal.3:10-11
"till the seed should come" {The law was only temporary institution to be removed by Christ.

(2) THE NEW (ABRAHAMIC) COVENANT was made with Abraham Gen.15:18, 430 years before the law was given Gal.3:17 and confirmed with the sacrificial blood of Christ. Matt 26:28
Through Christ's death 'on the tree' Gal.3:13 the OLD COVENANT was 'taken out of the way' Col.2:14 and the NEW COVENANT came into effect, thus 'confirming the promises made unto the fathers' Rom.15:8

- **THE TEN COMMNDMENTS** *Ex.20*

The ten commandments were a part of the old Mosaic covenant Ex 34:2, Deut 4:13 and so 'called the tables of covenant' Heb9:4. As the tables of the covenant they are on epitome of the old covenant and therefore called ' the ministration of death, written and engraven in stone' 2Cor 3:7
Nine of the commandments have been re-affirmed and extended to his cause of sin. cf Matt.5
But the fourth commandment relating to the seventh day rest was never re-affirmed by Christ or the apostles.

- **THE SABBATH**
  - The seventh day was 'sanctified' at the creation because on the day God ceased from all his works. Gen2:2-3 To 'sanctify' is to 'set apart' as if to be used at a later date.
  - The Sabbath law was firstly and only given to the nation of Israel. Ex.31:12-17, Ex16:22-26
  - The Sabbath law was given to Israel in rememberence of their deliverance from Egypt. Deut5:12-15 They were weekly reminded to cease from the works of sin and do the works of God. Heb4:9-11, Matt.12:5
  - The law of circumcision took precedence over the law of the Sabbath John7:22 Circumcision was taken of the Abrahamic covenant Gn17:10-11 and the Sabbath was A 'sign' or 'token' of the Mosaic covenant Ex 31:17. Thus the teaching that the Mosaic Covenant was to give way to the Abrahamic covenant.
  - Christ is the " Lord of the Sabbath" Matt 12:8 and therefore had the power to change it.
  - In Christ 9 by baptism) is to be found the true Sabbath rest for believers today. 'Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden and I will give you rest.."Matt11:28-30
  - Each day is a Sabbath of rest from the works of sin and doing the work of God for a follower of Christ Rom.14:5-6
  - The seventh day Sabbath not binding on believers today Col.2:14-17
- **SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST**

A distinction is made by S.D.A. between the :-
1) Ceremonial law (written in a book) which was done away by Christ.
2) Moral law (inscribed on the tables of stone) which is said by S.D.A remains.
This division is unscriptural because the 'book of the law of Moses" Josh 23:1 contained moral law: which were not mentioned in the Ten Commandments eg. God's moral law forbidding marriage with the alien. Josh23:12

A further distinction is made with the terms: -
1) "Law of Moses" {Ceremonial law}
2) " Law of the Lord" {moral law}
This division is also unscriptural and the terms "law of Moses" and the "Law of the Lord" are interchangeable. For the "Law of the LORD" contained ceremonial laws. Cf.2Chron.31:2-3

- **SARAH & HAGAR REPRESENTS TWO COVENANTS** Gal.4:22-31

Get out the bondwoman and her son: for the son of the bondwoman shall not be heir with the son of the freewoman Ga.4:30
HAGAR the bondwoman rep. the Mosaic covenant v24, 25 ISHMAEL. Hagar's child rep. the children of the covenant i.e. National Israel.
SARAH the freewoman v.23 represents the Abrahamic covenant or Jerusalem which is above v26 cf. Gal 4:22
ISSAC the child of promise v.28 represents the seed of Abrahamic covenant i.e. Christ Gal.3:16, 29.

LESSON 16 - THE DAVIDIC PROMISES

BACKGROUND : -

God gave King David 'rest from his enemies' 2Sam 7:1 and he dwelt in a house of Cedar, but the ark of God dwelt in a tent. David therefore desired to build a house for Yahweh. God forbad him to do so, because his reign was characterized by war and 'much blood' 1Chron28:3. Instead of David building God a house, God would build the house 2Sam 7:11.

2 SAMUEL 7

V12 When they days be fulfilled and thou shalt sleep with thy fathers, I will set up thy seed after thee which shall proceed out of thy bowels.

"I will establish his KINGDOM"

V13 "*"He shall build an house for my name"*

"I will establish the throne of his kingdom for ever"

V14 "*I will be his father and he shall be my son"*

V16 "And thine house and thy Kingdom shall be Established for ever before thee"

- When David was dead and buried, *cf Act 2:29*
- These promises were not fulfilled Solomon for he sat upon the throne of Israel while David was alive, 1King 1:40.
- The seed promised to David was Christ, Acts 2:30, Acts 13:22 – 23
- Christ was a descendant from David, Matt. 1:1-16
- The Kingdom promised to David's seed (i.e. Christ) is the restored Kingdom of Israel, Acts 1:6, Luke 1:32
- Christ is building a spiritual house for Yahweh's name, 1 Pet 2: 5-9
- Christ will build a literal house of prayer in Jerusalem, Zech 6:12, Isa 66:7, Isa 2: 2-4
- The Kingdom of Christ will not be overthrown as was the Kingdom of Israel, Ezek 21: 25
- Not only was Christ to be the Son of David, Matt 1:1, But also the Son of God, Luke 1:35, Heb 1:5
- "I will be" and "He shall be" are in the future tense and thus teach that Christ, did not bodily pre-exist before his birth of the virgin Mary.
- David is to be resurrected at the return of Christ, *cf v12*
- David will be given eternal life
- He will se the fulfillment of God's promises to him

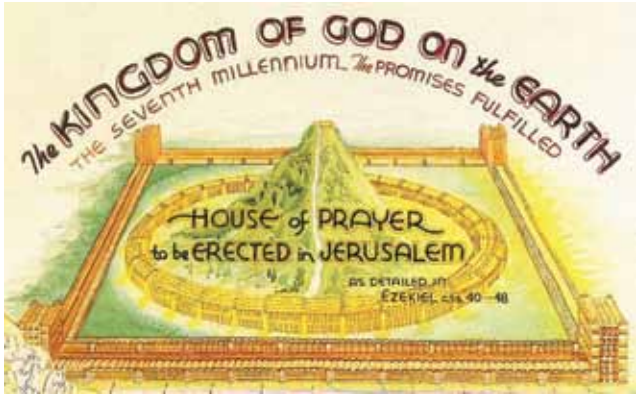
THE PROMISES TO DAVID ARE AN UNBREAKABLE COVENANT THAT GOD HAS MADE WITH HIM. "If ye can break my covenant of the day, and my covenant for the night in their season. Then may also my covenant be broken with David my servant that he should not have a son to reign upon his thrown…*Jer 33: 20-21, cf Psa 89:34-35, Acts 2:34.*

WHAT CONSTITUTES A KINGDOM?

	• IN THE PAST	**• IN THE FUTURE**
(1) A KING	God	God Luke 8:1
(2) CO-RULERS	David, Solomon etc	Christ and the saints Rev 5:10
(3) SUBJECTS	The children of Israel	The mortals Zech 14:16
(4) TERRITORY	The land of Israel	The whole world Dan 2:35, 44
(5) LAWS	The law of Moses	God's laws Isa 2:3

THE THREE GREAT COVENANTS OF PROMISE

(1) THE EDENIC COVENANT, Gen 3:15, *promised "LIFE"*
(2) THE ABRAHAMIC COVENANT, Gen 12 *promised "INHERITANCE"*
(3) THE DAVIDIC PROMISE, 2 Sam 7 *promised "KINGSHIP"*



LESSON 17 - KINGDOM OF GOD (Israel) TO JESUS CHRIST

"If ye will obey my voice indeed and keep my covenant then ye shall be a peculiar treasure unto me above all people for all the earth is mine and ye shall be a kingdom of priests and an holy nation, Ex. 19:5-6, *cf* Deut 7:6

Joshua

Joshua leads Israel into the Promised Land

- 450 yrs under Judges
- Samuel last of Judges. 1Sam 8:1-7

Judges

- God was their King, 1Sam 12:12
- The Nation demands a Human King, 1Sam 8:5

Saul the first Human King **Saul**

David anointed

- David reigns over in Jerusalem, 2Sam 5:1-5
  2Sam 7:12-16

David reigns in Hebron 7yrs, 2Sam2:11 **David**

- God makes promises to David.
- Under the rule of Solomon Kingdom reached its night of Glory, 2Chr 9:1-9

Solomon

The Kingdom of Israel. Kingdom of God, 1Chr 29:23

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The Kingdom divided by Revolt, 2Chr 10

Two tribes in Southern, Judah & Benjamin — **Judah** | **Israel** — Ten tribes in the Northern Kingdom.

Rehoboam ←

Jeroboam

Because of the evil reign of the Kings of Israel many from all Israel settles in Judah, 2Chr 11:3-17 & the Kings of Judah reigned over them, 2Chr 11:3, 1Kg 12;17, 2Chr 15:4.

16 Kings

12 Kings

Hosea
BC 721

The Northern Kingdom scattered by Assyrians, II Kings 17:5-6

Zedekiah was the last King of Judah called "Prince of Israel" Ez 21:25. Showing that since Assyrian Captivity the term ISRAEL includes Judah.

The Southern Kingdom taken into captivity by the Babylonian.

Zedekiah
BC 606

The King of Assyria transported people from Babylon, Cuthan, Ava, Hamath, Sephaivaim to Israel.

SAMARIA

Those interbred with the remaining Jews became known as the Samaritans, II Kings 17:24, John 4:26.

The Kingdom overturned and will be no more until Christ comes Whose right it is and God will give it to him, Ez 21:27, Lk 31:33.

After 70yrs Babylon was overthrown by Persia the Jewish captives returned to Jerusalem, Ezra 1:1-4. Including many from the 10 tribes 1Chr9:1-3. The temple and city were rebuilt.

The forerunner for Christ.
Matt 3:1-4, John the Baptist.

The Lord Jesus Christ.

The seed promised to Eve	Gen 3:15
The seed promised to Abraham	Gen 12:7
The seed promised to King David	II Sam 7
The Son of God	Luke 1:31-36

1 Chron 28:5
2 Chron 13:8
Ezek 21:25-27
Luke 1: 32-33
Ezek 37: 21-24
Rev 5: 9, 19

LESSON 18 - JESUS CHRIST

- **MISSION:-** The mission of Jesus Christ is seen in the meaning of his name.
  cf "….and thou shalt call his name JESUS ….for he shall save his people from his sins" Matt 1:21
- **BIRTH**
  - A humble birth in Bethlehem Matt 2: 5-6, Luke 2:7
  - "Son of Man" of the condemned line from Adam (i.e. mortal) Rom 5: 12,Heb 2:14-18, Rom 8: 3, 2Cor 5: 21
  - " Son of God" – by a virgin conceiving of the Holy Spirit Luke 1: 35
  - Jesus was specially prepared & strengthened by God for the conquest of sin. Isa 50: 4-7, Ps 139: 14 Matt 4: 11, Luke 22: 43, 12: 48
  - "Jesus increased in wisdom and stature, and in favour, with God and man" Luke 2: 40,52
  - Born under the law of Moses to redeem Israel from the curse of the law. Gal 4:4-5; Ephe 2: 11,12,13,19.
- **MINISTRY**
  - Baptised by John "to fulfill all righteousness" Matt 3:15
  - Anointed with the Holy Spirit power of Jordan Matt 3:16 – to preach and show the gospel of the Kingdom of God. Luke 4:18; 8:1
  - Tempted in all points, like as we are, yet without sin. Heb 4:15 i.e.
    - Lust of the flesh cf - Luke 4:1-4
    - Lust of the eye - Luke 4: 5-8
    - Pride of life - Luke 4: 9-13
  - Jesus was the complete manifestation of God John 17: 6, 1Tim 3:16, John 1: 4, John 14: 8-9
  - No man has ever had, such an impact upon world history, and the lives of men, as the 3 ½ ministry of Christ.
- **CRUCIFIXION**
  - The crucifixion of Christ was the culmination of a LIFE DEDICATED unto God and a BODY CRUCIFIED of its natural impulses Rom 11: 1,2
  - Christ died upon the cross to declare the righteousness of God. Rom 3: 26
  - That God was just in Eden, when man was rightly punished for sin Gen 3: 17 cf Gen 2: 17
  - That God might be 'the justifier of him which believeth in Jesus" Rom 3: 26
  - In baptism we identify ourselves with the crucifixion Rom 6: 3 and we like Christ uphold the Righteousness of God, realizing that no good thing dwells in flesh and so voluntarily submit to death.
- **RESURRECTION**
  - The resurrection of Christ was God's sign of approval of his offering. Acts 2: 24; 31 – 32
  - Christ received eternal redemption for himself. Heb 9: 10,11,12
  - God by resurrecting Christ, has opened up the way, by which we can now be saved from sin and death. 1 Cor 15: 17
- **THE MEMORIAL SUPPER** – "this do in remembrance of me" Luke 22: 19
  Christ gave to his disciples "the bread" and "the wine" as symbols to bring to remembrance his sacrifice.
  - RECORDED IN – Matt 26: 26- 30, Mark 14: 22-26, Luke 22: 14- 20,1Cor 11: 23-29
  - THE BREAD :- " this is my body" 1Cor 11: 24
    - By the eating of the bread we are reminded of his body :-
    - That he inherited a nature identical to ours Heb 2: -
    - Subject to like temptations as us Heb 4 : 15
    - But denied the flesh of its natural impulses and "did no sin" 1Peter 2: 22-23
- THE WINE : - "this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for many for the remission of sins" Matt 26: 28
  - THE BLOOD IS A SYMBOL OF LIFE "For the life of the flesh is in the blood" Lev.17:11
  - A life dedicated or poured out in service to God is remembered in the wine. Matt 26: 39
  - The shed blood ratified the new covenant cf. Heb 13 : 20
  - The forgiving or covering of sins is possible by faith in the shed blood of Christ. cf Heb 9:22 "without the shedding of blood is no remission"

LESSON 19 - GOD IS ONE

"This is life eternal, that they might know thee, the only true **God**, and Jesus whom thou has sent" John 17: 3

THE TRINITY – the trinity is a doctrine that was adopted into " Christianity" in the 4th century after Christ. When Athanasius the Bishop of Alexandria drew up the "Athanasian Creed" which describes the Trinity as:-

"The Father is God, the son is God and the Holy Spirit is God, and the three gods but one God"

- TRINITARIANS CLAIM
  - God, Jesus Christ & the Holy Spirit is one God
  - That all three are co – eternal
  - That all three are co – equal

THE TRINITY NOT TAUGHT IN THE BIBLE

- The word trinity not found in the Bible
- The Encyclopedia Britannica states : -

"The propositions constitutive of the dogma of the Trinity were not drawn directly from the New Testament and could not be expressed in the New Testament terms. They were the products of reason speculating on a revelation to faith…They were only formed through centuries of effort, only elaborated by the aid of the conceptions formulated in the terms of Greek and Roman metaphysics" – (i.e. Borrowed from pagan mythology).

GOD

- There is only one True God : -
  Moses declared – "Hear O Israel, the LORD our God is ONE LORD" Deut 6: 4
  Christ confirms – "Jesus answered…the first of all the commandments, is Hear O Israel, the LORD our God is ONE LORD" Mark12: 29
  Paul states – "To us there is but ONE GOD THE FATHER" 1 Cor 8: 6 cf Eph 4: 6, 1 Tim 2: 5
- The possessor and only source of immortality 1 Tim 6 :16
- Who dwells in Heaven Dan 2 : 28
- In unapproachable light by mortal man 1 Tim 6 : 16
- Yet he is everywhere present by his spirit Psalm 139 : 2-12
- Who hath, by and out of his own underived energy (or spirit power) created heaven and the earth Psa104: 30, Rom 11: 36, Job 34: 14 – 15
- It was this same spirit power which moved holy men of God to prophesy and write the Bible. 2Peter 1: 21

JESUS CHRIST – see sheet no-(15)

- Jesus not co – eternal with God. See Luke 1: 32"He shall be called the son of God"
- Jesus not co – equal with God.
  - Jesus said "The Father is greater than I" John 14: 28
  - Jesus is called God's servant Isa 52 : 13
  - Jesus subject to God even after the 1000year reign on Earth. 1Cor 15: 24 – 38
- Jesus is called God by Thomas "My lord and my God" John 20: 28. Thomas a Jew, used an expression common to the Old Testament, where God's representatives are referred to as God. cf.
  - Angels are called God. Gen 16: 7 cf v13- Gen 22: 8,11,15 cf v16, Ex 23: 20-21
  - Moses referred to as God Ex 7 : 1
  - The Judges of Israel referred to as God Psa 8: 1,6 cf John10 : 34
  - We may have Gods name. Acts 15: 14, Rev 3: 12
- Jesus said " I and my Father are one" John 10: 30
  - Jesus was not claiming to be God as the Jews and Christendom supposed, but that he was one with the Father in mind but not one in body.
  - Jesus prayed that we too might be of the same "mind and one with the Father." John 17: 21-22

THE HOLY SPIRIT

The Holy Spirit is the energy or power of God by which he does all things. Cf "…The holy spirit shall come upon thee, and the power of the Highest shall overshadow thee….." Luke 1: 35. cf Acts 10: 38

- THE HOLY SPIRIT IS NOT THE THIRD PERSON OF A TRINITY
  - If the Holy Spirit is the third person of a trinity; Than Jesus was not the son of God, but the son of the Holy Spirit. See Matt1: 18, 20cf Luke 3: 22.
  - Jesus could not be co-equal with the Holy Spirit because, sins against him could be forgiven, but sins against the Holy Spirit would not be forgiven. Matt 12: 31 – 32
- IF "THE FATHER IS GOD, THE SON IS GOD, AND THE HOLY SPIRIT IS GOD"???Then Trinitarians must worship three Gods – For all three are separate. Matt 3: 15- 17

'TRUE WORSHIPPERS shall worship the Father n spirit and in truth:
for the Father seeketh such to worship him" John 4: 23

LESSON 20 - THE ECCLESIA

"They continued steadfastly in the apostles doctrine and fellowship and in breaking of bread, and in prayer" Acts 2: 42

- **JESUS ASCENDS INTO HEAVEN**
  - Jesus ascended into heaven 40 days after his resurrection and "speaking of the things pertaining to the Kingdom of God" Acts 1: 3
  - He sits as priest and mediator at the right hand of God, for his ecclesia or his brethren only.1Tim2:5 ,Heb 4:14-16
  - "This same Jesus" is to return to earth and set up God's Kingdom. Acts 1: 6-11
- **THE ECCLESIA FORMED AT PENTECOST**

The word Pentecost means 'fiftieth'. It was a Jewish feast celebrated on the 'fiftieth 'day from the "wave sheaf" Lev 23: 11.This wave sheaf was first fruits of the harvest, and as it was offered three days after the Passover it represented the resurrected Christ- "Christ the firstfruits" 1Cor15: 23 and pointed forward to a great harvest. At Pentecost "two wave loaves" were offered and also called "the firstfruits unto Yahweh"Lev23:17. So the ecclesia at Pentecost became "a kind of firstfruits of God's creatures" Jam 1: 18 made up of two wave loaves – Jews and Gentiles.

WHAT IS THE ECCLESIA?

- The greek word " ecclesio" means 'to call out'. The ecclesia is therefore not a church or building but a people who have been 'called out 'of the world by the gospel and 'called into' fellowship with God through the sacrifice of his son.
- The ecclesia of Christ is a spiritual building 1Pet 2: 4-5 built upon the rock foundation "that Christ is the son of the Living God" Matt 16: 16. It was this foundation that Israel rejected. Matt 26: 63-68
- The ecclesia is the pillar and stay of the Truth. 1Tim 3: 15

THE HOLY SPIRIT GIFTS

The nine gifts or "parts" of the holy spirit was bestowed upon the infant ecclesia of Pentecost. Acts 2: 1-13

- To confirm the gospel message Mark 16: 15- 20, Heb 2: 3-4
- To build up the infant ecclesia Eph 4: 11-16. (This is performed by the Bible alone today.2Tim3:14-17)
- The holy spirit gifts could only be transmitted by the apostles. Acts 8: 14-18
- The holy spirit gifts 'failed', 'ceased', "vanished away" or were 'done away'. 1Cor13: 8-10
- When the apostles died
- "When that which is perfect is come" 1Cor13: 10.ie.The completion of the spirit word of God. Rev22:18-19

THE GOSPEL GOES TO THE GENTILES Mark 16: 15-16

- Peter a Jew was chosen to go to the first gentile. Acts. 10
- Paul who is called "the apostle of the gentiles". Rom11: 13 spread the gospel to the inhabited world.
- Ecclesias were formed in Ephesus, Smyrna, Pergamos, Thyatira, Sardis, Philadelphia, Laodicea, Rome, Corinth, Galatia, Philippi, Colosse, Thessalonica etc.

LIFE IN THE TRUTH – "IT IS YOUR LIFE' Deut 32: 46- 47

What are we going to do with our life in the Truth?

- A LIFE OF OBEDIENCE – to Christ's commandments. Cf the greatest commandment "thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind". Matt 22: 36 – 40, Ecc 12: 13. Jesus said that "no man, having put his and to the plough, and looking back is fit for the Kingdom of God" Luke 9:57-62.
- A LIFE OF SEPARATION as the 'called out' ones we are to remain separate from the world. Jam 4:4, 2 Chron 6:14-18 i.e.
  - Worldly politics – Ephe 6: 12
  - Military service – John 18: 36
  - Worldly Fashion – 1Cor 7:31,1Pet 3:3-4
  - Worldly entertainment
  - Worldly corrupt communications - Ephe 4: 29
  - Worldly habits

  } "Whatever you permit on earth, must be what is permitted in Heaven"
- A LIFE OF STUDY – " Study to shew thyself approved unto go, a workman that needeth not be ashamed rightly dividing the word of Truth" 2Tim 2:15
- A LIFE OF PRAYER – God speak to us through his word and we speak to God in prayer. See Matt 6: 9-13
- A LIFE OF PREACHING the gospel. Mark 16: 15 – 16
- A LIFE OF GOD MANIFESTATION – we have been called into the Truth so that God might be glorified in us now, and in the ages o come.

LESSON 21

MODERN ISRAEL A MIRACLE OF BIBLE PROPHECY

"They shall fall by the edge of the sword, and shall be led away captive into all nations and Jerusalem shall be trodden down by the Gentiles until he times of the Gentiles be fulfilled" Luke 21: 24

The above words were spoken by the Lord Jesus about forty years before the Jewish state was overwhelmed by the Romans in AD70 and the Jewish people were led captive into all the parts of the world. The Roman invasion was God's punishment upon Israel because they rejected their King. Matt 15: 24, John 19: 15 cf Matt 7: 2

- **CHRIST PREDICTED**
  - o He Roman invasion of AD70.

    " For wheresoever the carcass is, there will the eagles be gathered together" Matt 4: 28 – the eagle was a symbol of the Roman empire.

    "Jerusalem compassed with armies" Luke 21: 20
  - o THE SIEGE

    "Woe unto them that are with child, and to them that shall give suck in those days" Luke21:23, cf Deut 28: 47-63 see Josephus page 57814

    "They shall fall by the edge of the sword"
  - o THE JEWS LED CAPTIVES INTO ALL NATIONS

    "and shall be led away captive unto all nations" Luke 21: 24 cf Deut 28: 64
  - o JERUSALEM DOWNTRODDEN OF HE GENTILES 1,900 YEARS

    'Jerusalem shall be trodden down of the Gentiles' Luke 21: 24. A "Gentile" is one who is not a Jew, thus Romans, Persians, Moslems, Crusaders, Turks, British, and Arabs have all downtrodden Jerusalem
  - o THE JEWS TO RETURN TO JERUSALEM

    "Until the times of the Gentiles be fulfilled' Luke 21:24

    The trodding down of Jerusalem by Gentiles was to last for a set time. i.e. The "times of the Gentiles" When this time is "fulfilled", Jerusalem will be once again in the hands of the Jews.

    The phrase 'trodden down' Luke 21: 24 is a reference to Dan 8: 13

    "How long shall be…..the sanctuary and the host to be trodden under foot?

    Until two thousand and three hundred days, then shall the sanctuary be cleansed" Dan 8:13-14.

On a day for a year principle this would be 2,300 years, and dating from the opening of the vision of Dan 8, when the ram (rep "the kings of Media and Persia v.20) and the rough he goat (rep. the king of Grecia v.21) were joined in battle (v6-v7) and numbering 2,300 years from the battle of Gronicus, B.C. 334 or the battle of Issus, B.C. 333 this brings us to 1966 or 1967.

In remarkable fulfillment of the above prophecy "the sanctuary was cleansed of Gentile domination in Israeli six day war of June 1967 and the Jews regained Jerusalem after 1,900 years.

THE PRESERVATION OF THE JEW Exodus 3: 2

Throughout the history of the Jewish people, they have been conquered, scattered, persecuted, slaughtered and yet after 3,500 years, they still remain. The immortal Jew is a witness to the truth of the bible,

cf "For I am with thee, said the Lord, to save thee: though I make a full end of all nations whither I have scattered thee, yet I will not make a full end of thee; but I will correct thee in measure, and will not leave thee altogether unpunished" Jer 30:11

THE RESTORATION OF THE JEW

The restoration of the Jew to his home land is a clear sign of the near return of their king.

cf "I will take the children of Israel from among the nations whither they be gone, and will gather them on every side, and bring them into their own land; and I will make them one nation in the land upon the mountains of Israel and one king shall be king unto them all." Eze.37: 21-22

THREE DEVELOPMENTS ARE PREDICTED BY EZEKIEL

1. The regathering of the Jews back into their land
2. The re-establishment of the nation of Israel
3. The return of Jesus of Nazareth as their king. John 1: 19
4. The regathering of the Jews into their home land was made possible with the "BALFOUR DECLARATION" of the 2nd Nov 1917 when his Majesty's Government view with favour the establishment in Palestine of a national home for the Jewish people….."
5. On the 15th May, 1948 he state of Israel was proclaimed and 'the fig tree shot forth' Luke 21: 29-30
6. "When ye see these things come to pass, know ye that the kingdom of God is nigh at hand" Luke 21: 30

LESSON 22 - 2,500 YEARS OF WORLD HISTORY

"There is a God in heaven that revealeth secrets and maketh known to the king Nebuchadnezzar what shall be in the latter days" Dan 2: 28

BABYLON – GOLD

- "thou (the king of Babylon) art this head of Gold" v.38
- Gold is a fit symbol for 'Babylon the glory of kingdoms" Isa.13: 19
- Babylon is called "the golden city" Isa.14: 4
- "After thee shall arise another kingdom" v.38 but in defiance of this prophecy
  the king of Babylon made an image of all gold. Dan. 3: 1

MEDO – PERSIA – SILVER

- The two arms of the image showed the dual nature of the, MEDO – PERSIAN
  kingdom.
- As SILVER is to GOLD so the MEDO-PERSIAN empire was "inferior" to the
  BABYLONIAN empire, in wealth, luxury and magnificence but not in extent.
- According to the Herodatus, the taxation and tribute demanded by Persia of those
  she conquered was paid in silver talents.

GREECE - BRASS

- The descendants of Javan settled in what was later known as GREECE, and
  were noted for their trading in BRASS. Ezek. 27: 13
- The REEK soldiers used brass in their armour and are known in history as the "BRAZEN coated Greeks".

ROME - IRON

- The ROMAN legions were noted for IRON swords and breastplates.
- The two legs of iron stood for the eastern and western divisions of the ROMAN EMPIRE with headquarters in ROME and Constantinople.

DIVIDED ROMAN EMPIRE – IRON CLAY

- The iron from the legs merged into the feet and toes showing that the ROMAN EMPIRE was not overthrown in any one battle, such as the Babylonians, Medo-Persian and Grecian empires. But decayed away from within and broke up into ten major tribes, corresponding to the ten toes.

'THE LATTER DAYS'

"What shall be in the latter days" – Since all the metals of the image were to be broken up together v35, a confederacy of nations must exist in "the latter days" of the kingdom of men, which will incorporate all the nations existing in the territories represented in the image.

- **THE STONE**

"The stone" rep. Christ cf Matt. 21 : 42 and his immortalized saints who will assist him in executing God's judgments upon the nations. cf. Psa. 149: 5-9

Christ referred to himself as the stone of Daniel 2, "Whosoever shall fall on this stone shall be broken, but on whomsoever it shall fall it will grind him to powder" Matt 21: 44

THE MOUNTAIN

Mountains are symbolical of nations. Jer. 51: 25 and as "the stone was cut of the mountain without hand" v.45 So" God is taking out of the nations a people for his name", Acts. 15: 14

ARMAGEDDON Rev 16: 16

Armageddon means " a heap of sheaves n a valley of judgment", it describes the nations gathered together at Jerusalem to battle. – Christ and the saints will thresh the nations and they shall be as "the chaff of the summer" threshing floor blown away to be found no more. (see lesson 20)

LESSON 23 - ARMAGEDDON TO THE KINGDOM OF GOD

"They shall beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into pruning hooks: nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more" Isa. 2: 4

"WHAT SHALL BE IN THE LATTER DAYS" Dan.2: 28 cf Ezek 38: 16

(Continued from lesson 19)

In the feet of iron and clay stage of the kingdom of men, the kingdom shall be divided with strong an brittle nations. Thus Europe is divided today by the "iron curtain". But with the unveiling of the curtain and with the uniting of Europe under one of the monarch "in the latter days", the Russian image cf Daniel 2 will then stand erect and victorious upon "the mountains of Israel".

THE RETURN OF CHRIST

The angelic declaration of Christ's ascension guarantee Christ's return. " this same Jesus, which is taken up from you into heaven , shall so come in like manner as ye have seen him go into heaven." Acts 1: 11 cf Acts 3: 19

- Christ returns 'as a thief' to the world. Rev. 16: 15 and snatches away 1Thess. 4: 16-17 'his jewels' (i.e. the saints) Malachi 3:17 and gross darkness shall cover the people. Isa 60:2
- Christ comes to judge the household of faith first, 1 Peter 4:17-18 and reward the just with eternal life.

THE RUSSIAN IMAGE STANDS UP Ezekiel 38

The prophet Ezekiel predicts the invasion of 'the land of Israel,' by 'Gog' (v3) who is the chief of a mighty army incorporating most of Europe and Asia. Eze,38: 2,3

- **GOG** – The word Gog in Hebrew means 'roof' and therefore describes the one at the top of this great confederated army from many nations.
- **RUSSIA IDENTIFIES GEOGRAPHCALLY**
  - "Thou shall come from thy place out of the uttermost parts of the north" Ezek. 3: 15. As the invader, invade 'the mountains of Israel'v8 Russia is the only power in 'the uttermost part of the north'
  - Moscow in a longitudinal line from Jerusalem.
- **RUSSIA IDENTIFIED BY NAME**
  - The word 'CHIEF' in Ezek. 38: 2 is the Hebrew word "Rosh" and Hebraists state it is a proper noun and should be rendered as such. The R.V. renders it as 'Prince of Rosh'. Rosh was the ancient name for Russia.
  - The historian Gibbon writes "among the Greeks, Russia was known as 'Rosh'
  - Bachart declares that in this word 'Rosh' we have the most ancient form of Russia.
- **WHY WILL RUSSIA INVADE THE MIDDLE EAST?**
  God said "I will put hooks into the Jaws, and I will bring thee forth and all the army…"Eze.38: 4 God likens himself to a fisherman with baited hooks drawing Russia into the middle east.
- **THE BAIT**
  - The Suez canal
  - The Middle East contains the richest oil deposits in the world
- **"ART THOU COME TO TAKE A SPOIL"** Eze.38: 14
  The Russian invader is to be challenged by the allies: -
  "the merchants of Tarsish" (v13) is identified as Britain. For the Pheonicians traded in tins with Tarsish cf.Eze.27: 12-13 called the island 'Baratanac' i.e. "the land of the Tin" – this name was changed by the Greeks to 'Britannia', 'the young lions' are the nations of the British commonwealth. But the Russian invader is to stand victorious over his challengers. Zech.14:2
- **ARMAGEDDON TO THE KINGDOM OF GOD**
  The battle of Armageddon marks the overthrow of the kingdom of Man and the establishment of the kingdom of God.
  "Thus, will I(God) magnify myself, and sanctify myself, and I will be known in the eyes of many nations, and they shall know that I am Yahweh". Eze.28: 23
  When Christ and his immortalized saints have broken the Russian image, the proclamation of 'the Gospel of the age' goes forth to all nations, saying "Fear God, and give glory to him, for the hour of his judgments is come and worship him that made the heaven, and earth and the sea' Rev. 14: 6-7.

LESSON 24 – LIFE THE KINGDOM OF GOD

MORTAL LIFE IN THE KINGDOM OF GOD

- All the earth will worship the one true God. Zech 14: 9
- The nations will go up to Jerusalem "from year to year to worship the King, the Lord of hosts, and to keep the feast of tabernacles". Zech 14: 16, Zech 8: 23
- Sin will be restrained. Rev.20: 2-3
- Life will be prolonged – Isa 65: 20
- They will enjoy the fruit of their labours. Isa65: 21-22
- The earth will bring forth it's increase – Isa 35:1, Psa.72:16, Amos 9: 13
- Self supporting rural life. Micah 4: 4
- Man will enjoy peace and security. Micah 4; 4
- All willing to serve God Micah.4: 2

IMMORTAL LIFE IN THE KINGDOM

Jesus " hast made us unto or God KINGS and PRIESTS and we shall reign on the earth". Rev. 5: 10

- **KINGS**
  - THE TWELVE DISCIPLES – " Jesus said unto them, verily I say unto you, that ye which have followed me in the regeneration when the son of man shall sit in the throne of his glory, ye also shall sit upon twelve thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel." Matt. 19: 27-28
  - "THE SAINTS" – As Kings in the Kingdom we will be co-rulers with Christ and assist him to rule the world. Rev.2: 26-27. Each 'faithful saint is to be rewarded by having authority over a city. Luke 19: 12-19

PRIESTS – As Priests in the Kingdom we will : -

- Teach the people the way of God.

Cf "Thine ears shall hear a word behind thee saying, This is the way, walk ye in it, when ye turn to the right hand, and when ye turn to the left". Isa.30: 20,21

- Perform duties in the temple. Ezek 44: 15-16

- **"THEN COMETH THE END"**

At the end of the millennium the rule of Christ will be withdrawn enabling all to give expression to their personal desires. Many will remain faithful to the teaching of the saints. But others will oppose Christ's rule. Rev.20: 7-9. The rebellion will be suppressed and those who have died during the millennium will be raised and judged with the living. Rev.20: 12 The worthy will receive everlasting life and the unworthy will receive everlasting death.

"Then cometh the end, when he shall have delivered up the kingdom to God, even the Father; when he shall have put down all rule and all authority and power. For he must reign, till he hath put all enemies under his feet. And when all things shall be subdued unto him, then shall the son also himself be subject unto him that put all things under him that GOD MAY BE ALL IN ALL." 1Cor 15: 24,25,27,28.

LESSON 25 - THE MILLENNIUM

"Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done in earth as it is in Heaven." Matt.6: 10

- **"JERUSALEM (ZION) THE CITY OF THE GREAT KING"** Matt 5: 35 cf. Psa.48: 2
  Jerusalem the city of Christ's suffering is destined to be the city of his glory.
  For the carpenter of Nazareth is to build in Jerusalem a glorious house of prayer for all nations." Mark11: 15-17
  It is from this centre Christ is to rule the Kingdom of God. Isa 2: 3
  - Christ's 'first dominion' Mich 4: 8 will be over the restored Kingdom of Israel. Luke 1: 32
  - The Kingdom of God will extend to all the world and be modeled after the pattern of Israel. Dan.2:44, Zech 14: 9, Rev 11: 15, Rev 19: 16

THE MILLENNIUM

The word "millennium" is derived from two Latin words:

1. "mille" – a thousand
2. "annus: - a year

The word millennium is therefore used to describe the one thousand year reign of Christ as King on the earth. cf. "They lived and reigned with Christ a thousand years" Rev20: 4,6.

CHRIST THE KING

Jesus confirmed before Pilate that he is to be a King. "To this end I was born, and for this cause I came into the world" John 18: 37

- **"THE KING OF GLORY"**
  "Who is the King of Glory?
  The LORD strong and mighty
  The LORD mighty in battle." Psalm 24: 8
  The title of Jesus "The King of Glory" is descriptive of the time when he has been "mighty in battle" and he as the manifestation of God's glory, marches triumphantly into the temple, and sits upon "the throne of his glory" Matt 19: 28. He "shall reign in Mount Zion and in Jerusalem before his ancients gloriously" Isa.24: 23. "For out of Zion shall go forth the law , and the word of Yahweh from Jerusalem" Isa.2:3.Thus, "the earth shall be filled with the knowledge of the glory of Yahweh as the waters cover the seas" Hab.2: 14
- **"THE KING OF THE JEWS"** John 19.19
  The title of Jesus "HE KING OF THE JEWS" written above his cross teaches that:-
  - The Jews will have to accept Christ, as the Messiah, the "one whom they have pierced" Zech.12: 10-14
  - The Kingdom of Israel is to be restored and Christ will reign as their King. Ez.37: 21-22
- **"KING OVER ALL THE EARTH"** Zech 14:9

The stone power of Dan. 2, which "smote" the image became a great mountain, an filled the WHOLE EARTH. Dan.2: 35. Thus, "the kingdoms of this world are become the kingdoms of our Lord, and of his Christ" Rev11: 15. "Ye , all Kings shall fall down before him, all nations shall serve him." Psa.72: 11

- **"THE KING OF KINGS"** Rev.9: 16
  The exalted title of Christ as "King of Kings, and Lord of Lord's" shows how highly God "hath exalted him, and given him a name, which is above every name. that at the name of Jesus every knee shall bow of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth. And that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father" Pil2: 9-11
- **"THE KING OF RIGHTEOUSESS"** Heb 7:2

The title of Christ "the King of righteousness" speaks of him reigning from the "city of righteousness" and "executing judgment and justice in the earth" Jer.23: 5. " He shall not judge after the sight f his eyes neither reprove after the hearing of his ears but with RIGHTEOUSNESS shall he judge the poor" Isa.11: 2. Thus he shall be called THE LORD OUR RIGHTEOUSNESS."Jer 23:6

- **"THE KING OF PEACE."** Heb 7:2

When Christ sits as "King in Salem" he will be known as the "Kings of Peace" or the "Prince of Peace" Isa 9:6. "Of the increase of his government and peace there shall be no end." Isa.9: 7 "Nation shall not lift up sword against nation and neither shall they learn war any more." Micah 4:3 Man will no be "afraid" of man. Mic4: 4 or beast Isa 11:6-9. But will give "Glory to God in the highest 'and enjoy' on earth peace and goodwill toward men" Luke2:14.

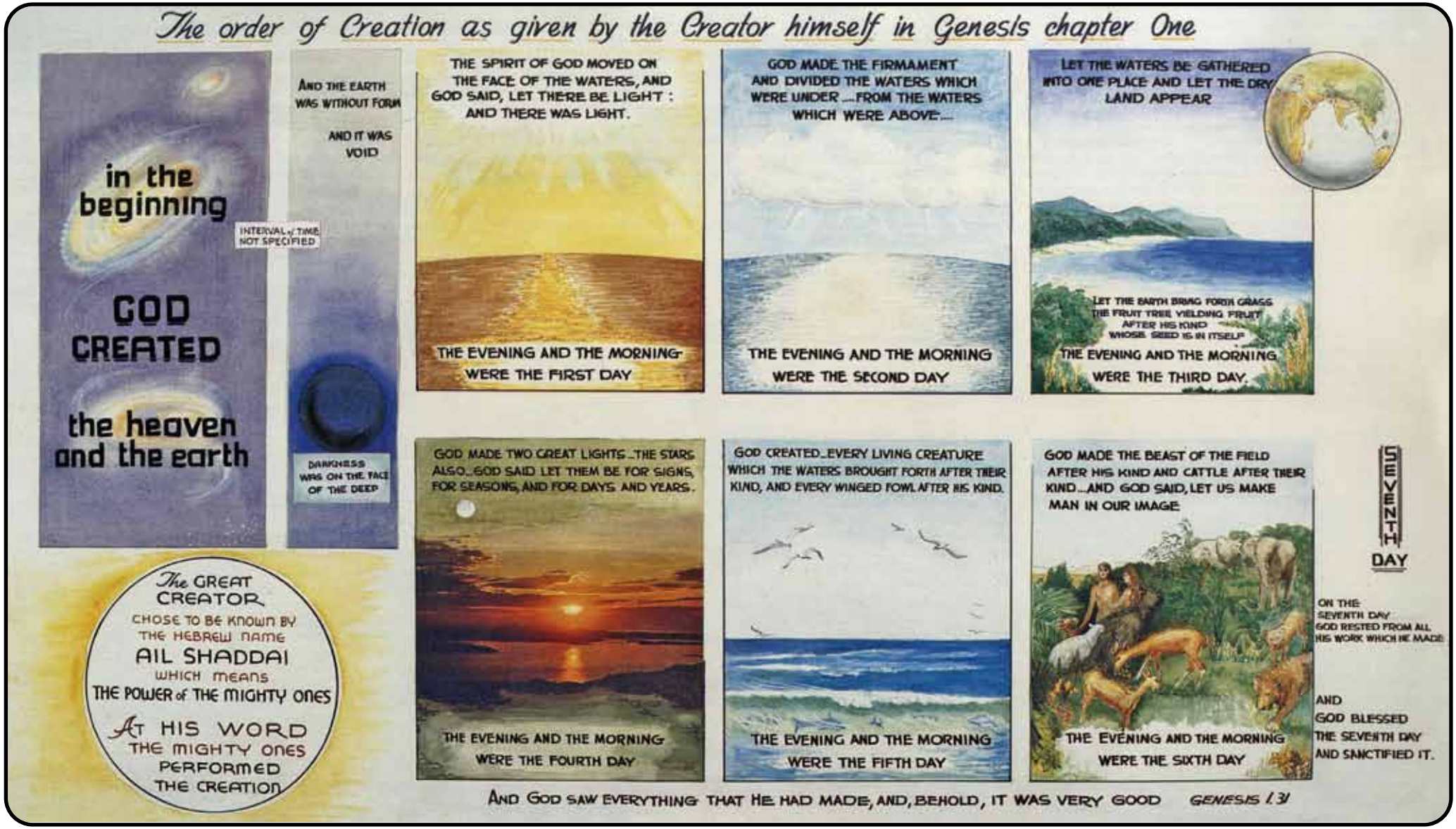
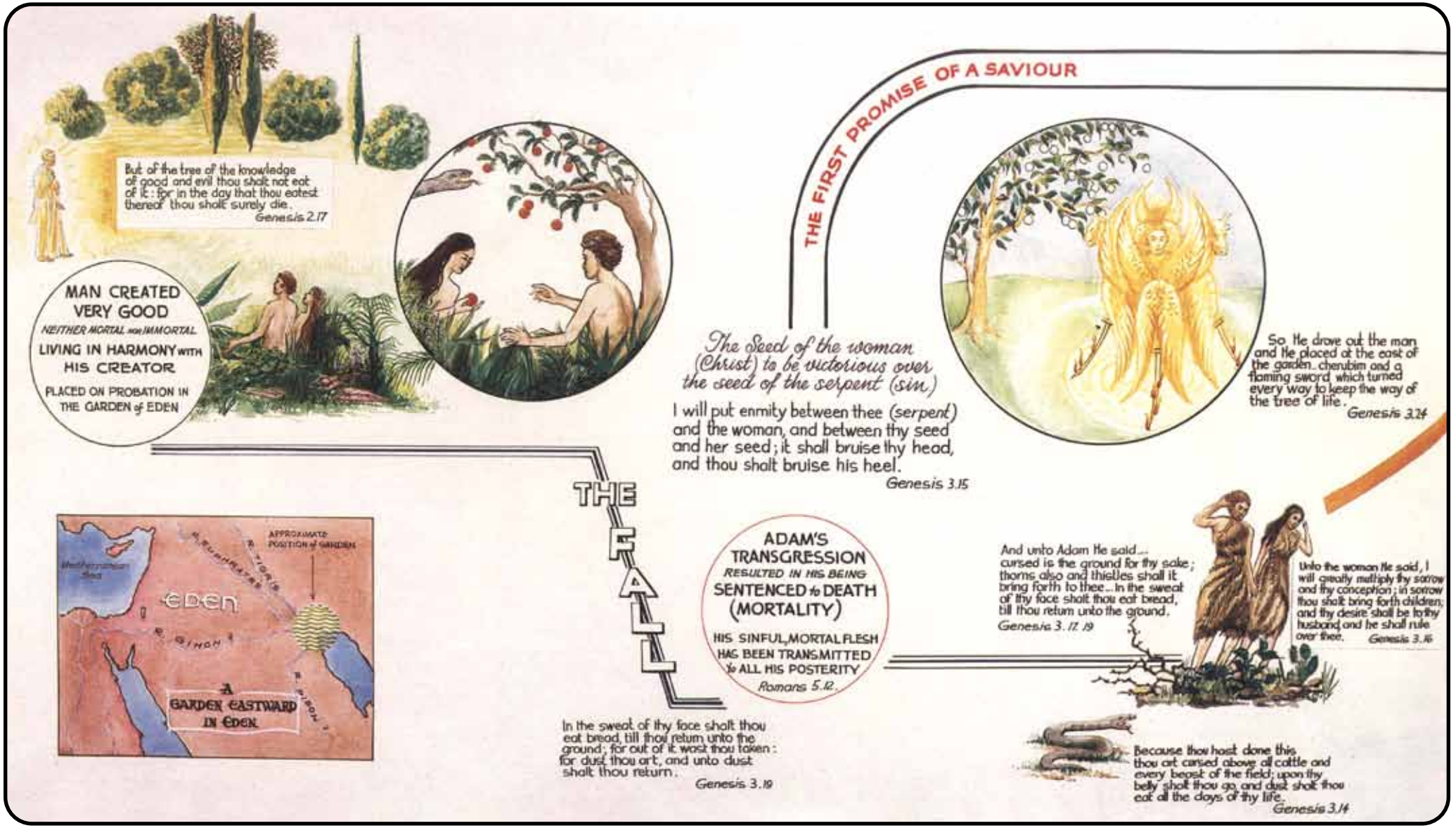

The order of Creation as given by the Creator himself in Genesis chapter One
in the beginning
GOD CREATED
the heaven and the earth
INTERVAL of TIME NOT SPECIFIED
AND THE EARTH WAS WITHOUT FORM
AND IT WAS VOID
DARKNESS WAS ON THE FACE OF THE DEEP
THE SPIRIT OF GOD MOVED ON THE FACE OF THE WATERS, AND GOD SAID, LET THERE BE LIGHT : AND THERE WAS LIGHT.
THE EVENING AND THE MORNING WERE THE FIRST DAY
GOD MADE THE FIRMAMENT AND DIVIDED THE WATERS WHICH WERE UNDER ... FROM THE WATERS WHICH WERE ABOVE...
THE EVENING AND THE MORNING WERE THE SECOND DAY
LET THE WATERS BE GATHERED INTO ONE PLACE AND LET THE DRY LAND APPEAR
LET THE EARTH BRING FORTH GRASS THE FRUIT TREE YIELDING FRUIT AFTER HIS KIND WHOSE SEED IS IN ITSELF
THE EVENING AND THE MORNING WERE THE THIRD DAY.
The GREAT CREATOR CHOSE TO BE KNOWN BY THE HEBREW NAME AIL SHADDAI WHICH means THE POWER of THE MIGHTY ONES
AT HIS WORD THE MIGHTY ONES PERFORMED THE CREATION
GOD MADE TWO GREAT LIGHTS ..THE STARS ALSO..GOD SAID LET THEM BE FOR SIGNS, FOR SEASONS, AND FOR DAYS AND YEARS.
THE EVENING AND THE MORNING WERE THE FOURTH DAY
GOD CREATED..EVERY LIVING CREATURE WHICH THE WATERS BROUGHT FORTH AFTER THEIR KIND, AND EVERY WINGED FOWL AFTER HIS KIND.
THE EVENING AND THE MORNING WERE THE FIFTH DAY
GOD MADE THE BEAST OF THE FIELD AFTER HIS KIND AND CATTLE AFTER THEIR KIND...AND GOD SAID, LET US MAKE MAN IN OUR IMAGE
THE EVENING AND THE MORNING WERE THE SIXTH DAY
SEVENTH DAY
ON THE SEVENTH DAY GOD RESTED FROM ALL HIS WORK WHICH HE MADE
AND GOD BLESSED THE SEVENTH DAY AND SANCTIFIED IT.
AND GOD SAW EVERYTHING THAT HE HAD MADE, AND, BEHOLD, IT WAS VERY GOOD GENESIS 1 31

PLATE I


But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil thou shalt not eat of it: for in the day that thou eatest thereof thou shalt surely die.
Genesis 2.17
MAN CREATED VERY GOOD
NEITHER MORTAL nor IMMORTAL
LIVING IN HARMONY WITH HIS CREATOR
PLACED ON PROBATION IN THE GARDEN of EDEN
THE FIRST PROMISE OF A SAVIOUR
The Seed of the woman (Christ) to be victorious over the seed of the serpent (sin)
I will put enmity between thee (serpent) and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise his heel.
Genesis 3.15
So he drove out the man and he placed at the east of the garden..cherubim and a flaming sword which turned every way to keep the way of the tree of life.
Genesis 3.24
THE FALL
ADAM'S TRANSGRESSION
RESULTED IN HIS BEING
SENTENCED to DEATH (MORTALITY)
HIS SINFUL, MORTAL FLESH HAS BEEN TRANSMITTED to ALL HIS POSTERITY
Romans 5.12.
APPROXIMATE POSITION of GARDEN
Mediterranean Sea
R. EUPHRATES
R. TIGRIS
EDEN
R. GIHON
R. PISON
A GARDEN EASTWARD IN EDEN
And unto Adam he said... cursed is the ground for thy sake; thorns also and thistles shall it bring forth to thee... In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread, till thou return unto the ground.
Genesis 3. 17 19
Unto the woman he said, I will greatly multiply thy sorrow and thy conception; in sorrow thou shalt bring forth children; and thy desire shall be to thy husband, and he shall rule over thee.
Genesis 3.16
In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread, till thou return unto the ground; for out of it wast thou taken: for dust thou art, and unto dust shalt thou return.
Genesis 3.19
Because thou hast done this thou art cursed above all cattle and every beast of the field; upon thy belly shalt thou go, and dust shalt thou eat all the days of thy life.
Genesis 3.14

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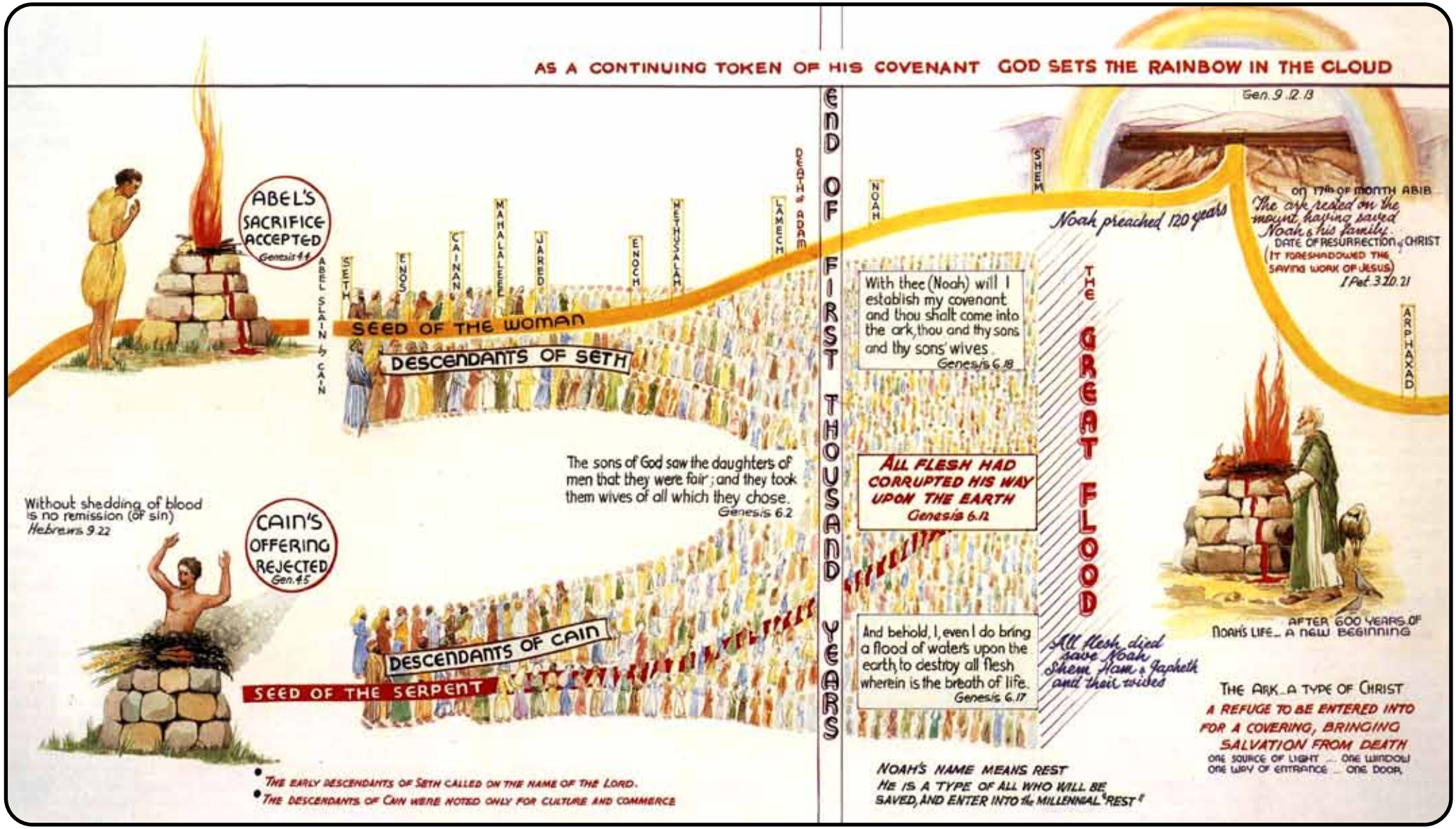
AS A CONTINUING TOKEN OF HIS COVENANT GOD SETS THE RAINBOW IN THE CLOUD
Gen. 9.12.13
ABEL'S SACRIFICE ACCEPTED
Genesis 4.4
ABEL SLAIN BY CAIN
SETH
ENOS
CAINAN
MAHALALEEL
JARED
ENOCH
METHUSALAH
LAMECH
DEATH OF ADAM
SEED OF THE WOMAN
DESCENDANTS OF SETH
The sons of God saw the daughters of men that they were fair; and they took them wives of all which they chose.
Genesis 6.2
Without shedding of blood is no remission (of sin)
Hebrews 9.22
CAIN'S OFFERING REJECTED
Gen. 4.5
DESCENDANTS OF CAIN
SEED OF THE SERPENT
THE EARLY DESCENDANTS OF SETH CALLED ON THE NAME OF THE LORD.
THE DESCENDANTS OF CAIN WERE NOTED ONLY FOR CULTURE AND COMMERCE
END OF FIRST THOUSAND YEARS
NOAH
SHEM
Noah preached 120 years
With thee (Noah) will I establish my covenant and thou shalt come into the ark, thou and thy sons and thy sons' wives.
Genesis 6.18
ALL FLESH HAD CORRUPTED HIS WAY UPON THE EARTH
Genesis 6.12
And behold, I, even I do bring a flood of waters upon the earth, to destroy all flesh wherein is the breath of life.
Genesis 6.17
THE GREAT FLOOD
All flesh died save Noah Shem Ham & Japheth and their wives
NOAH'S NAME MEANS REST
HE IS A TYPE OF ALL WHO WILL BE SAVED, AND ENTER INTO the MILLENNIAL "REST"
ON 17th OF MONTH ABIB
The ark rested on the mount, having saved Noah & his family.
DATE OF RESURRECTION of CHRIST
(IT FORESHADOWED THE SAVING WORK OF JESUS)
I Pet. 3.20.21
ARPHAXAD
AFTER 600 YEARS OF NOAH'S LIFE... A NEW BEGINNING
THE ARK... A TYPE OF CHRIST
A REFUGE TO BE ENTERED INTO FOR A COVERING, BRINGING SALVATION FROM DEATH
ONE SOURCE OF LIGHT ... ONE WINDOW
ONE WAY OF ENTRANCE ... ONE DOOR.

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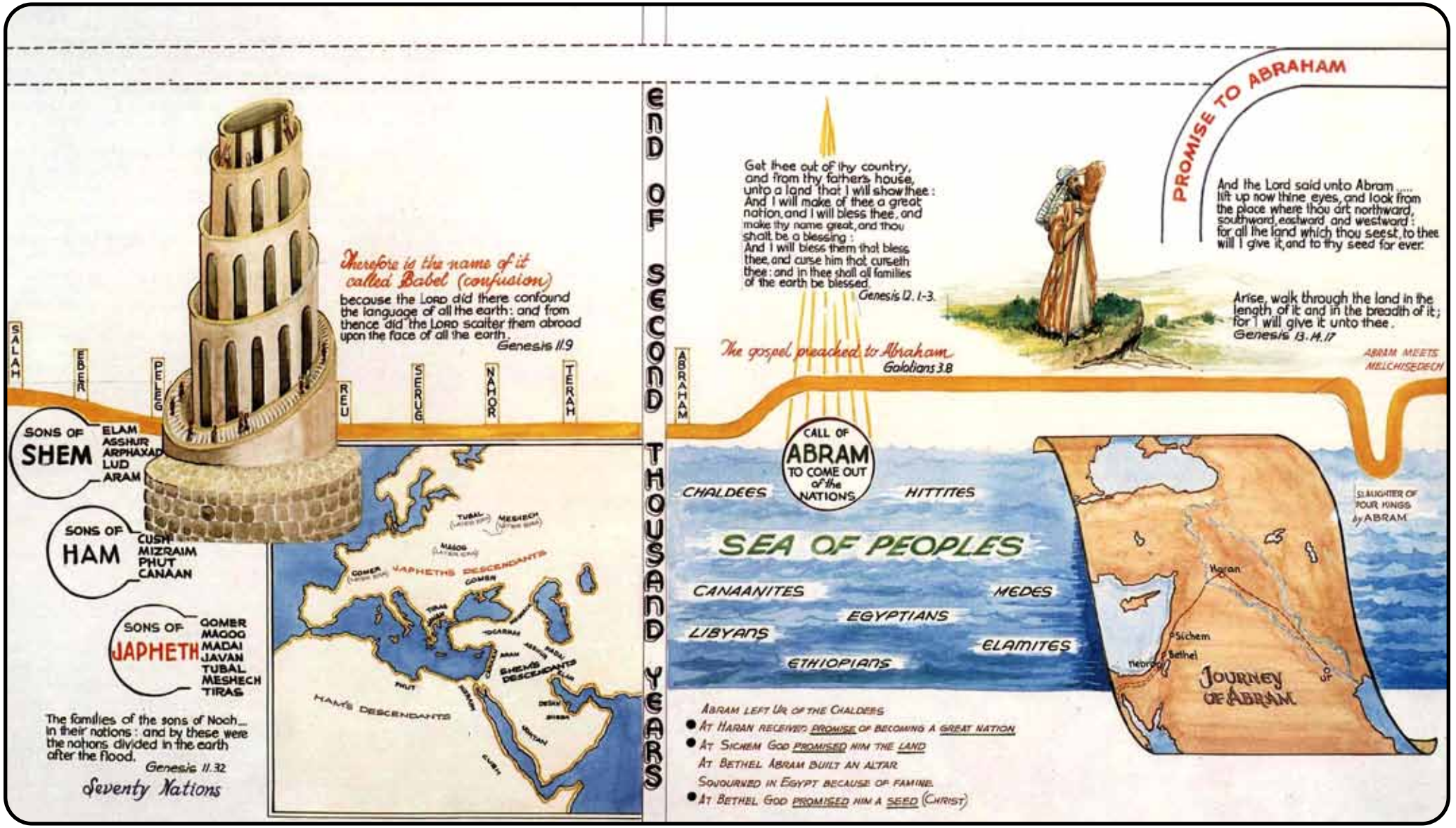
SALAH
EBER
PELEG
REU
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NAHOR
TERAH
ABRAHAM
SONS OF SHEM
ELAM
ASSHUR
ARPHAXAD
LUD
ARAM
SONS OF HAM
CUSH
MIZRAIM
PHUT
CANAAN
SONS OF JAPHETH
GOMER
MAGOG
MADAI
JAVAN
TUBAL
MESHECH
TIRAS
The families of the sons of Noah... in their nations: and by these were the nations divided in the earth after the flood.
Genesis 11.32
Seventy Nations
Therefore is the name of it called Babel (confusion)
because the LORD did there confound the language of all the earth: and from thence did the LORD scatter them abroad upon the face of all the earth.
Genesis 11.9
JAPHETHS DESCENDANTS
SHEMS DESCENDANTS
HAMS DESCENDANTS
SEED OF SECOND THOUSAND YEARS
Get thee out of thy country, and from thy father's house, unto a land that I will show thee: And I will make of thee a great nation, and I will bless thee, and make thy name great, and thou shalt be a blessing: And I will bless them that bless thee, and curse him that curseth thee: and in thee shall all families of the earth be blessed.
Genesis 12. 1-3.
The gospel preached to Abraham
Galatians 3.8
CALL OF ABRAM TO COME OUT of the NATIONS
CHALDEES
HITTITES
SEA OF PEOPLES
CANAANITES
MEDES
EGYPTIANS
LIBYANS
ELAMITES
ETHIOPIANS
PROMISE TO ABRAHAM
And the Lord said unto Abram ..... lift up now thine eyes, and look from the place where thou art northward, southward, eastward and westward: for all the land which thou seest, to thee will I give it, and to thy seed for ever.
Arise, walk through the land in the length of it and in the breadth of it; for I will give it unto thee.
Genesis 13. 14. 17
ABRAM MEETS MELCHISEDECH
SLAUGHTER OF FOUR KINGS by ABRAM
Haran
Sichem
Bethel
Hebron
JOURNEY OF ABRAM
ABRAM LEFT UR OF THE CHALDEES
AT HARAN RECEIVED PROMISE OF BECOMING A GREAT NATION
AT SICHEM GOD PROMISED HIM THE LAND
AT BETHEL ABRAM BUILT AN ALTAR
SOJOURNED IN EGYPT BECAUSE OF FAMINE
AT BETHEL GOD PROMISED HIM A SEED (CHRIST)

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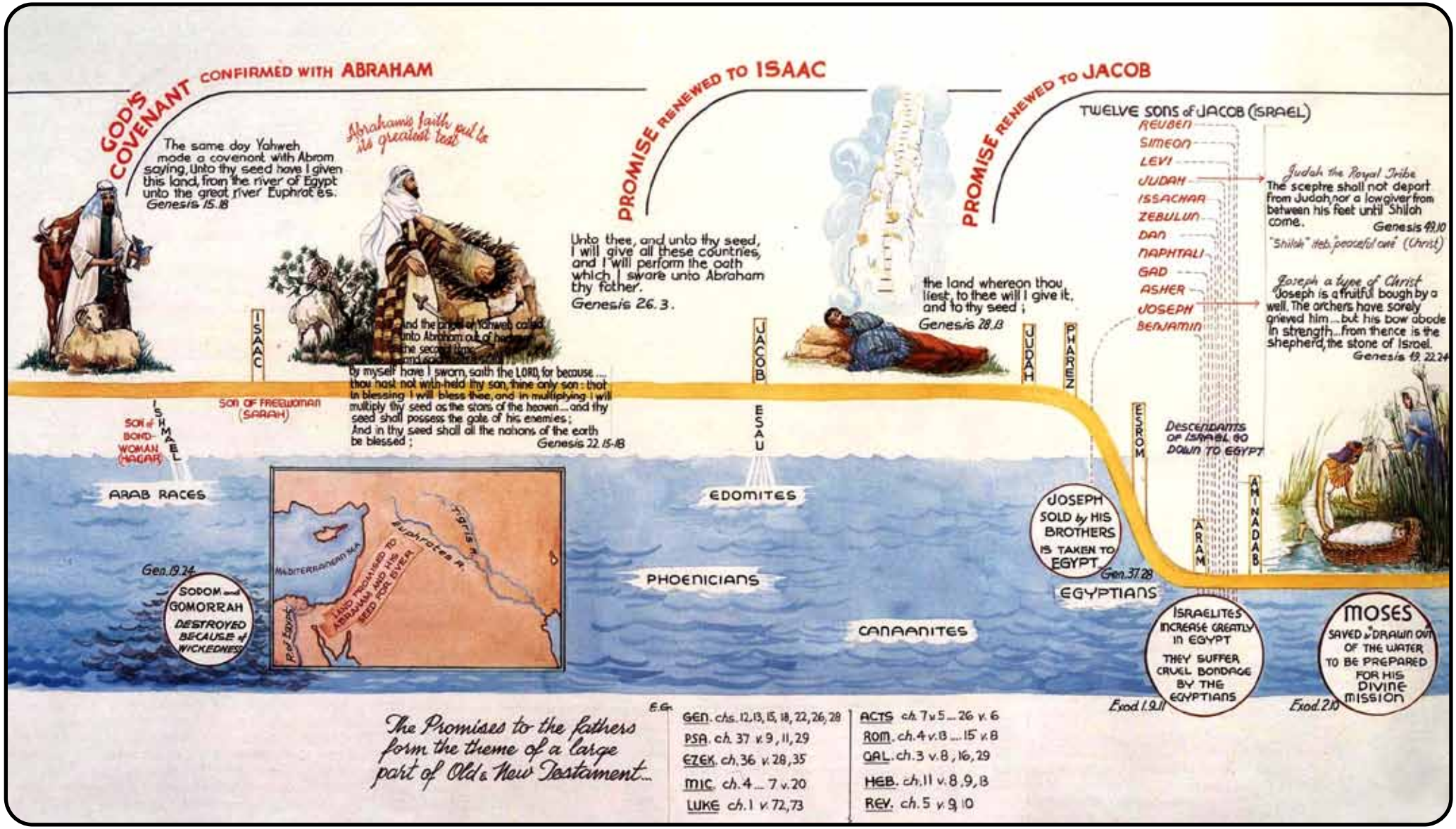
GOD'S COVENANT CONFIRMED WITH ABRAHAM
The same day Yahweh made a covenant with Abram saying, Unto thy seed have I given this land, from the river of Egypt unto the great river Euphrates. Genesis 15.18
Abraham's faith put to its greatest test
ISAAC
SON OF FREEWOMAN (SARAH)
SON of BONDWOMAN (HAGAR)
ISHMAEL
ARAB RACES
by myself have I sworn, saith the LORD, for because ... thou hast not withheld thy son, thine only son: that in blessing I will bless thee, and in multiplying I will multiply thy seed as the stars of the heaven ... and thy seed shall possess the gate of his enemies; And in thy seed shall all the nations of the earth be blessed; Genesis 22.15-18
PROMISE RENEWED TO ISAAC
Unto thee, and unto thy seed, I will give all these countries, and I will perform the oath which I sware unto Abraham thy father. Genesis 26.3.
JACOB
ESAU
EDOMITES
PHOENICIANS
CANAANITES
Gen. 19.24
SODOM and GOMORRAH DESTROYED BECAUSE of WICKEDNESS
MEDITERRANEAN SEA
Euphrates R.
Tigris R.
R. of Egypt
LAND PROMISED TO ABRAHAM AND HIS SEED FOR EVER
PROMISE RENEWED TO JACOB
the land whereon thou liest, to thee will I give it, and to thy seed; Genesis 28.13
TWELVE SONS of JACOB (ISRAEL)
REUBEN
SIMEON
LEVI
JUDAH
ISSACHAR
ZEBULUN
DAN
NAPHTALI
GAD
ASHER
JOSEPH
BENJAMIN
Judah the Royal Tribe
The sceptre shall not depart from Judah, nor a lawgiver from between his feet until Shiloh come. Genesis 49.10
"Shiloh" Heb. peaceful one (Christ)
Joseph a type of Christ
Joseph is a fruitful bough by a well. The archers have sorely grieved him ... but his bow abode in strength ... from thence is the shepherd, the stone of Israel. Genesis 49.22-24
JUDAH
PHAREZ
ESROM
ARAM
AMINADAB
Descendants of Israel go down to Egypt
JOSEPH SOLD by HIS BROTHERS IS TAKEN TO EGYPT Gen. 37.28
EGYPTIANS
ISRAELITES INCREASE GREATLY IN EGYPT THEY SUFFER CRUEL BONDAGE BY THE EGYPTIANS Exod. 1.9,11
MOSES SAVED & DRAWN OUT OF THE WATER TO BE PREPARED FOR HIS DIVINE MISSION Exod. 2.10
The Promises to the fathers form the theme of a large part of Old & New Testament...
E.G.
GEN. chs. 12, 13, 15, 18, 22, 26, 28
PSA. ch. 37 v. 9, 11, 29
EZEK. ch. 36 v. 28, 35
MIC. ch. 4 ... 7 v. 20
LUKE ch. 1 v. 72, 73
ACTS ch. 7 v. 5 ... 26 v. 6
ROM. ch. 4 v. 13 ... 15 v. 8
GAL. ch. 3 v. 8, 16, 29
HEB. ch. 11 v. 8, 9, 13
REV. ch. 5 v. 9, 10

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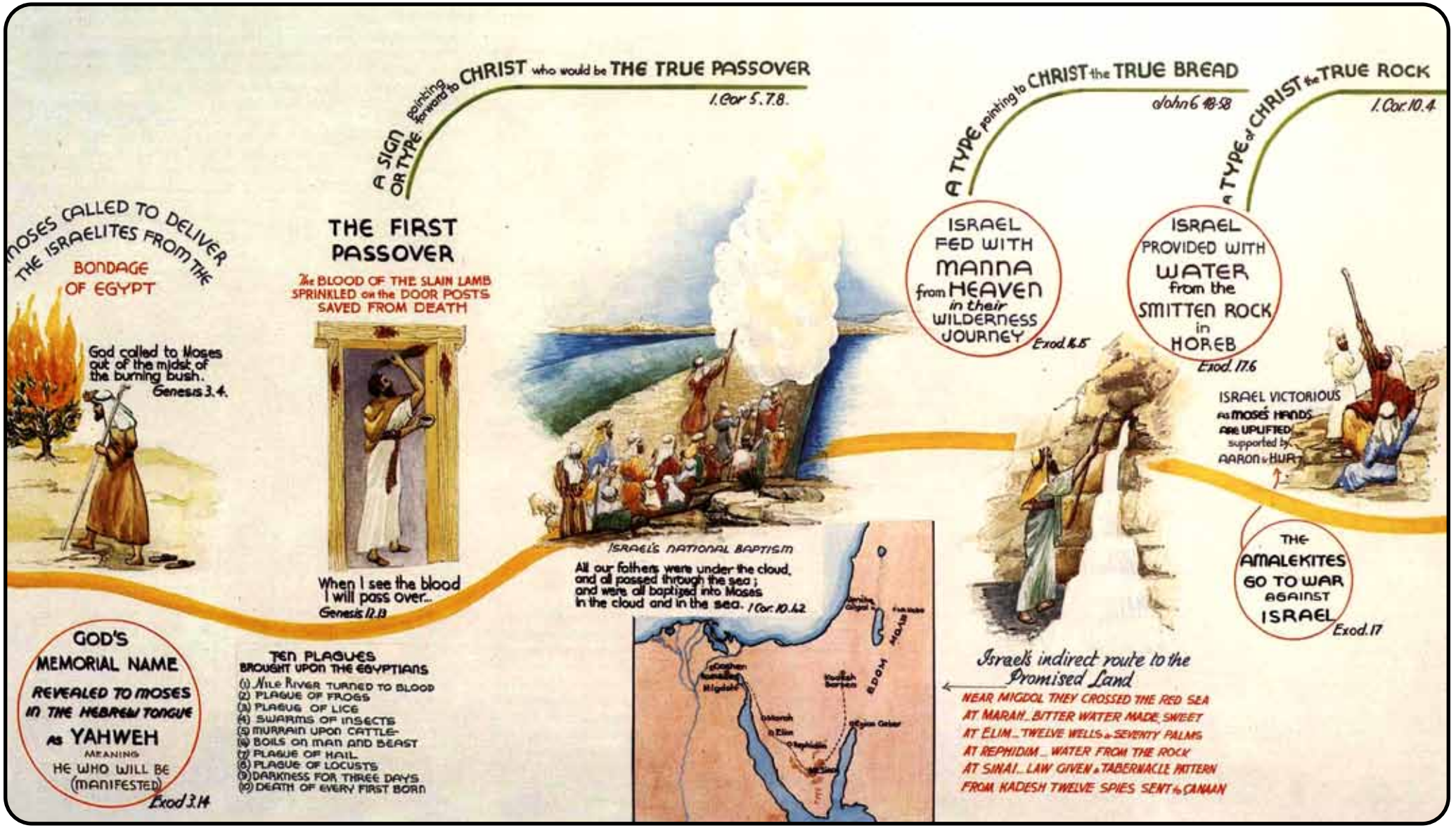
A SIGN OR TYPE pointing forward to CHRIST who would be THE TRUE PASSOVER
1. Cor 5. 7. 8.
A TYPE pointing to CHRIST the TRUE BREAD
John 6 48-58
A TYPE of CHRIST the TRUE ROCK
1. Cor. 10. 4
MOSES CALLED TO DELIVER THE ISRAELITES FROM THE BONDAGE OF EGYPT
God called to Moses out of the midst of the burning bush.
Genesis 3. 4.
THE FIRST PASSOVER
The BLOOD OF THE SLAIN LAMB SPRINKLED on the DOOR POSTS SAVED FROM DEATH
When I see the blood I will pass over...
Genesis 12. 13
ISRAEL'S NATIONAL BAPTISM
All our fathers were under the cloud, and all passed through the sea; and were all baptized into Moses in the cloud and in the sea. 1 Cor. 10. 1-2
ISRAEL FED WITH MANNA from HEAVEN in their WILDERNESS JOURNEY
Exod. 16. 15
ISRAEL PROVIDED WITH WATER from the SMITTEN ROCK in HOREB
Exod. 17. 6
ISRAEL VICTORIOUS AS MOSES' HANDS ARE UPLIFTED supported by AARON & HUR
THE AMALEKITES GO TO WAR AGAINST ISRAEL
Exod. 17
GOD'S MEMORIAL NAME REVEALED TO MOSES IN THE HEBREW TONGUE AS YAHWEH MEANING HE WHO WILL BE (MANIFESTED)
Exod 3. 14
TEN PLAGUES BROUGHT UPON THE EGYPTIANS
(1) NILE RIVER TURNED TO BLOOD
(2) PLAGUE OF FROGS
(3) PLAGUE OF LICE
(4) SWARMS OF INSECTS
(5) MURRAIN UPON CATTLE
(6) BOILS ON MAN AND BEAST
(7) PLAGUE OF HAIL
(8) PLAGUE OF LOCUSTS
(9) DARKNESS FOR THREE DAYS
(10) DEATH OF EVERY FIRST BORN
Israel's indirect route to the Promised Land
NEAR MIGDOL THEY CROSSED THE RED SEA
AT MARAH... BITTER WATER MADE SWEET
AT ELIM... TWELVE WELLS & SEVENTY PALMS
AT REPHIDIM... WATER FROM THE ROCK
AT SINAI... LAW GIVEN & TABERNACLE PATTERN
FROM KADESH TWELVE SPIES SENT to CANAAN
EDOM
MOAB

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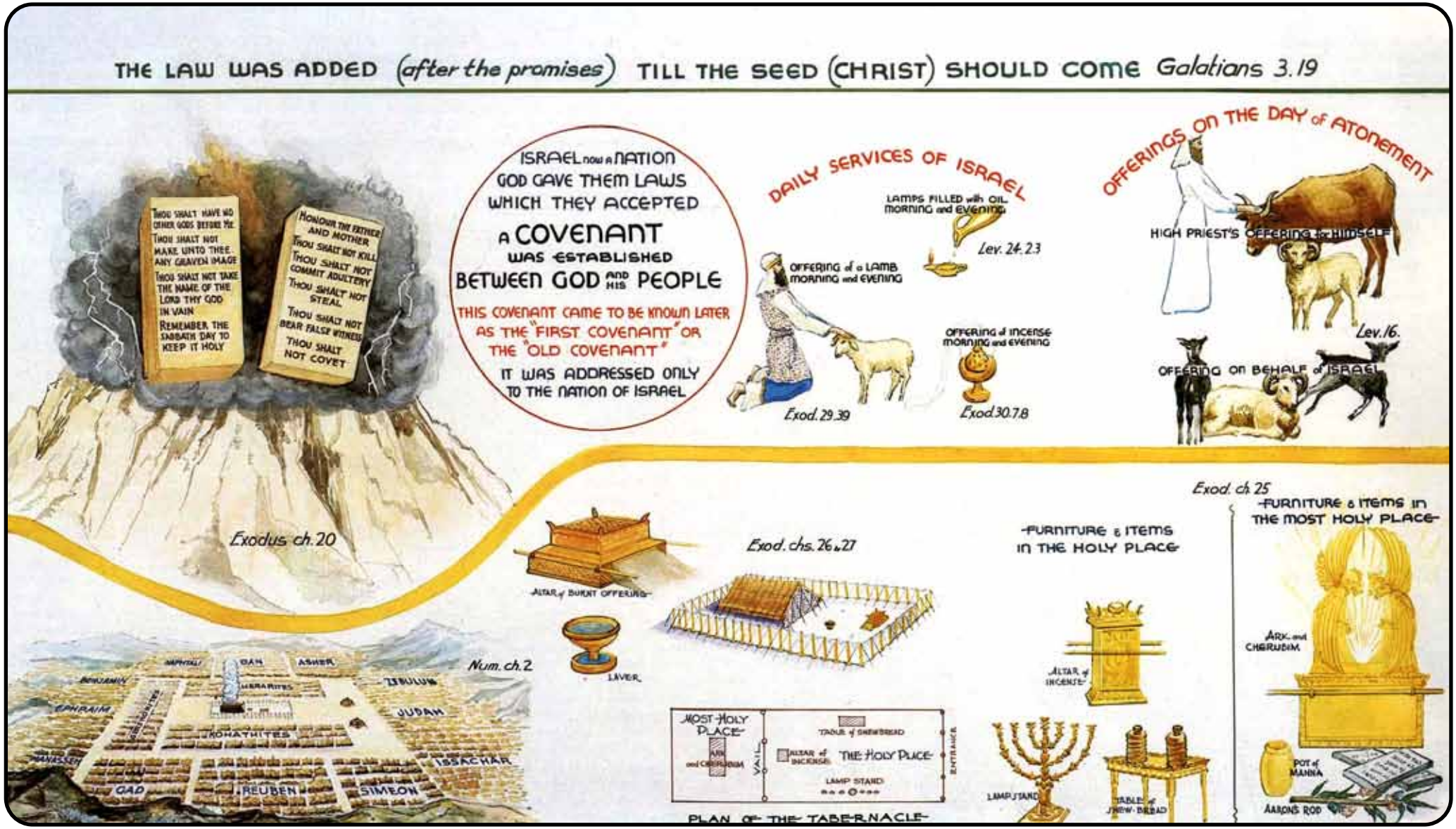
THE LAW WAS ADDED (after the promises) TILL THE SEED (CHRIST) SHOULD COME Galatians 3.19
THOU SHALT HAVE NO OTHER GODS BEFORE ME.
THOU SHALT NOT MAKE UNTO THEE ANY GRAVEN IMAGE
THOU SHALT NOT TAKE THE NAME OF THE LORD THY GOD IN VAIN
REMEMBER THE SABBATH DAY TO KEEP IT HOLY
HONOUR THY FATHER AND MOTHER
THOU SHALT NOT KILL
THOU SHALT NOT COMMIT ADULTERY
THOU SHALT NOT STEAL
THOU SHALT NOT BEAR FALSE WITNESS
THOU SHALT NOT COVET
Exodus ch. 20
ISRAEL now a NATION
GOD GAVE THEM LAWS
WHICH THEY ACCEPTED
A COVENANT
WAS ESTABLISHED
BETWEEN GOD AND HIS PEOPLE
THIS COVENANT CAME TO BE KNOWN LATER AS THE "FIRST COVENANT" OR THE "OLD COVENANT"
IT WAS ADDRESSED ONLY TO THE NATION OF ISRAEL
DAILY SERVICES OF ISRAEL
LAMPS FILLED with OIL MORNING and EVENING
Lev. 24.2.3
OFFERING of a LAMB MORNING and EVENING
Exod. 29.39
OFFERING of INCENSE MORNING and EVENING
Exod. 30.7.8
OFFERINGS ON THE DAY of ATONEMENT
HIGH PRIEST'S OFFERING for HIMSELF
Lev. 16.
OFFERING ON BEHALF of ISRAEL
Exod. ch. 25
FURNITURE & ITEMS IN THE MOST HOLY PLACE
ARK and CHERUBIM
POT of MANNA
AARONS ROD
Exod. chs. 26 & 27
ALTAR of BURNT OFFERING
LAVER
FURNITURE & ITEMS IN THE HOLY PLACE
ALTAR of INCENSE
LAMP STAND
TABLE of SHEW-BREAD
Num. ch. 2
DAN
ASHER
ZEBULUN
JUDAH
EPHRAIM
MANASSEH
ISSACHAR
GAD
REUBEN
SIMEON
MOST HOLY PLACE
ARK and CHERUBIM
VAIL
TABLE of SHEW-BREAD
ALTAR of INCENSE
THE HOLY PLACE
LAMP STAND
ENTRANCE
PLAN OF THE TABERNACLE

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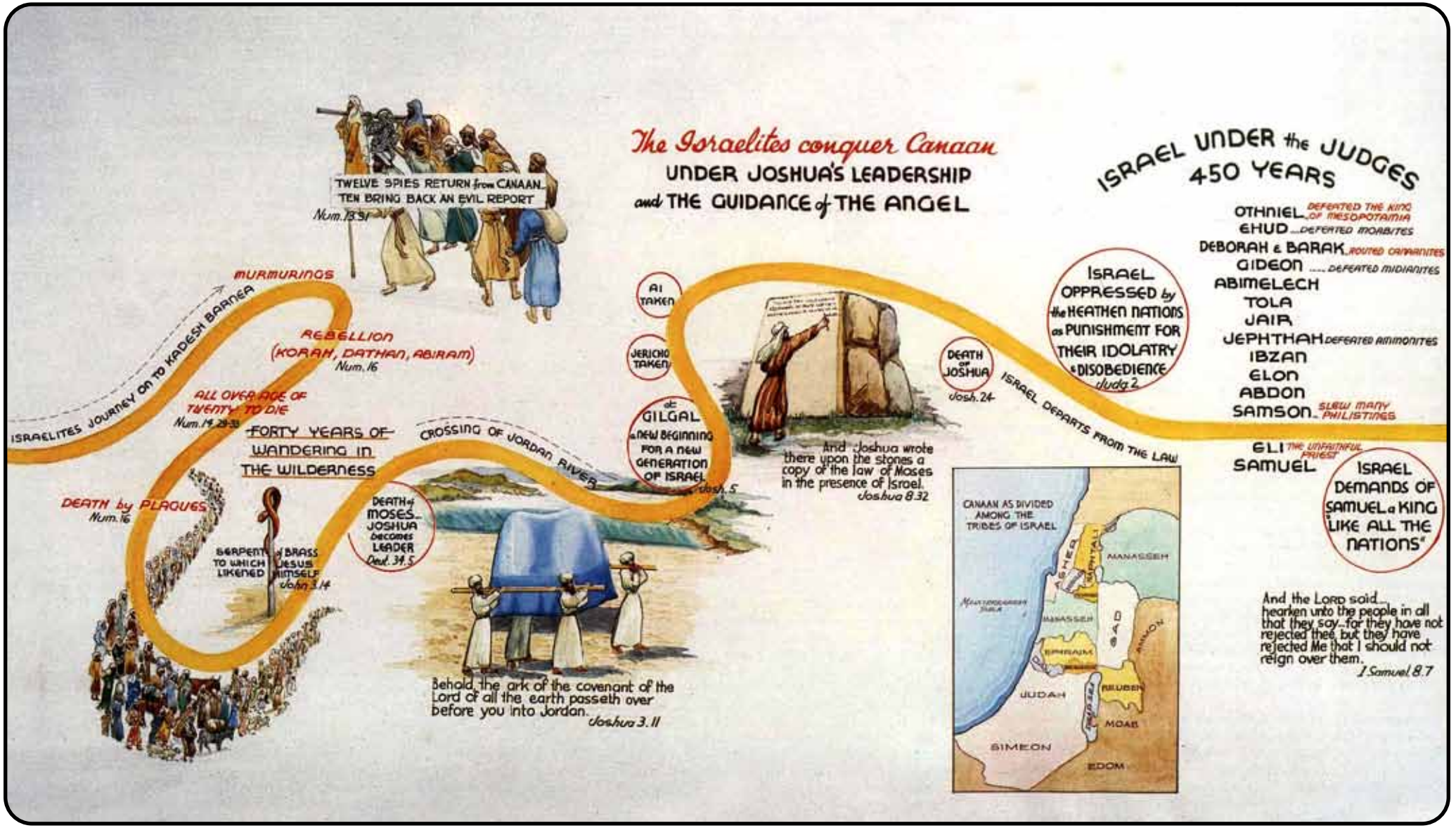
TWELVE SPIES RETURN from CANAAN
TEN BRING BACK AN EVIL REPORT
Num. 13.31
MURMURINGS
ISRAELITES JOURNEY ON TO KADESH BARNEA
REBELLION
(KORAH, DATHAN, ABIRAM)
Num. 16
ALL OVER AGE OF TWENTY TO DIE
Num. 14. 29-33
FORTY YEARS OF WANDERING IN THE WILDERNESS
DEATH by PLAGUES
Num. 16
SERPENT of BRASS TO WHICH JESUS HIMSELF LIKENED
John 3.14
CROSSING OF JORDAN RIVER
DEATH of MOSES. JOSHUA becomes LEADER
Deut. 34.5
Behold, the ark of the covenant of the Lord of all the earth passeth over before you into Jordan.
Joshua 3.11
The Israelites conquer Canaan
UNDER JOSHUA'S LEADERSHIP
and THE GUIDANCE of THE ANGEL
AI TAKEN
JERICHO TAKEN
at GILGAL a NEW BEGINNING FOR A NEW GENERATION OF ISRAEL
Josh. 5
And Joshua wrote there upon the stones a copy of the law of Moses in the presence of Israel.
Joshua 8.32
DEATH of JOSHUA
Josh. 24
ISRAEL DEPARTS FROM THE LAW
ISRAEL OPPRESSED by the HEATHEN NATIONS as PUNISHMENT FOR THEIR IDOLATRY & DISOBEDIENCE
Judg. 2
CANAAN AS DIVIDED AMONG THE TRIBES OF ISRAEL
ASHER
NAPHTALI
MANASSEH
ISSACHAR
GAD
AMMON
EPHRAIM
REUBEN
JUDAH
MOAB
SIMEON
EDOM
ISRAEL UNDER the JUDGES
450 YEARS
OTHNIEL DEFEATED THE KING OF MESOPOTAMIA
EHUD DEFEATED MOABITES
DEBORAH & BARAK ROUTED CANAANITES
GIDEON DEFEATED MIDIANITES
ABIMELECH
TOLA
JAIR
JEPHTHAH DEFEATED AMMONITES
IBZAN
ELON
ABDON
SAMSON SLEW MANY PHILISTINES
ELI THE UNFAITHFUL PRIEST
SAMUEL
ISRAEL DEMANDS OF SAMUEL a KING "LIKE ALL THE NATIONS"
And the LORD said... hearken unto the people in all that they say...for they have not rejected thee, but they have rejected Me that I should not reign over them.
1 Samuel 8.7

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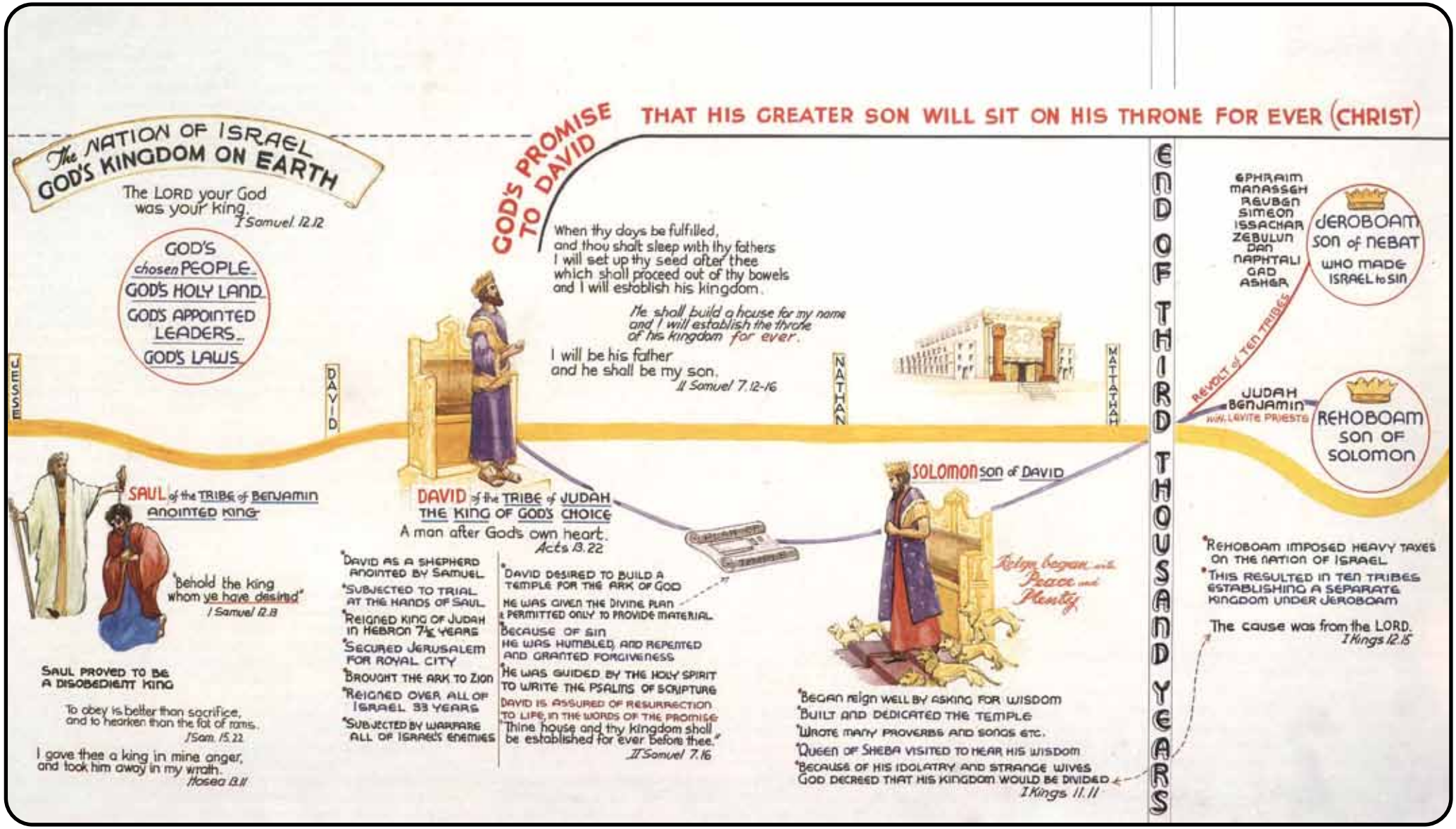
The NATION OF ISRAEL
GOD'S KINGDOM ON EARTH
The LORD your God was your king.
I Samuel 12.12
GOD'S chosen PEOPLE
GOD'S HOLY LAND
GOD'S APPOINTED LEADERS
GOD'S LAWS
GOD'S PROMISE TO DAVID
THAT HIS GREATER SON WILL SIT ON HIS THRONE FOR EVER (CHRIST)
When thy days be fulfilled, and thou shalt sleep with thy fathers I will set up thy seed after thee which shall proceed out of thy bowels and I will establish his kingdom.
He shall build a house for my name and I will establish the throne of his kingdom for ever.
I will be his father and he shall be my son.
II Samuel 7.12-16
MIRIAM
DAVID
NATHAN
MATTATHAH
END OF THIRD THOUSAND YEARS
SAUL of the TRIBE of BENJAMIN ANOINTED KING
"Behold the king whom ye have desired"
I Samuel 12.13
SAUL PROVED TO BE A DISOBEDIENT KING
To obey is better than sacrifice, and to hearken than the fat of rams.
I Sam. 15.22
I gave thee a king in mine anger, and took him away in my wrath.
Hosea 13.11
DAVID of the TRIBE of JUDAH THE KING OF GOD'S CHOICE
A man after God's own heart.
Acts 13.22
*DAVID AS A SHEPHERD ANOINTED BY SAMUEL
*SUBJECTED TO TRIAL AT THE HANDS OF SAUL
*REIGNED KING OF JUDAH IN HEBRON 7½ YEARS
*SECURED JERUSALEM FOR ROYAL CITY
*BROUGHT THE ARK TO ZION
*REIGNED OVER ALL OF ISRAEL 33 YEARS
*SUBJECTED BY WARFARE ALL OF ISRAEL'S ENEMIES
*DAVID DESIRED TO BUILD A TEMPLE FOR THE ARK OF GOD
HE WAS GIVEN THE DIVINE PLAN & PERMITTED ONLY TO PROVIDE MATERIAL
*BECAUSE OF SIN HE WAS HUMBLED, AND REPENTED AND GRANTED FORGIVENESS
*HE WAS GUIDED BY THE HOLY SPIRIT TO WRITE THE PSALMS OF SCRIPTURE
DAVID IS ASSURED OF RESURRECTION TO LIFE, IN THE WORDS OF THE PROMISE
"Thine house and thy kingdom shall be established for ever before thee."
II Samuel 7.16
SOLOMON SON of DAVID
Reign began with Peace and Plenty
*BEGAN REIGN WELL BY ASKING FOR WISDOM
*BUILT AND DEDICATED THE TEMPLE
*WROTE MANY PROVERBS AND SONGS ETC.
*QUEEN OF SHEBA VISITED TO HEAR HIS WISDOM
*BECAUSE OF HIS IDOLATRY AND STRANGE WIVES GOD DECREED THAT HIS KINGDOM WOULD BE DIVIDED
I Kings 11.11
EPHRAIM
MANASSEH
REUBEN
SIMEON
ISSACHAR
ZEBULUN
DAN
NAPHTALI
GAD
ASHER
JEROBOAM SON of NEBAT WHO MADE ISRAEL to SIN
REVOLT of TEN TRIBES
JUDAH
BENJAMIN
with LEVITE PRIESTS
REHOBOAM SON OF SOLOMON
*REHOBOAM IMPOSED HEAVY TAXES ON THE NATION OF ISRAEL
*THIS RESULTED IN TEN TRIBES ESTABLISHING A SEPARATE KINGDOM UNDER JEROBOAM
The cause was from the LORD.
I Kings 12.15

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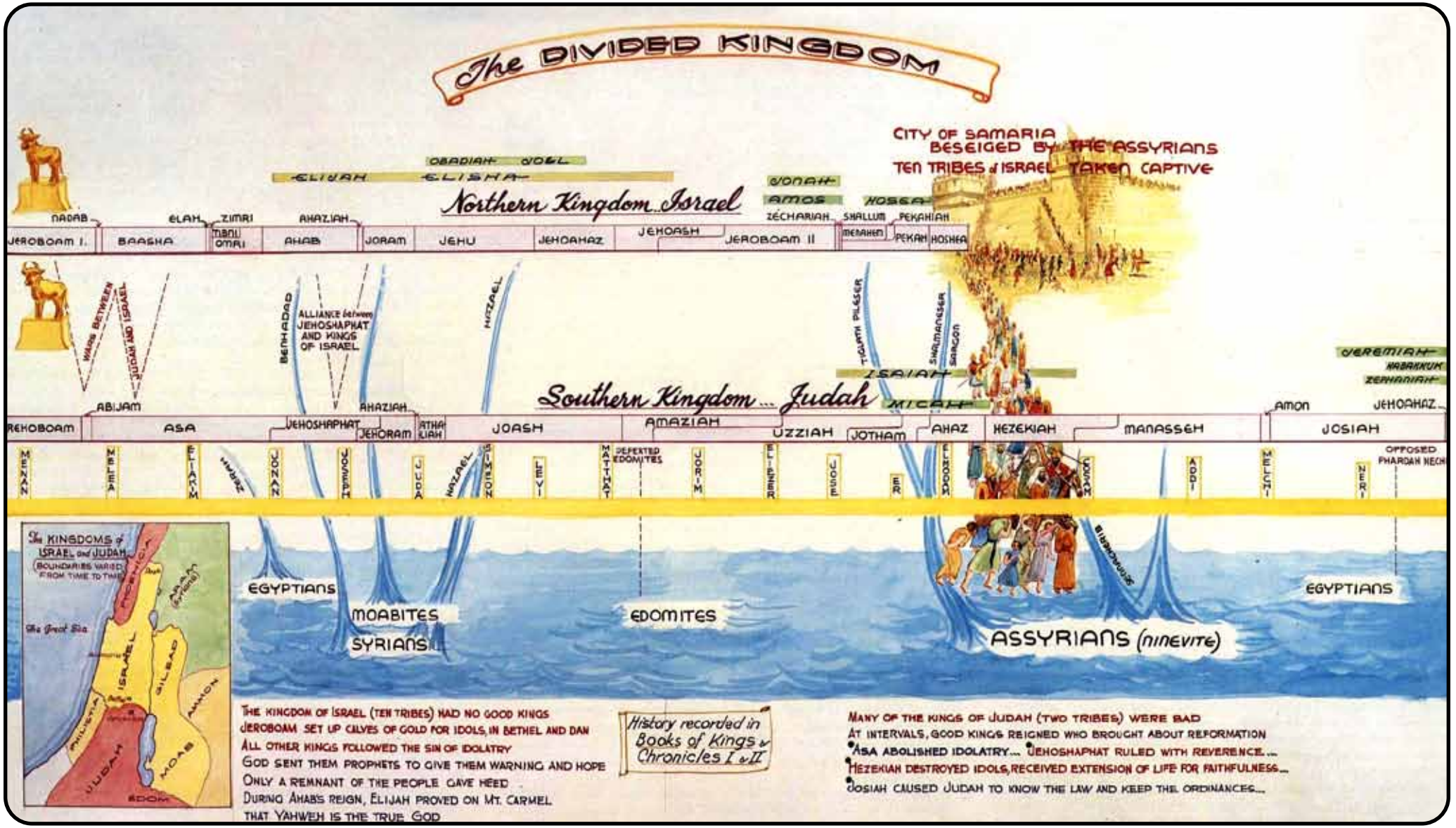
The DIVIDED KINGDOM
CITY OF SAMARIA BESEIGED BY THE ASSYRIANS
TEN TRIBES of ISRAEL TAKEN CAPTIVE
OBADIAH JOEL
ELIJAH ELISHA
Northern Kingdom Israel
JONAH
AMOS HOSEA
ZECHARIAH SHALLUM PEKAHIAH
NADAB ELAH ZIMRI AHAZIAH
JEROBOAM I. BAASHA TIBNI OMRI AHAB JORAM JEHU JEHOAHAZ JEHOASH JEROBOAM II MENAHEM PEKAH HOSHEA
WARS BETWEEN JUDAH AND ISRAEL
BENHADAD
ALLIANCE between JEHOSHAPHAT AND KINGS OF ISRAEL
HAZAEL
TIGLATH PILESER
SHALMANESER
SARGON
ISAIAH
MICAH
JEREMIAH
HABAKKUK
ZEPHANIAH
Southern Kingdom ... Judah
ABIJAM AHAZIAH
REHOBOAM ASA JEHOSHAPHAT JEHORAM ATHALIAH JOASH AMAZIAH UZZIAH JOTHAM AHAZ HEZEKIAH MANASSEH AMON JOSIAH JEHOAHAZ
MINAM MIBHAR ELIAKIM ZABBAN ZACCUR SHIMEAH JUDA HAZAEL SHIMRON MATTHAT DEFEATED EDOMITES JORAM AHAZIAH JEHOAHAZ JOTHAM ADDI MERI-MOTH OPPOSED PHARAOH NECHO
The KINGDOMS of ISRAEL and JUDAH
(BOUNDARIES VARIED FROM TIME TO TIME)
PHOENICIA
ARAM (SYRIA)
The Great Sea
ISRAEL
GILEAD
AMMON
PHILISTIA
JUDAH
MOAB
EDOM
EGYPTIANS
MOABITES
SYRIANS
EDOMITES
ASSYRIANS (NINEVITE)
SENNACHERIB
EGYPTIANS
THE KINGDOM OF ISRAEL (TEN TRIBES) HAD NO GOOD KINGS
JEROBOAM SET UP CALVES OF GOLD FOR IDOLS, IN BETHEL AND DAN
ALL OTHER KINGS FOLLOWED THE SIN OF IDOLATRY
GOD SENT THEM PROPHETS TO GIVE THEM WARNING AND HOPE
ONLY A REMNANT OF THE PEOPLE GAVE HEED
DURING AHAB'S REIGN, ELIJAH PROVED ON MT. CARMEL
THAT YAHWEH IS THE TRUE GOD
History recorded in Books of Kings & Chronicles I & II
MANY OF THE KINGS OF JUDAH (TWO TRIBES) WERE BAD
AT INTERVALS, GOOD KINGS REIGNED WHO BROUGHT ABOUT REFORMATION
ASA ABOLISHED IDOLATRY... JEHOSHAPHAT RULED WITH REVERENCE...
HEZEKIAH DESTROYED IDOLS, RECEIVED EXTENSION OF LIFE FOR FAITHFULNESS...
JOSIAH CAUSED JUDAH TO KNOW THE LAW AND KEEP THE ORDINANCES...

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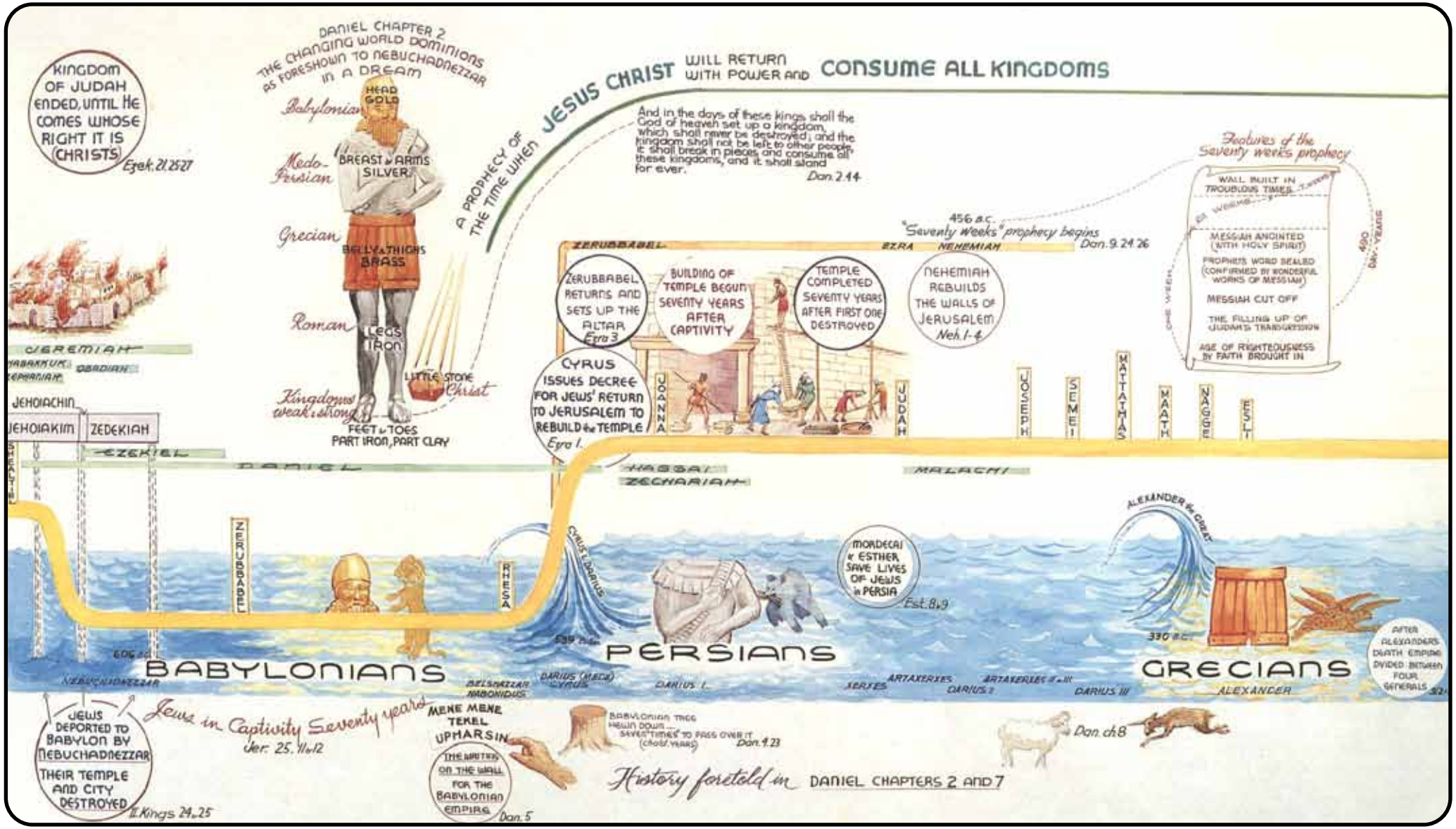
DANIEL CHAPTER 2
THE CHANGING WORLD DOMINIONS AS FORESHOWN TO NEBUCHADNEZZAR IN A DREAM
KINGDOM OF JUDAH ENDED, UNTIL HE COMES WHOSE RIGHT IT IS (CHRIST'S) Ezek. 21:25-27
A PROPHECY OF THE TIME WHEN JESUS CHRIST WILL RETURN WITH POWER AND CONSUME ALL KINGDOMS
And in the days of these kings shall the God of heaven set up a kingdom, which shall never be destroyed; and the kingdom shall not be left to other people, it shall break in pieces and consume all these kingdoms, and it shall stand for ever. Dan. 2:44
HEAD GOLD
Babylonian
BREAST & ARMS SILVER
Medo-Persian
Grecian
BELLY & THIGHS BRASS
Roman
LEGS IRON
LITTLE STONE
Christ
Kingdoms weak & strong
FEET & TOES PART IRON, PART CLAY
JEREMIAH
HABAKKUK
OBADIAH
ZEPHANIAH
JEHOIACHIN
JEHOIAKIM
ZEDEKIAH
EZEKIEL
DANIEL
ZERUBBABEL
RHESA
BABYLONIANS
NEBUCHADNEZZAR
JEWS DEPORTED TO BABYLON BY NEBUCHADNEZZAR
THEIR TEMPLE AND CITY DESTROYED
II Kings 24, 25
Jews in Captivity Seventy years
Jer. 25:11 & 12
MENE MENE TEKEL UPHARSIN
THE WRITING ON THE WALL FOR THE BABYLONIAN EMPIRE
Dan. 5
BELSHAZZAR
NABONIDUS
DARIUS (MEDE)
CYRUS
CYRUS & DARIUS
539 B.C.
PERSIANS
DARIUS I.
XERXES
ARTAXERXES
DARIUS II
ARTAXERXES II & III
DARIUS III
BABYLONIAN TREE HEWN DOWN — SEVEN TIMES TO PASS OVER IT (Chald. YEARS) Dan. 4:23
ZERUBBABEL
EZRA
NEHEMIAH
456 B.C. "Seventy Weeks" prophecy begins Dan. 9:24-26
ZERUBBABEL RETURNS AND SETS UP THE ALTAR Ezra 3
BUILDING OF TEMPLE BEGUN SEVENTY YEARS AFTER CAPTIVITY
TEMPLE COMPLETED SEVENTY YEARS AFTER FIRST ONE DESTROYED
NEHEMIAH REBUILDS THE WALLS OF JERUSALEM Neh. 1-4
CYRUS ISSUES DECREE FOR JEWS' RETURN TO JERUSALEM TO REBUILD THE TEMPLE Ezra 1.
JOANNA
JUDAH
HAGGAI
ZECHARIAH
MALACHI
JOSEPH
SEMEI
MATTATHIAS
MAATH
NAGGE
ESLI
MORDECAI & ESTHER SAVE LIVES OF JEWS IN PERSIA Est. 8 & 9
Features of the Seventy weeks prophecy
WALL BUILT IN TROUBLOUS TIMES
7 WEEKS
MESSIAH ANOINTED (WITH HOLY SPIRIT)
PROPHETS WORD SEALED (CONFIRMED BY WONDERFUL WORKS OF MESSIAH)
MESSIAH CUT OFF
THE FILLING UP OF JUDAH'S TRANSGRESSION
AGE OF RIGHTEOUSNESS BY FAITH BROUGHT IN
ONE WEEK
490 DAY-YEARS
ALEXANDER the GREAT
330 B.C.
GRECIANS
ALEXANDER
AFTER ALEXANDER'S DEATH EMPIRE DIVIDED BETWEEN FOUR GENERALS
Dan. ch 8
History foretold in DANIEL CHAPTERS 2 AND 7

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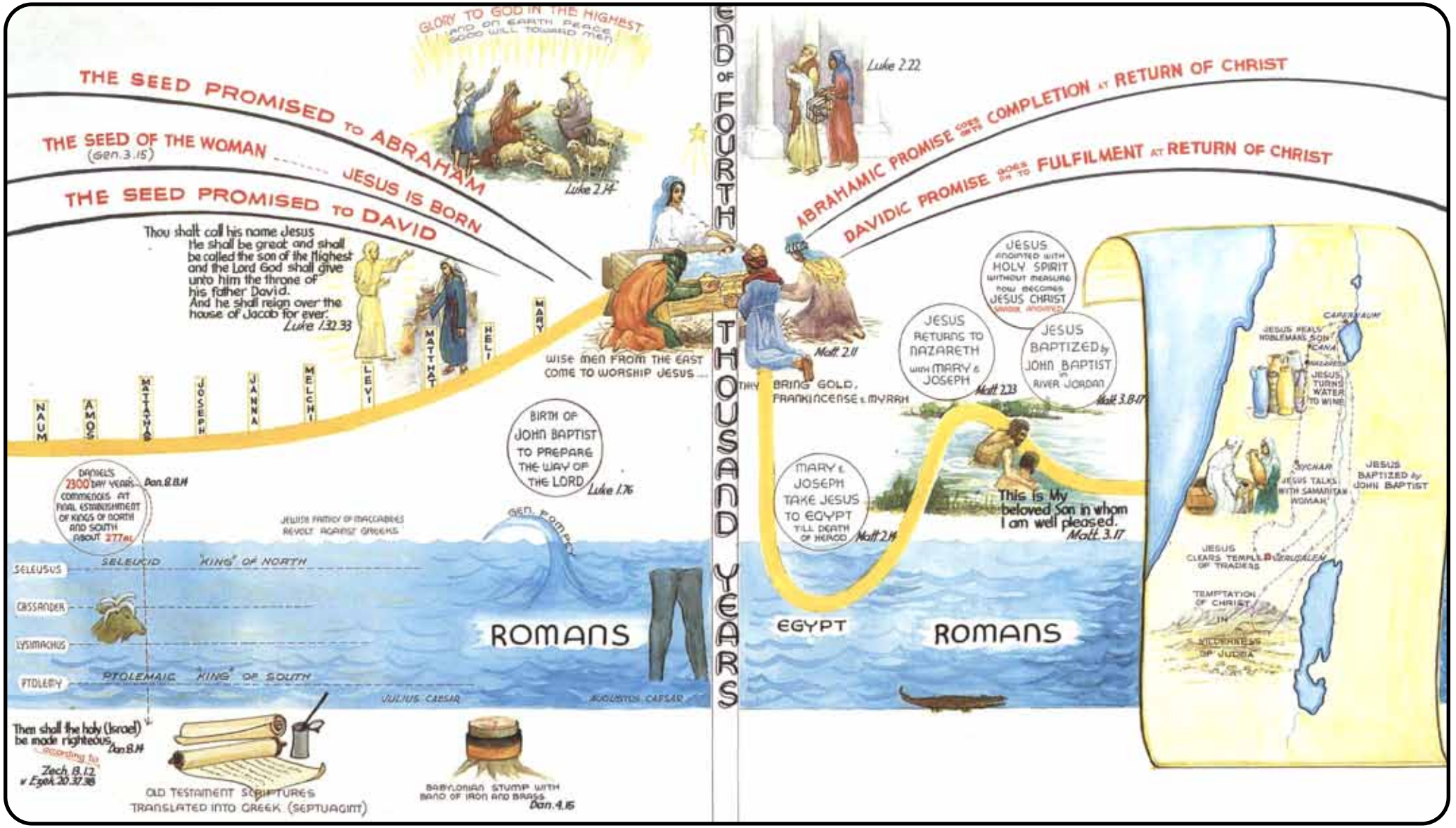
GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST AND ON EARTH PEACE GOOD WILL TOWARD MEN
Luke 2.14
Luke 2.22
THE SEED PROMISED TO ABRAHAM
THE SEED OF THE WOMAN (Gen. 3.15)
JESUS IS BORN
THE SEED PROMISED TO DAVID
ABRAHAMIC PROMISE GOES ON TO COMPLETION AT RETURN OF CHRIST
DAVIDIC PROMISE GOES ON TO FULFILMENT AT RETURN OF CHRIST
Thou shalt call his name Jesus
He shall be great and shall be called the son of the Highest and the Lord God shall give unto him the throne of his father David.
And he shall reign over the house of Jacob for ever.
Luke 1.32.33
NAUM
AMOS
MATTATHIAS
JOSEPH
JANNA
MELCHI
LEVI
MATTHAT
HELI
MARY
WISE MEN FROM THE EAST COME TO WORSHIP JESUS
Matt 2.11
BRING GOLD, FRANKINCENSE & MYRRH
BIRTH OF JOHN BAPTIST TO PREPARE THE WAY OF THE LORD
Luke 1.76
JESUS ANOINTED WITH HOLY SPIRIT WITHOUT MEASURE NOW BECOMES JESUS CHRIST
JESUS RETURNS TO NAZARETH WITH MARY & JOSEPH
Matt 2.23
JESUS BAPTIZED by JOHN BAPTIST IN RIVER JORDAN
Matt 3.8-17
DANIEL'S 2300 DAY YEARS COMMENCES AT FINAL ESTABLISHMENT OF KINGS OF NORTH AND SOUTH ABOUT 277 BC
Dan. 8.8.14
JEWISH FAMILY OF MACCABEES REVOLT AGAINST GREEKS
GEN. POMPEY
SELEUCUS
CASSANDER
LYSIMACHUS
PTOLEMY
SELEUCID "KING" OF NORTH
PTOLEMAIC "KING" OF SOUTH
JULIUS CAESAR
AUGUSTUS CAESAR
ROMANS
END OF FOURTH THOUSAND YEARS
MARY & JOSEPH TAKE JESUS TO EGYPT TILL DEATH OF HEROD
Matt 2.14
EGYPT
ROMANS
This is My beloved Son in whom I am well pleased.
Matt 3.17
CAPERNAUM
JESUS HEALS NOBLEMANS SON FROM CANA
NAZARETH
JESUS TURNS WATER TO WINE
SYCHAR
JESUS TALKS WITH SAMARITAN WOMAN
JESUS BAPTIZED by JOHN BAPTIST
JESUS CLEARS TEMPLE OF TRADERS
JERUSALEM
TEMPTATION OF CHRIST IN WILDERNESS OF JUDEA
Then shall the holy (Israel) be made righteous
Dan 8.14
according to
Zech. 8.12
v Ezek. 20.37.38
OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURES TRANSLATED INTO GREEK (SEPTUAGINT)
BABYLONIAN STUMP WITH BAND OF IRON AND BRASS
Dan. 4.15

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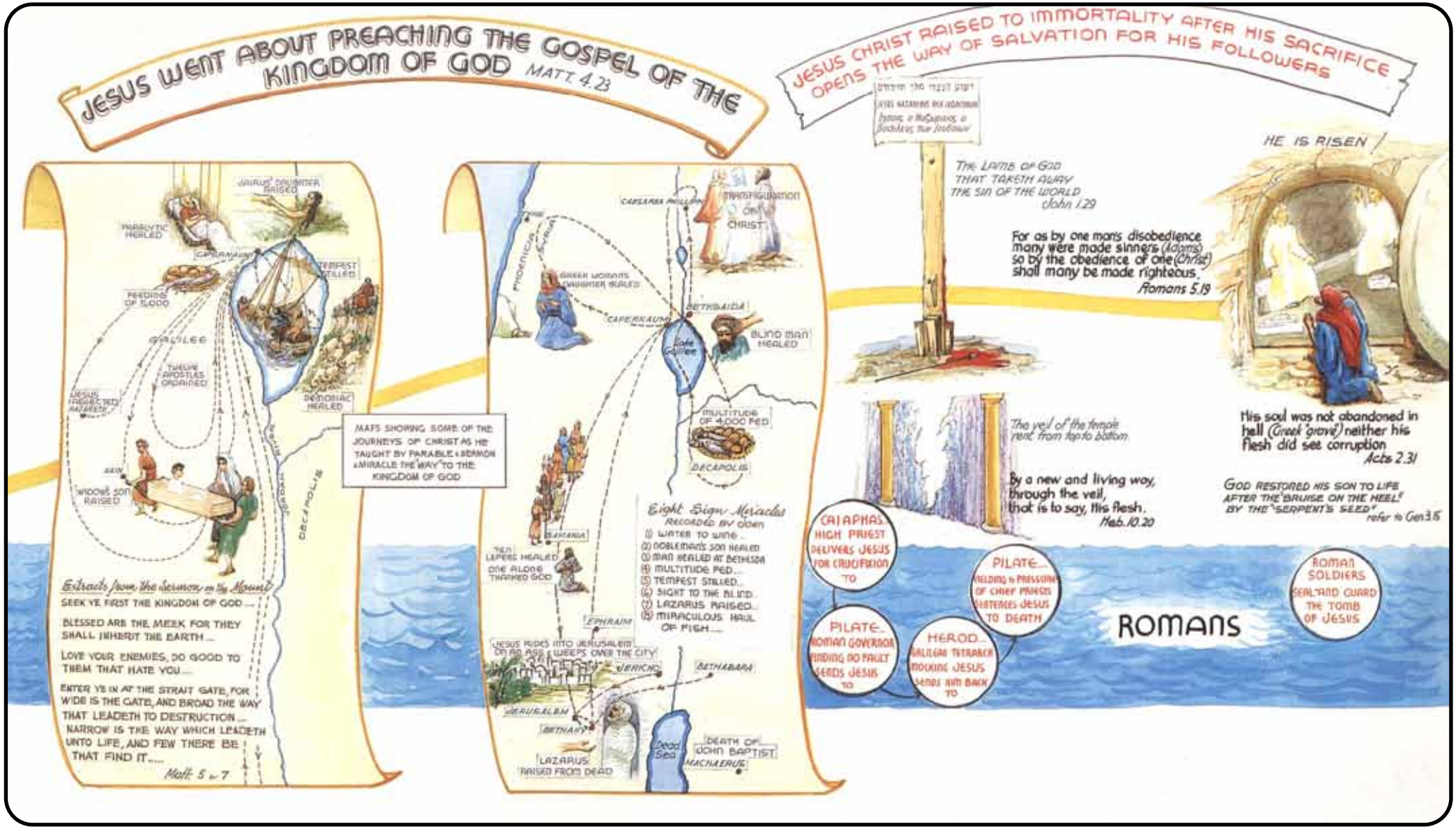
JESUS WENT ABOUT PREACHING THE GOSPEL OF THE KINGDOM OF GOD MATT. 4.23
JESUS CHRIST RAISED TO IMMORTALITY AFTER HIS SACRIFICE OPENS THE WAY OF SALVATION FOR HIS FOLLOWERS
JAIRUS' DAUGHTER RAISED
PARALYTIC HERLED
CAPERNAUM
TEMPEST STILLED
FEEDING OF 5,000
GALILEE
TWELVE APOSTLES ORDAINED
JESUS REJECTED AT NAZARETH
DEMONIAC HEALED
NAIN
WIDOW'S SON RAISED
DECAPOLIS
MAPS SHOWING SOME OF THE JOURNEYS OF CHRIST AS HE TAUGHT BY PARABLE & SERMON & MIRACLE THE WAY TO THE KINGDOM OF GOD
Extracts from the Sermon on the Mount
SEEK YE FIRST THE KINGDOM OF GOD ...
BLESSED ARE THE MEEK FOR THEY SHALL INHERIT THE EARTH ...
LOVE YOUR ENEMIES, DO GOOD TO THEM THAT HATE YOU ...
ENTER YE IN AT THE STRAIT GATE, FOR WIDE IS THE GATE, AND BROAD THE WAY THAT LEADETH TO DESTRUCTION ... NARROW IS THE WAY WHICH LEADETH UNTO LIFE, AND FEW THERE BE THAT FIND IT ....
Matt 5 to 7
CAESAREA PHILIPPI
TRANSFIGURATION OF CHRIST
PHOENICIA
SYRIA
GREEK WOMAN'S DAUGHTER HEALED
CAPERNAUM
BETHSAIDA
Lake of Galilee
BLIND MAN HEALED
MULTITUDE OF 4,000 FED
DECAPOLIS
BASHAN
TEN LEPERS HEALED ONE ALONE THANKED GOD
Eight Sign Miracles RECORDED BY JOHN
(1) WATER TO WINE ...
(2) NOBLEMAN'S SON HEALED
(3) MAN HEALED AT BETHESDA
(4) MULTITUDE FED ...
(5) TEMPEST STILLED ...
(6) SIGHT TO THE BLIND ...
(7) LAZARUS RAISED ...
(8) MIRACULOUS HAUL OF FISH ...
EPHRAIM
JESUS RIDES INTO JERUSALEM ON AN ASS & WEEPS OVER THE CITY
JERICHO
BETHABARA
JERUSALEM
BETHANY
Dead Sea
DEATH OF JOHN BAPTIST
MACHAERUS
LAZARUS RAISED FROM DEAD
The Lamb of God THAT TAKETH AWAY THE SIN OF THE WORLD John 1.29
For as by one man's disobedience many were made sinners (Adam's) so by the obedience of one (Christ) shall many be made righteous. Romans 5.19
HE IS RISEN
His soul was not abandoned in hell (Greek 'grave') neither his flesh did see corruption Acts 2.31
GOD RESTORED HIS SON TO LIFE AFTER THE 'BRUISE ON THE HEEL' BY THE 'SERPENT'S SEED' refer to Gen 3.15
The veil of the temple rent from top to bottom
By a new and living way, through the veil, that is to say, His flesh. Heb. 10.20
CAIAPHAS, HIGH PRIEST DELIVERS JESUS FOR CRUCIFIXION TO
PILATE... YIELDING to PRESSURE OF CHIEF PRIESTS DELIVERS JESUS TO DEATH
PILATE... ROMAN GOVERNOR FINDING NO FAULT SENDS JESUS TO
HEROD... GALILEAN TETRARCH MOCKING JESUS SENDS HIM BACK TO
ROMANS
ROMAN SOLDIERS SEAL AND GUARD THE TOMB OF JESUS

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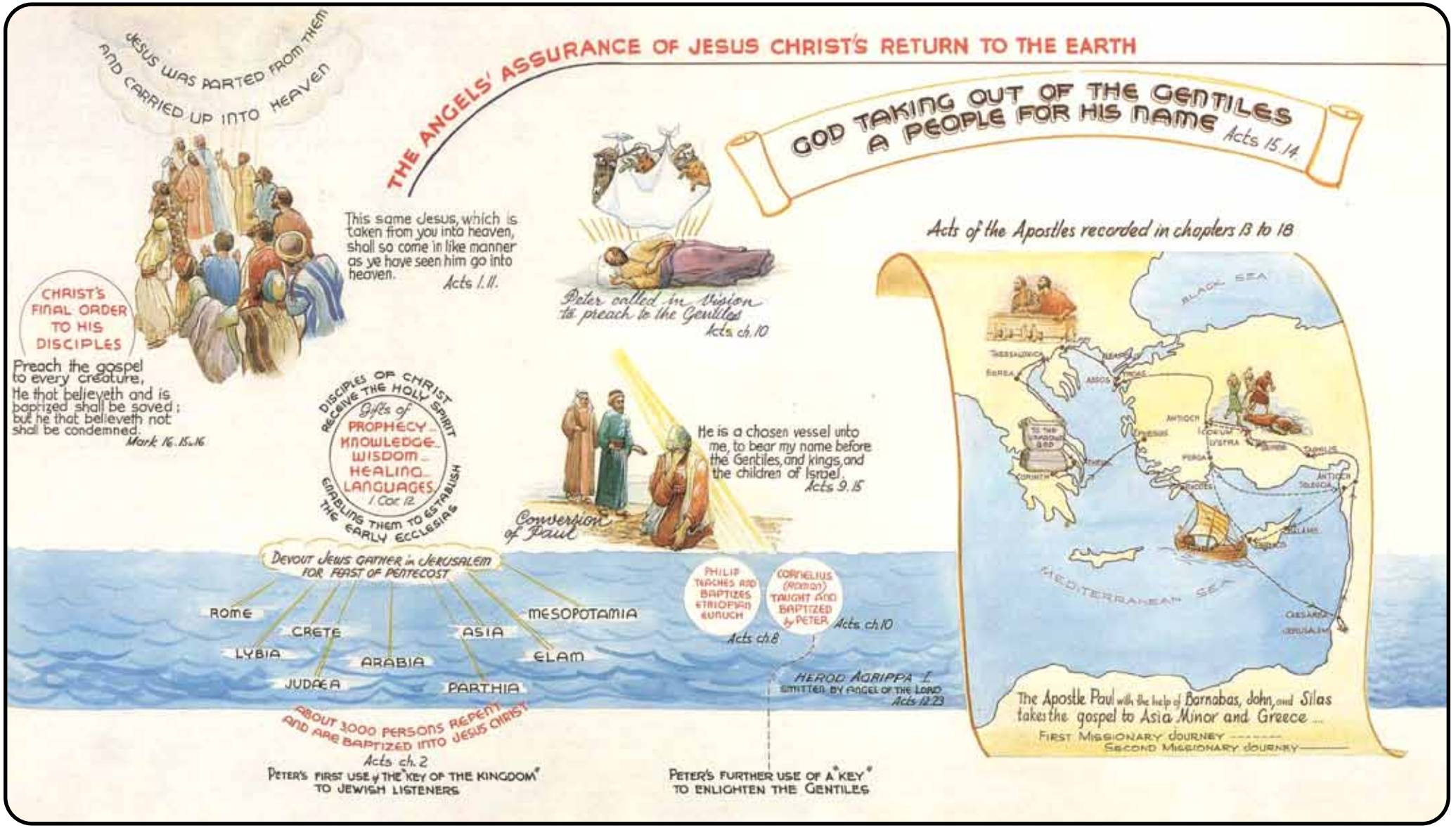
THE ANGELS' ASSURANCE OF JESUS CHRIST'S RETURN TO THE EARTH
JESUS WAS PARTED FROM THEM AND CARRIED UP INTO HEAVEN
This same Jesus, which is taken from you into heaven, shall so come in like manner as ye have seen him go into heaven. Acts 1.11.
GOD TAKING OUT OF THE GENTILES A PEOPLE FOR HIS NAME Acts 15.14
Acts of the Apostles recorded in chapters 13 to 18
CHRIST'S FINAL ORDER TO HIS DISCIPLES
Preach the gospel to every creature, He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be condemned. Mark 16.15.16
Peter called in Vision to preach to the Gentiles Acts ch.10
DISCIPLES OF CHRIST RECEIVE THE HOLY SPIRIT
Gifts of PROPHECY KNOWLEDGE WISDOM HEALING LANGUAGES 1 Cor. 12.
ENABLING THEM TO ESTABLISH THE EARLY ECCLESIAS
He is a chosen vessel unto me, to bear my name before the Gentiles, and kings, and the children of Israel. Acts 9.15
Conversion of Paul
DEVOUT JEWS GATHER in JERUSALEM FOR FEAST OF PENTECOST
ROME
CRETE
LYBIA
JUDAEA
ARABIA
ASIA
PARTHIA
MESOPOTAMIA
ELAM
PHILIP TEACHES AND BAPTIZES ETHIOPIAN EUNUCH Acts ch.8
CORNELIUS (ROMAN) TAUGHT AND BAPTIZED by PETER Acts ch.10
HEROD AGRIPPA I SMITTEN BY ANGEL OF THE LORD Acts 12.23
ABOUT 3,000 PERSONS REPENT AND ARE BAPTIZED INTO JESUS CHRIST Acts ch.2
PETER'S FIRST USE of THE "KEY OF THE KINGDOM" TO JEWISH LISTENERS
PETER'S FURTHER USE OF A "KEY" TO ENLIGHTEN THE GENTILES
BLACK SEA
MEDITERRANEAN SEA
The Apostle Paul with the help of Barnabas, John, and Silas takes the gospel to Asia Minor and Greece ...
FIRST MISSIONARY JOURNEY
SECOND MISSIONARY JOURNEY

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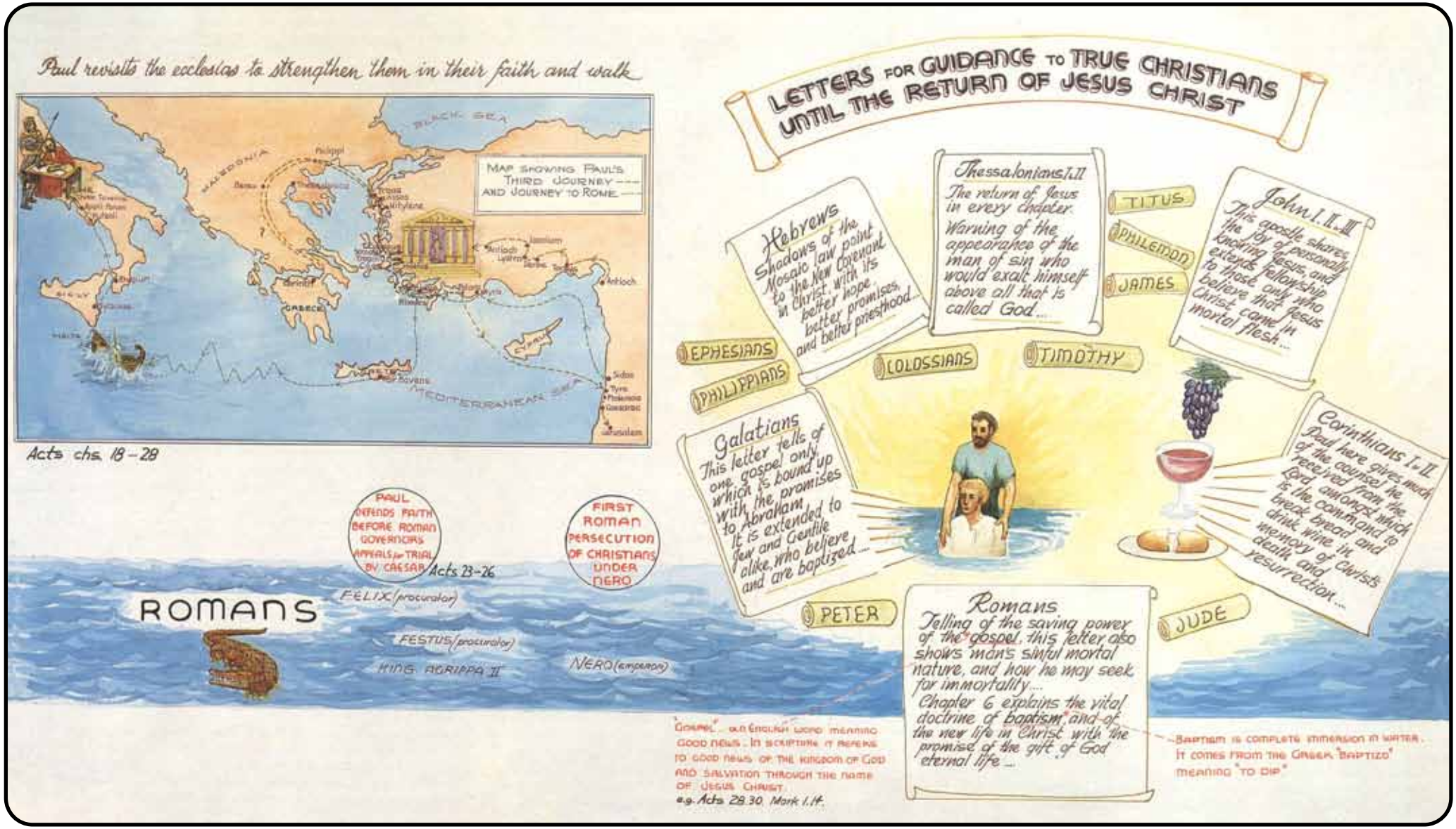
Paul revisits the ecclesias to strengthen them in their faith and walk
MAP SHOWING PAUL'S THIRD JOURNEY ---- AND JOURNEY TO ROME ----
BLACK SEA
MACEDONIA
Philippi
GREECE
MEDITERRANEAN SEA
Antioch
Sidon
Tyre
Jerusalem
Acts chs. 18 – 28
LETTERS FOR GUIDANCE TO TRUE CHRISTIANS UNTIL THE RETURN OF JESUS CHRIST
Hebrews
Shadows of the Mosaic law point to the New Covenant in Christ, with its better hope, better promises, and better priesthood...
Thessalonians I, II
The return of Jesus in every chapter.
Warning of the appearance of the man of sin who would exalt himself above all that is called God...
TITUS
PHILEMON
JAMES
John I, II, III
This apostle shares the joy of personally knowing Jesus, and extends fellowship to those only who believe that Jesus Christ came in mortal flesh...
EPHESIANS
PHILIPPIANS
COLOSSIANS
TIMOTHY
Galatians
This letter tells of one gospel only which is bound up with the promises to Abraham. It is extended to Jew and Gentile alike, who believe and are baptized...
Corinthians I, II
Paul here gives much of the counsel he received from the Lord, amongst which is the command to break bread and drink wine in memory of Christ's death and resurrection...
PETER
Romans
Telling of the saving power of the gospel, this letter also shows man's sinful mortal nature, and how he may seek for immortality...
Chapter 6 explains the vital doctrine of baptism, and of the new life in Christ with the promise of the gift of God eternal life...
JUDE
PAUL DEFENDS FAITH BEFORE ROMAN GOVERNORS APPEALS for TRIAL BY CAESAR
Acts 23-26
FIRST ROMAN PERSECUTION OF CHRISTIANS UNDER NERO
ROMANS
FELIX (procurator)
FESTUS (procurator)
KING AGRIPPA II
NERO (emperor)
"Gospel" – an English word meaning good news. In scripture it refers to good news of the kingdom of God and salvation through the name of Jesus Christ.
e.g. Acts 28.30, Mark 1.14.
"Baptism is complete immersion in water. It comes from the Greek "baptizo" meaning "to dip"

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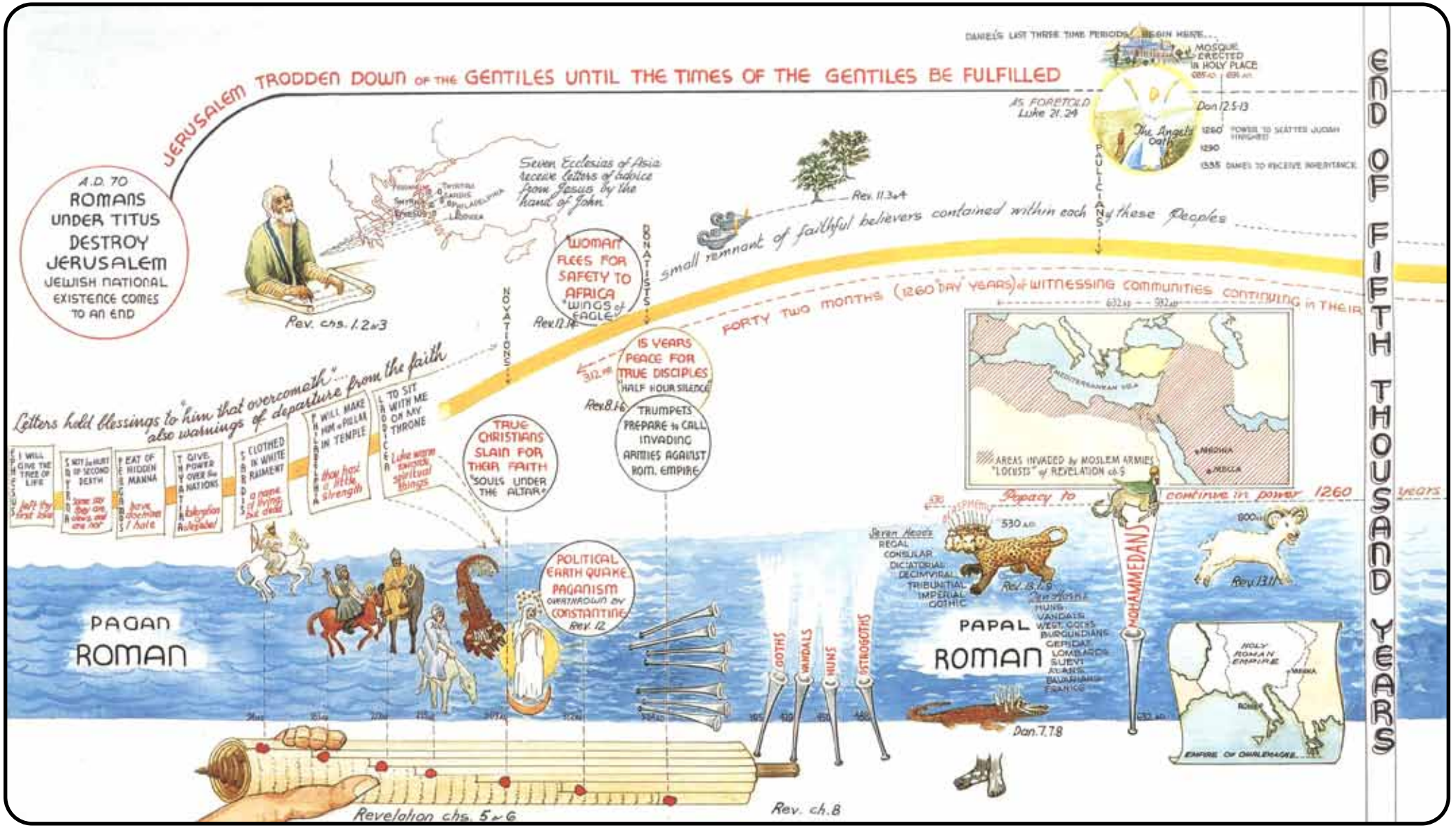
JERUSALEM TRODDEN DOWN OF THE GENTILES UNTIL THE TIMES OF THE GENTILES BE FULFILLED
A.D. 70
ROMANS UNDER TITUS DESTROY JERUSALEM
JEWISH NATIONAL EXISTENCE COMES TO AN END
Rev. chs. 1, 2 & 3
Seven Ecclesias of Asia receive letters of advice from Jesus by the hand of John
Rev. 11.3 & 4
small remnant of faithful believers contained within each of these Peoples
FORTY TWO MONTHS (1260 DAY YEARS) of WITNESSING COMMUNITIES CONTINUING IN THEIR
Letters hold blessings to "him that overcometh"... also warnings of departure from the faith
NOVATIONS
DONATISTS
WOMAN FLEES FOR SAFETY TO AFRICA "WINGS of EAGLE"
Rev. 12.14
312 AD
3½ YEARS PEACE FOR TRUE DISCIPLES
HALF HOUR SILENCE
Rev. 8.1 & 6
TRUMPETS PREPARE to CALL INVADING ARMIES AGAINST ROM. EMPIRE
TRUE CHRISTIANS SLAIN FOR THEIR FAITH
"SOULS UNDER THE ALTAR"
POLITICAL EARTH QUAKE
PAGANISM OVERTHROWN BY CONSTANTINE
Rev. 12
PAGAN ROMAN
GOTHS
VANDALS
HUNS
OSTROGOTHS
Revelation chs. 5 & 6
Rev. ch. 8
DANIEL'S LAST THREE TIME PERIODS BEGIN HERE...
MOSQUE ERECTED IN HOLY PLACE
AS FORETOLD Luke 21.24
The Angels oath
Dan 12.5-13
1260 POWER TO SCATTER JUDAH FINISHED
1290
1335 DANIEL TO RECEIVE INHERITANCE
PURITANS
632 AD
AREAS INVADED by MOSLEM ARMIES "LOCUSTS" of REVELATION ch 9
MECCA
MEDINA
Papacy to continue in power 1260 years
530 AD
Seven Heads REGAL CONSULAR DICTATORIAL DECEMVIRAL TRIBUNITIAL IMPERIAL GOTHIC
Rev. 13.1 & 2
PAPAL ROMAN
HUNS VANDALS WEST GOTHS BURGUNDIANS GEPIDAE LOMBARDS SUEVI ALANS BAVARIANS FRANKS
MOHAMMEDANS
800 AD
Rev 13.11
Dan. 7.7 & 8
HOLY ROMAN EMPIRE
ROME
EMPIRE OF CHARLEMAGNE
END OF FIFTH THOUSAND YEARS

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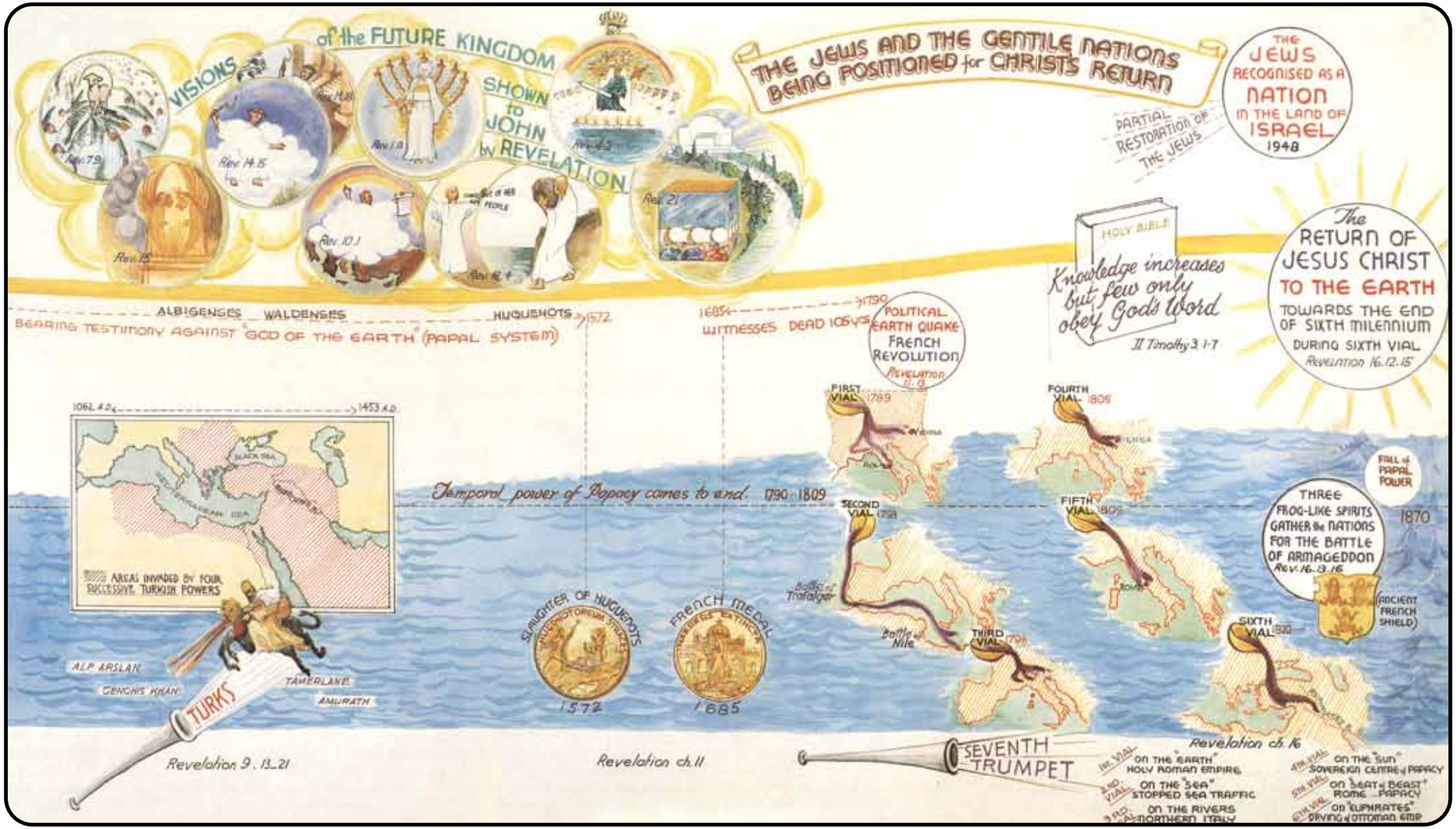
VISIONS of the FUTURE KINGDOM SHOWN to JOHN by REVELATION
THE JEWS AND THE GENTILE NATIONS BEING POSITIONED for CHRISTS RETURN
PARTIAL RESTORATION OF THE JEWS
THE JEWS RECOGNISED AS A NATION IN THE LAND OF ISRAEL 1948
HOLY BIBLE
Knowledge increases but few only obey Gods Word
II Timothy 3 1-7
The RETURN OF JESUS CHRIST TO THE EARTH
TOWARDS THE END OF SIXTH MILLENNIUM
DURING SIXTH VIAL
Revelation 16.12.15
ALBIGENSES WALDENSES HUGUENOTS 1572
BEARING TESTIMONY AGAINST "GOD OF THE EARTH" (PAPAL SYSTEM)
1685 WITNESSES DEAD 1260 YRS 1790
POLITICAL EARTH QUAKE FRENCH REVOLUTION
Revelation 11.8
1062 A.D. 1453 A.D.
BLACK SEA
MEDITERRANEAN SEA
AREAS INVADED BY FOUR SUCCESSIVE TURKISH POWERS
ALP ARSLAN
GENGHIS KHAN
TAMERLANE
AMURATH
TURKS
Revelation 9. 13-21
Temporal power of Papacy comes to end. 1790 1809
SLAUGHTER OF HUGUENOTS
1572
FRENCH MEDAL
1685
Revelation ch. 11
FIRST VIAL 1789
SECOND VIAL 1793
THIRD VIAL 1794
FOURTH VIAL 1805
FIFTH VIAL 1805
SIXTH VIAL 1821
Battle of Trafalgar
Battle of Nile
FALL of PAPAL POWER 1870
THREE FROG-LIKE SPIRITS GATHER the NATIONS FOR THE BATTLE OF ARMAGEDDON
Rev. 16. 13. 16
(ANCIENT FRENCH SHIELD)
SEVENTH TRUMPET
Revelation ch. 16
1ST VIAL ON THE "EARTH" HOLY ROMAN EMPIRE
2ND VIAL ON THE "SEA" STOPPED SEA TRAFFIC
3RD VIAL ON THE RIVERS NORTHERN ITALY
4TH VIAL ON THE "SUN" SOVEREIGN CENTRE of PAPACY
5TH VIAL ON "SEAT of BEAST" ROME PAPACY
6TH VIAL ON "EUPHRATES" DRYING of OTTOMAN EMP

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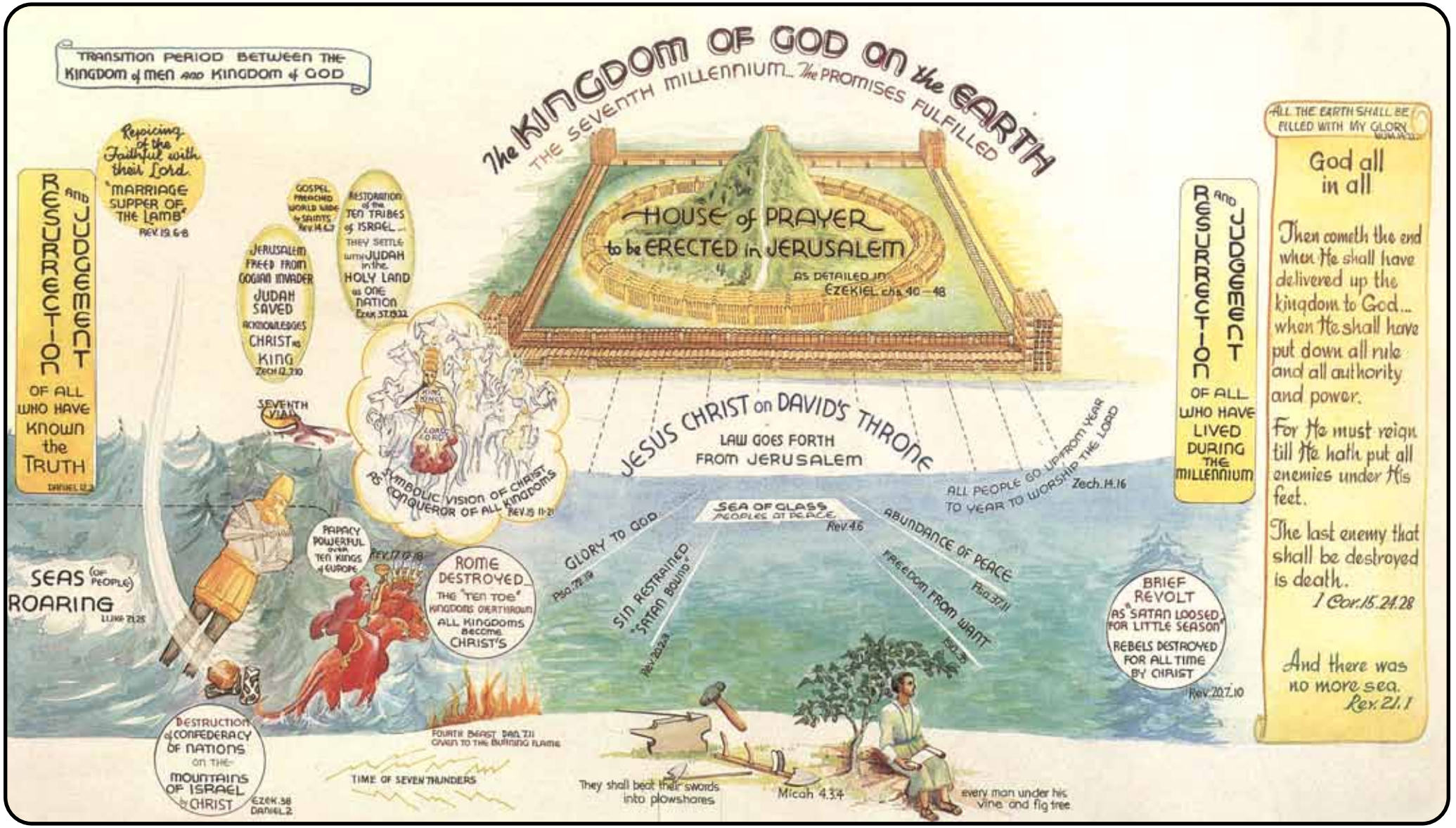
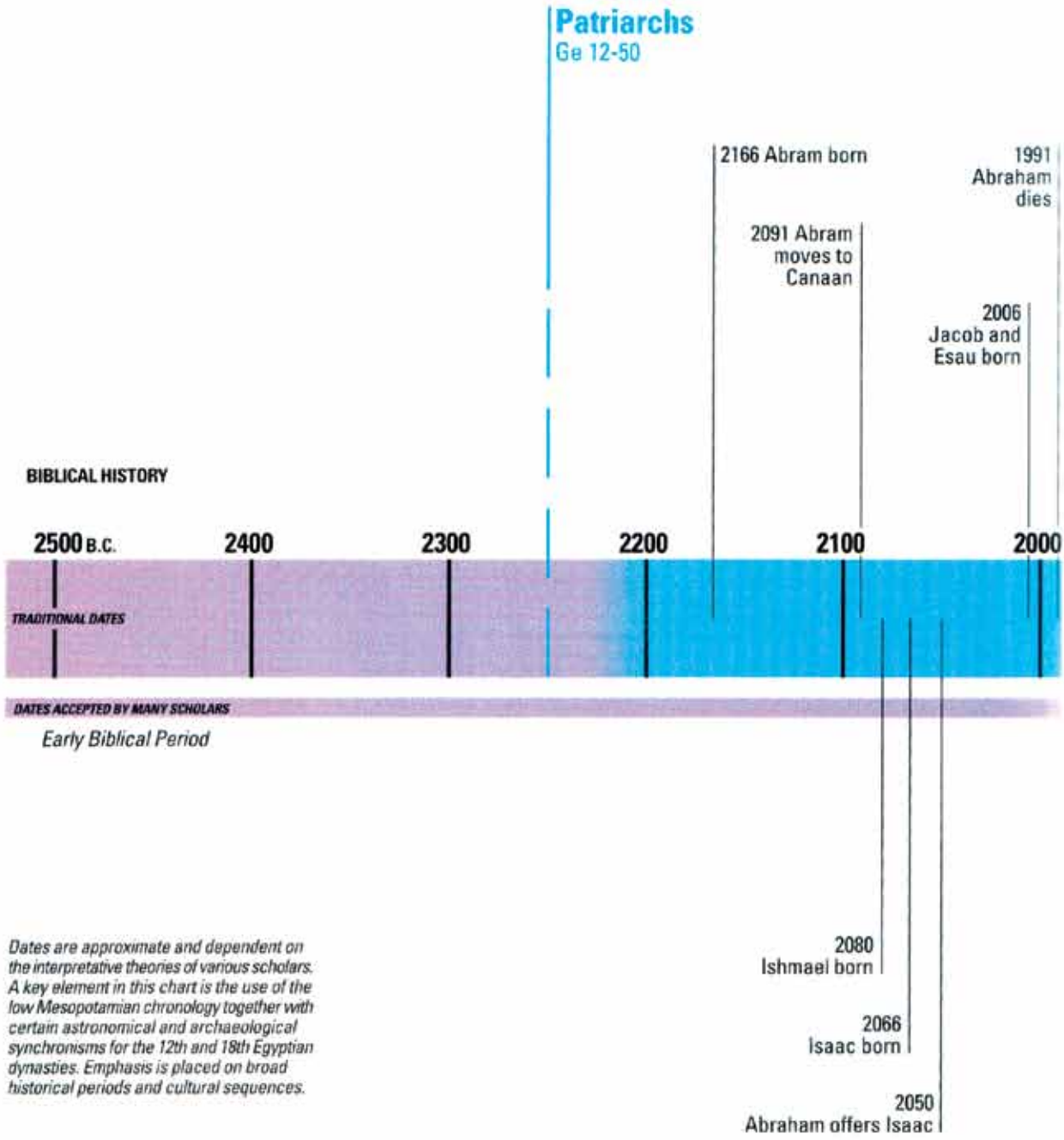
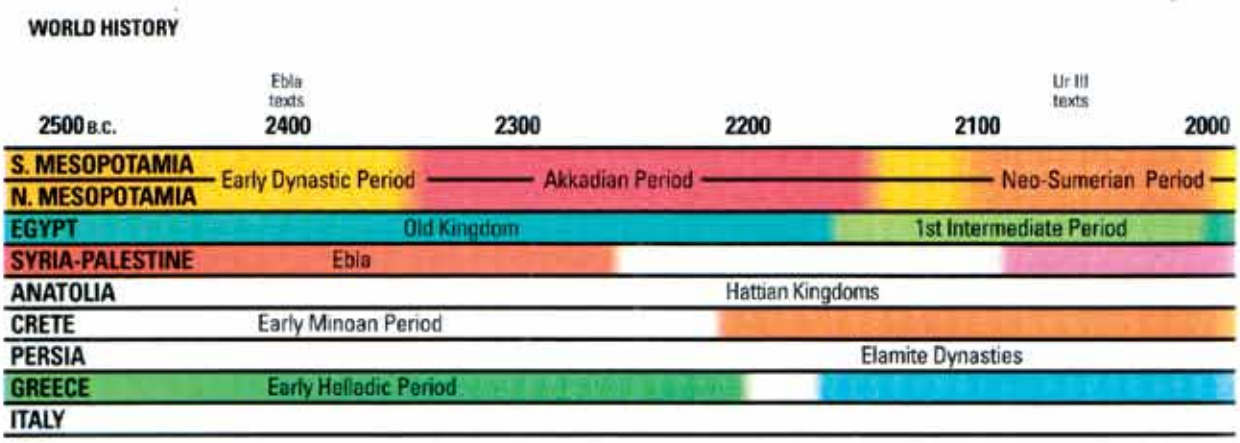

TRANSITION PERIOD BETWEEN THE KINGDOM of MEN AND KINGDOM of GOD
The KINGDOM OF GOD on the EARTH
THE SEVENTH MILLENNIUM... The PROMISES FULFILLED
HOUSE of PRAYER to be ERECTED in JERUSALEM
AS DETAILED IN EZEKIEL chs. 40 – 48
RESURRECTION AND JUDGMENT OF ALL WHO HAVE KNOWN the TRUTH
Rejoicing of the Faithful with their Lord. "MARRIAGE SUPPER OF THE LAMB" REV. 19. 6-8
GOSPEL PREACHED WORLD WIDE by SAINTS
RESTORATION of the TEN TRIBES of ISRAEL... THEY SETTLE with JUDAH in the HOLY LAND as ONE NATION Ezek. 37.15-22
JERUSALEM FREED FROM GOGIAN INVADER JUDAH SAVED ACKNOWLEDGES CHRIST AS KING Zech. 12. 7-10
SEVENTH VIAL
SYMBOLIC VISION OF CHRIST AS CONQUEROR OF ALL KINGDOMS REV. 15 11-21
JESUS CHRIST on DAVID'S THRONE
LAW GOES FORTH FROM JERUSALEM
ALL PEOPLE GO UP FROM YEAR TO YEAR TO WORSHIP THE LORD Zech. 14.16
SEA OF GLASS PEOPLES AT PEACE Rev. 4.6
GLORY TO GOD Psa. 72.19
SIN RESTRAINED SATAN BOUND Rev. 20.2,3
ABUNDANCE OF PEACE Psa. 37.11
FREEDOM FROM WANT Psa. 72
PAPACY POWERFUL over TEN KINGS of EUROPE REV. 17 12-18
ROME DESTROYED THE "TEN TOE" KINGDOMS OVERTHROWN ALL KINGDOMS become CHRIST'S
SEAS (OF PEOPLE) ROARING LUKE 21.25
DESTRUCTION of CONFEDERACY OF NATIONS ON THE MOUNTAINS OF ISRAEL by CHRIST EZEK. 38 DANIEL 2
FOURTH BEAST DAN. 7.11 GIVEN TO THE BURNING FLAME
TIME OF SEVEN THUNDERS
They shall beat their swords into plowshares
Micah 4.3,4
every man under his vine and fig tree
BRIEF REVOLT AS "SATAN LOOSED FOR LITTLE SEASON" REBELS DESTROYED FOR ALL TIME BY CHRIST Rev. 20.7,10
RESURRECTION AND JUDGMENT OF ALL WHO HAVE LIVED DURING THE MILLENNIUM
ALL THE EARTH SHALL BE FILLED WITH MY GLORY
God all in all
Then cometh the end when He shall have delivered up the kingdom to God... when He shall have put down all rule and all authority and power.
For He must reign till He hath put all enemies under His feet.
The last enemy that shall be destroyed is death.
1 Cor. 15. 24. 28
And there was no more sea.
Rev. 21.1

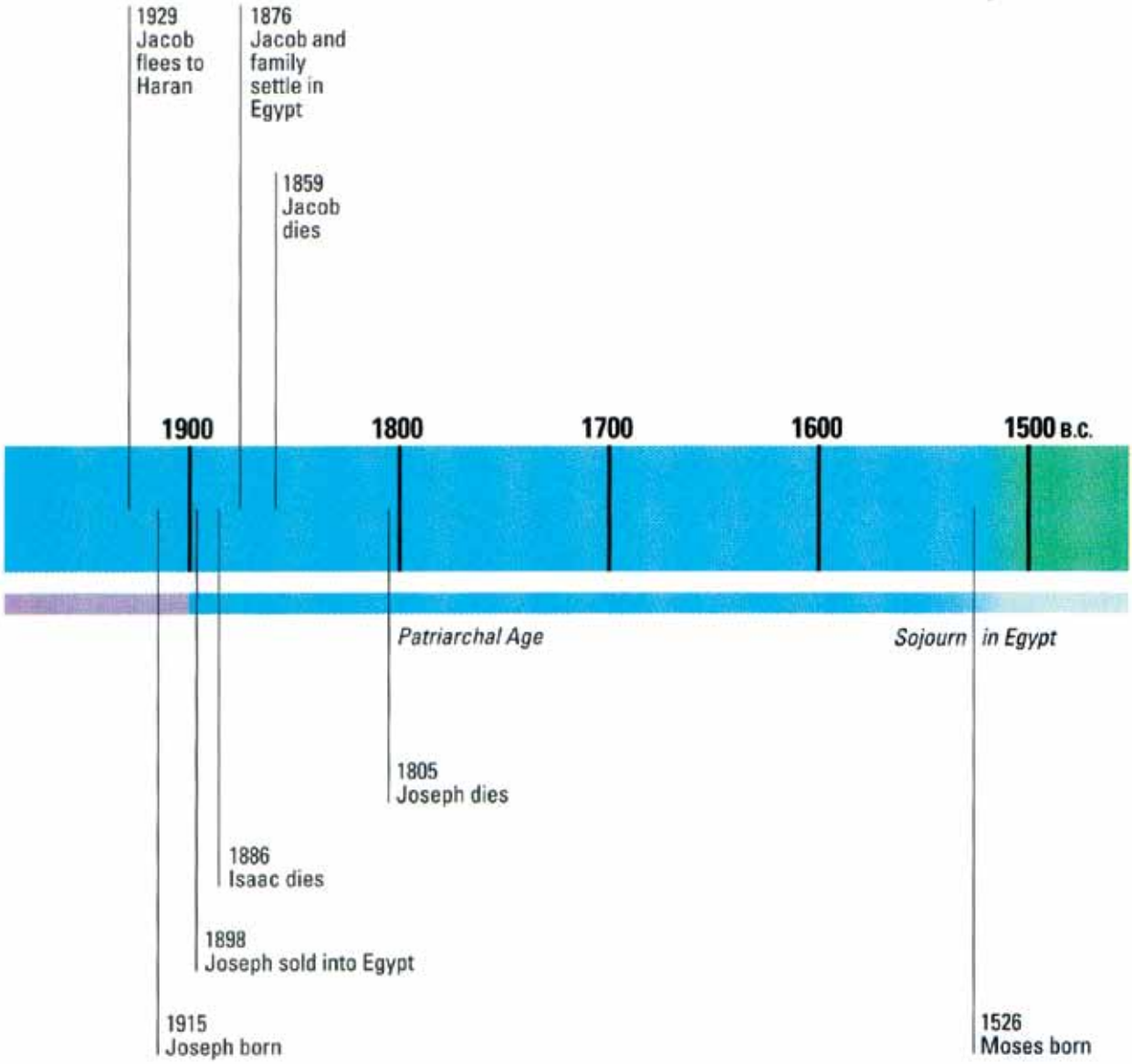
PLATE XVIII

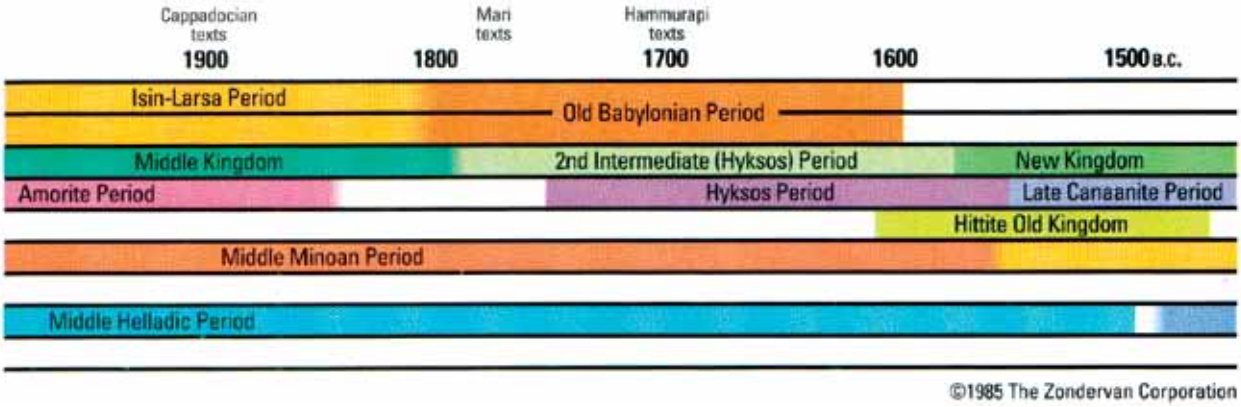
Old Testament Chronology



Dates are approximate and dependent on the interpretative theories of various scholars. A key element in this chart is the use of the low Mesopotamian chronology together with certain astronomical and archaeological synchronisms for the 12th and 18th Egyptian dynasties. Emphasis is placed on broad historical periods and cultural sequences.







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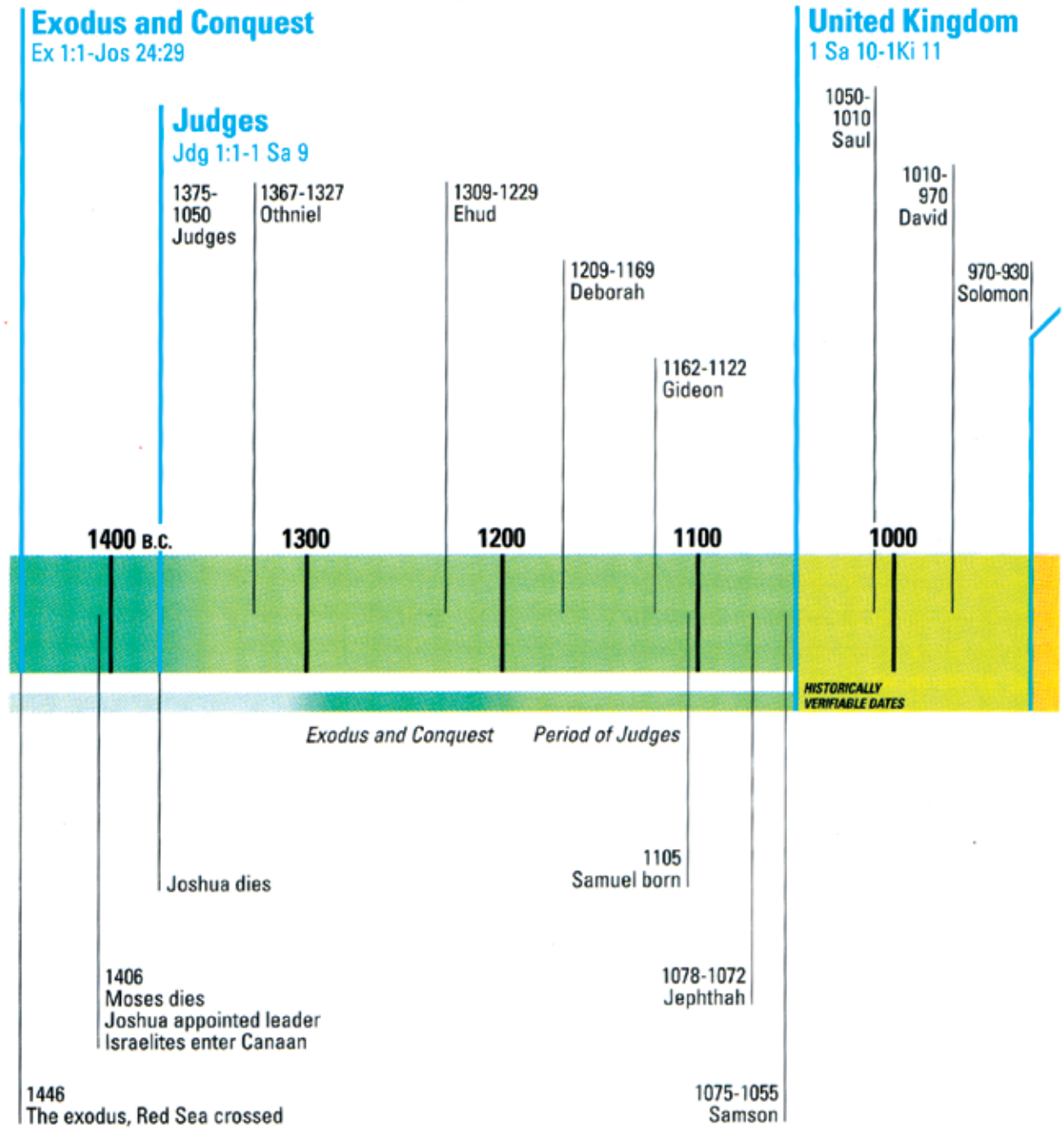

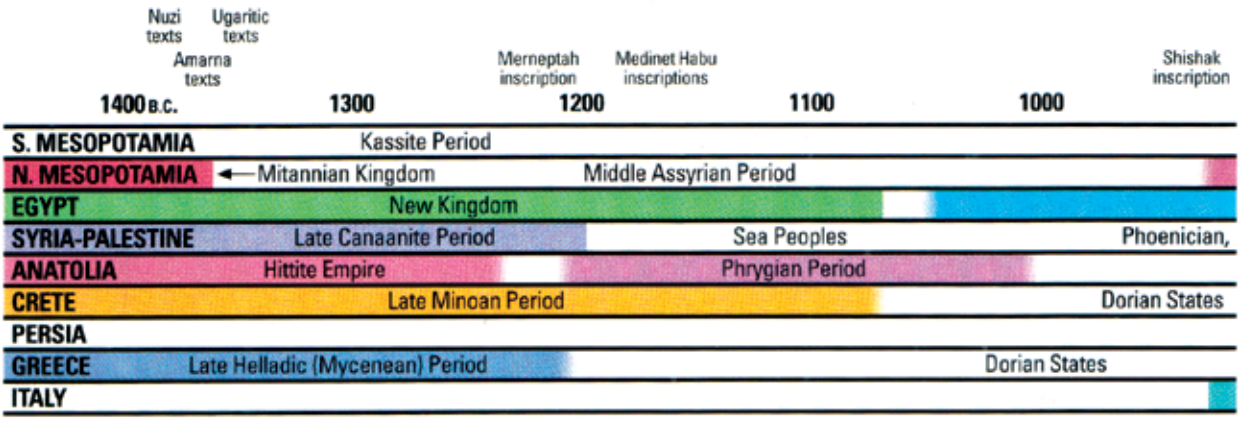

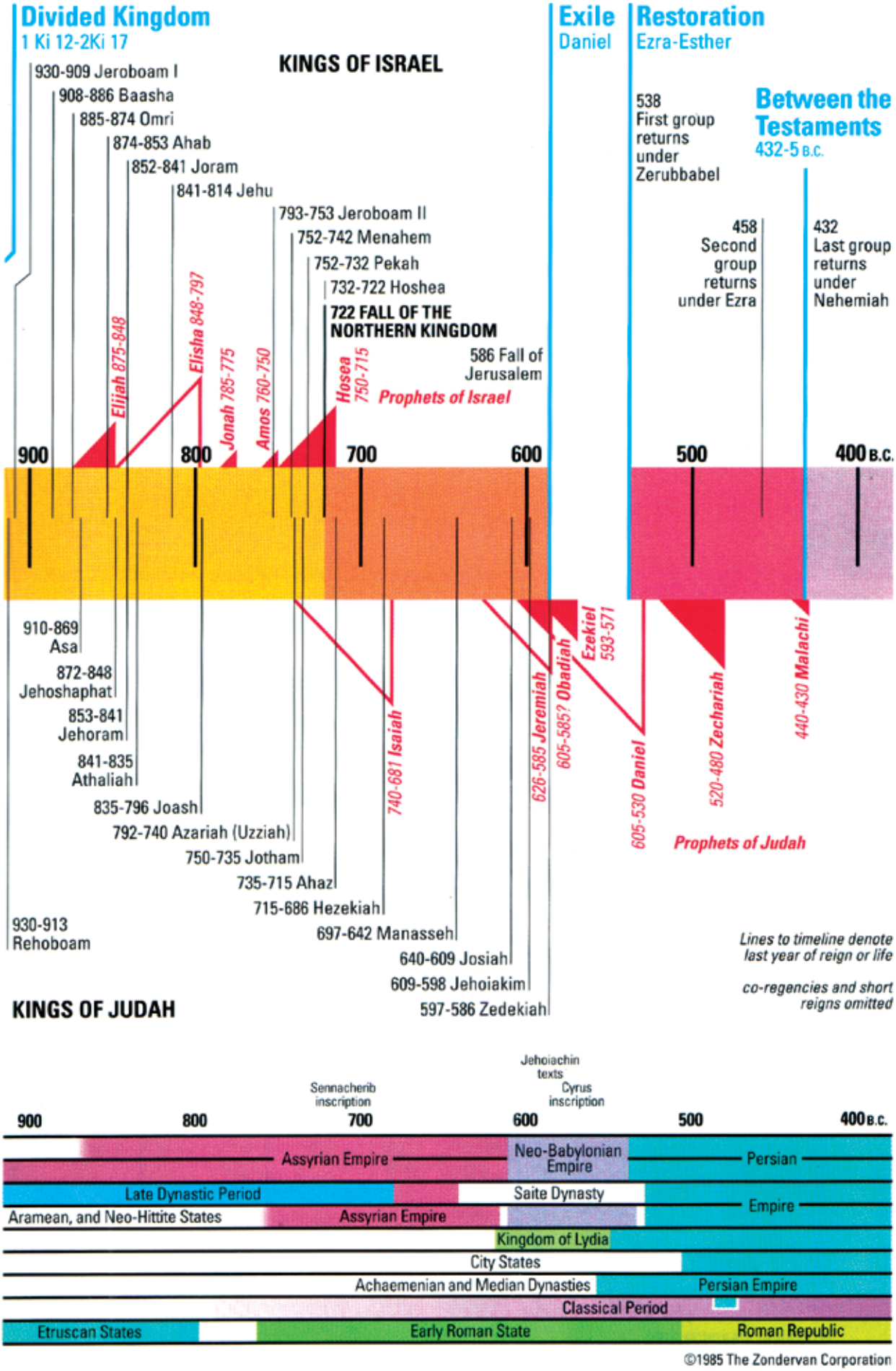

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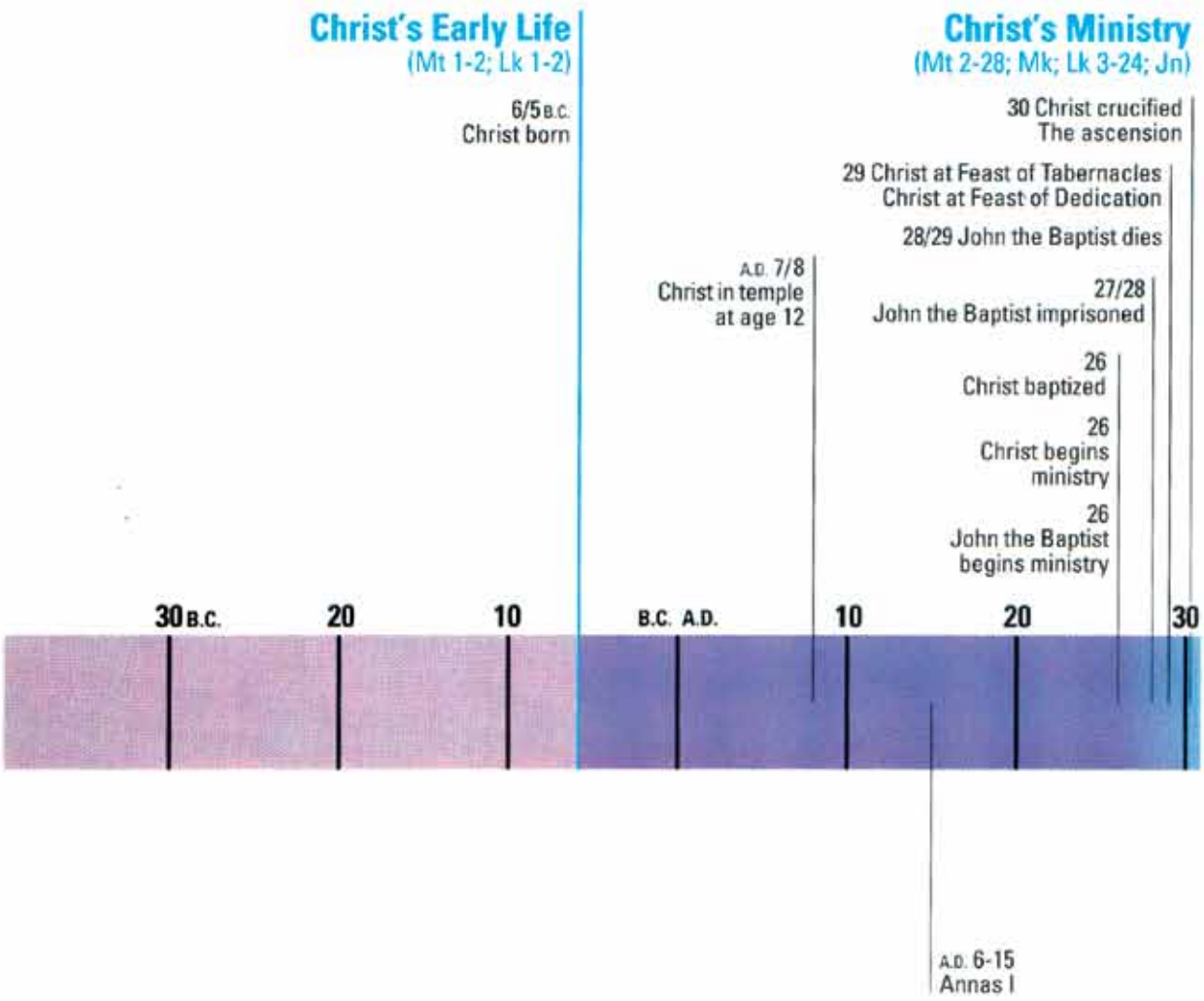

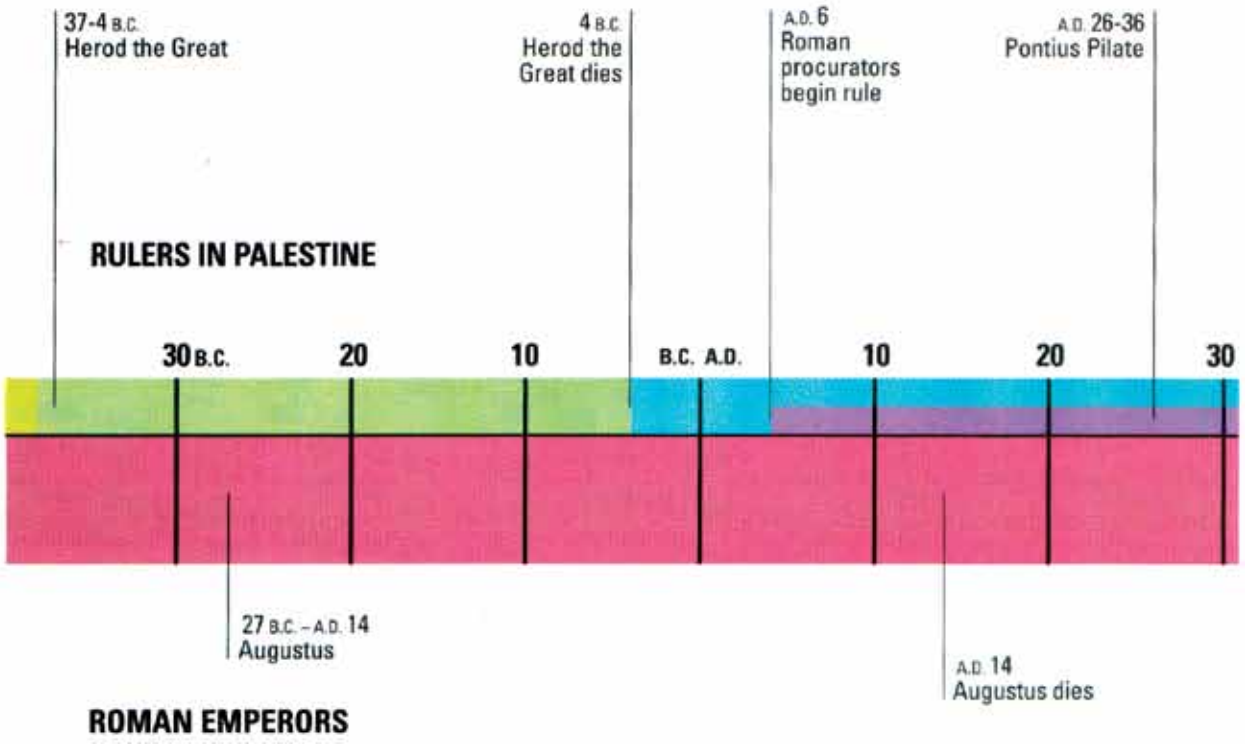

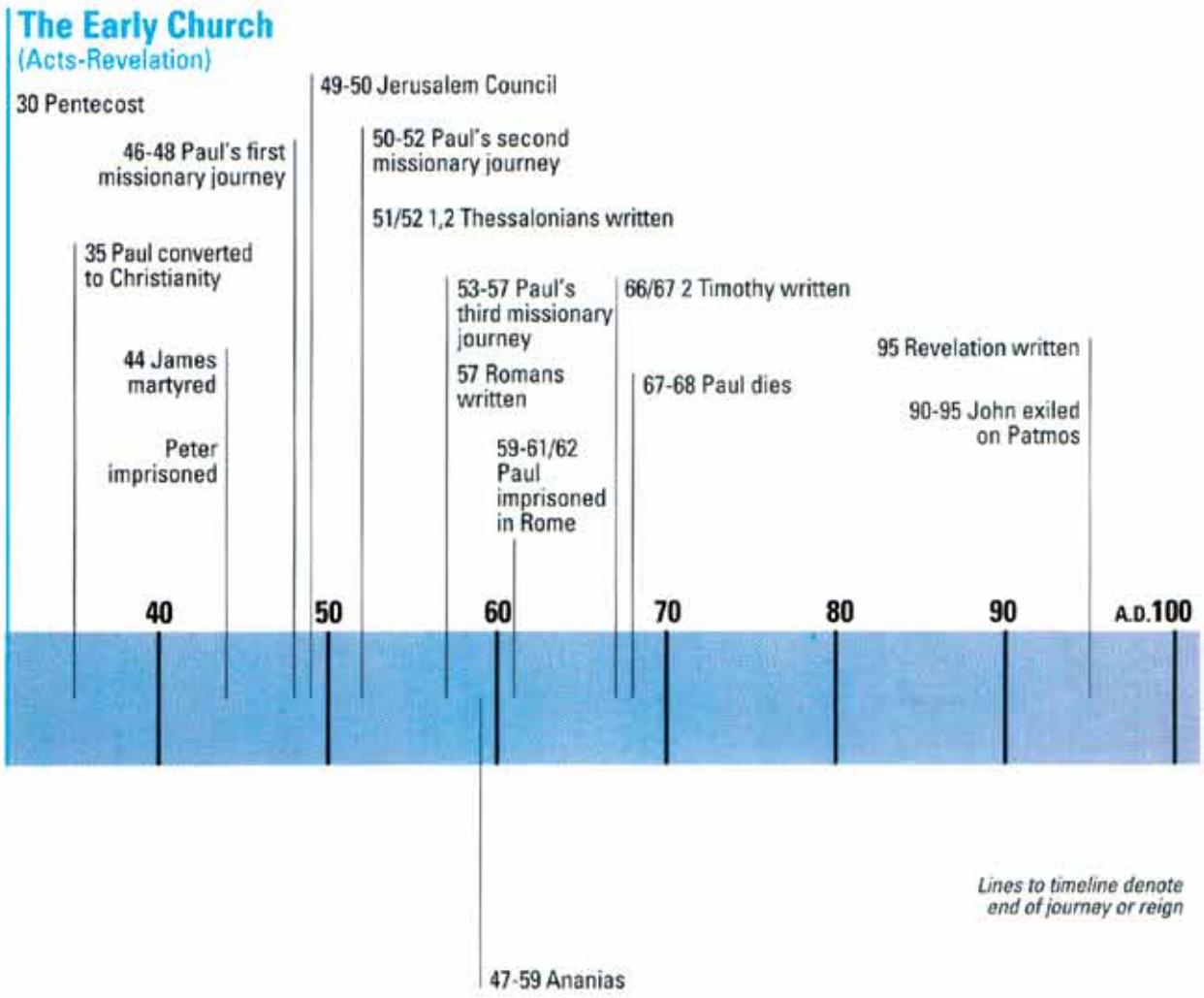

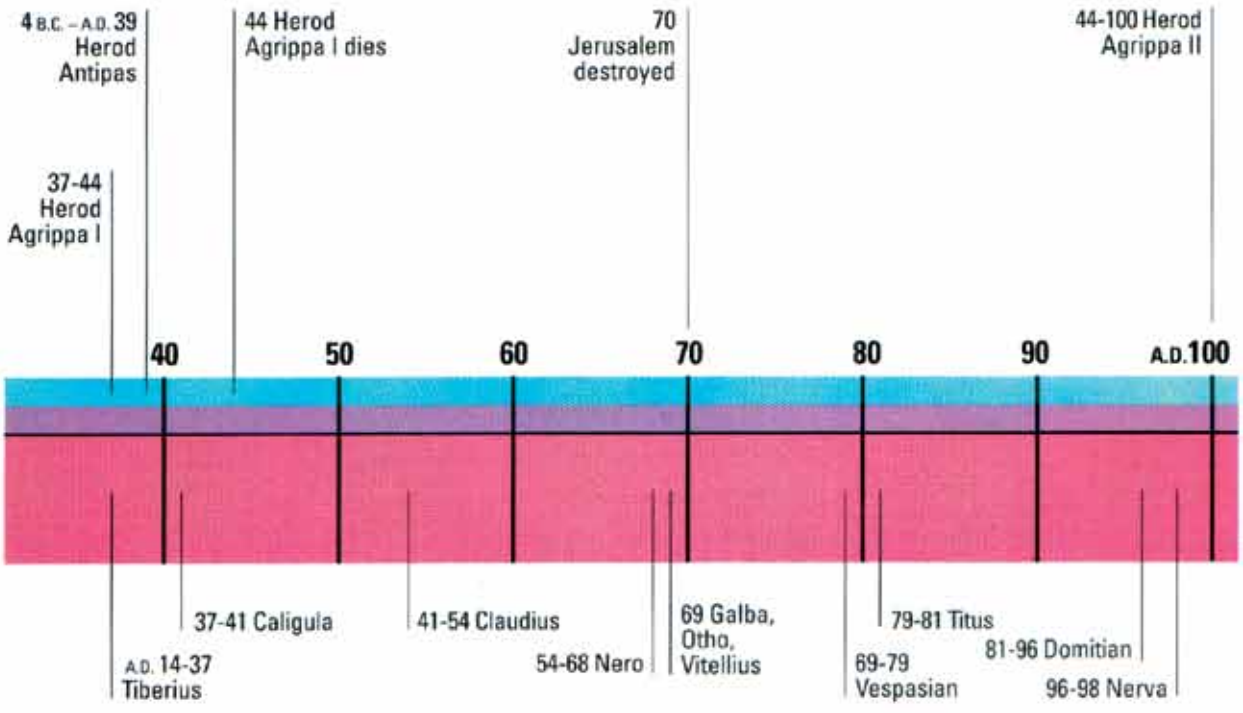

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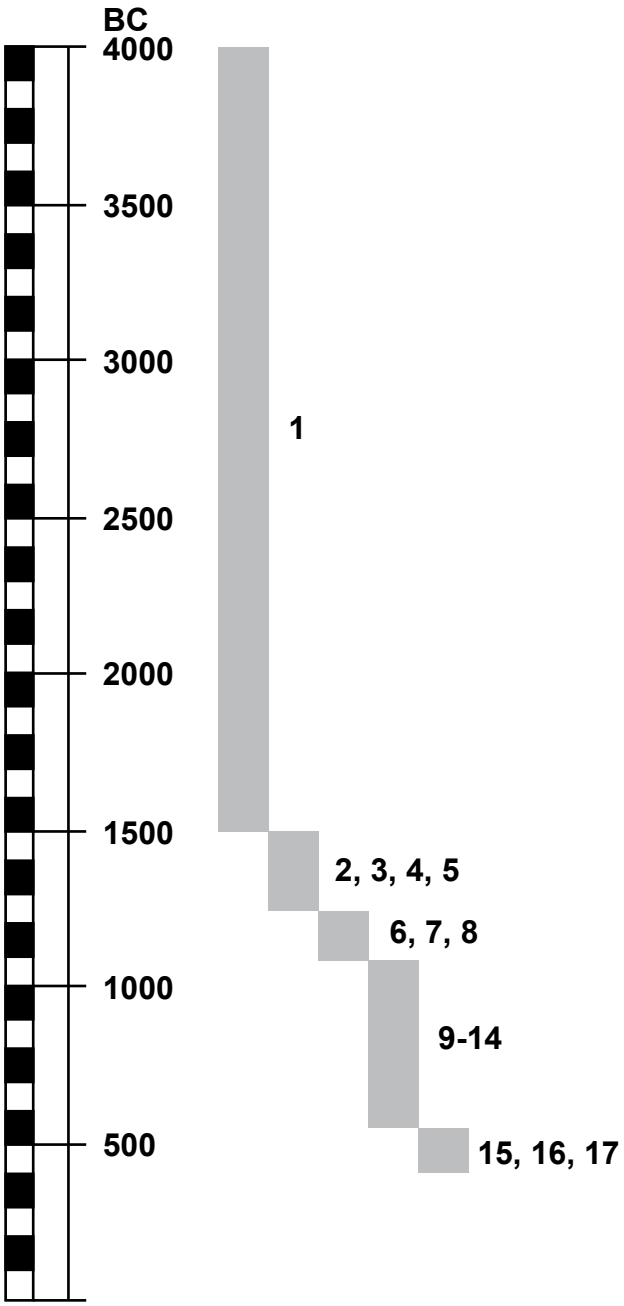

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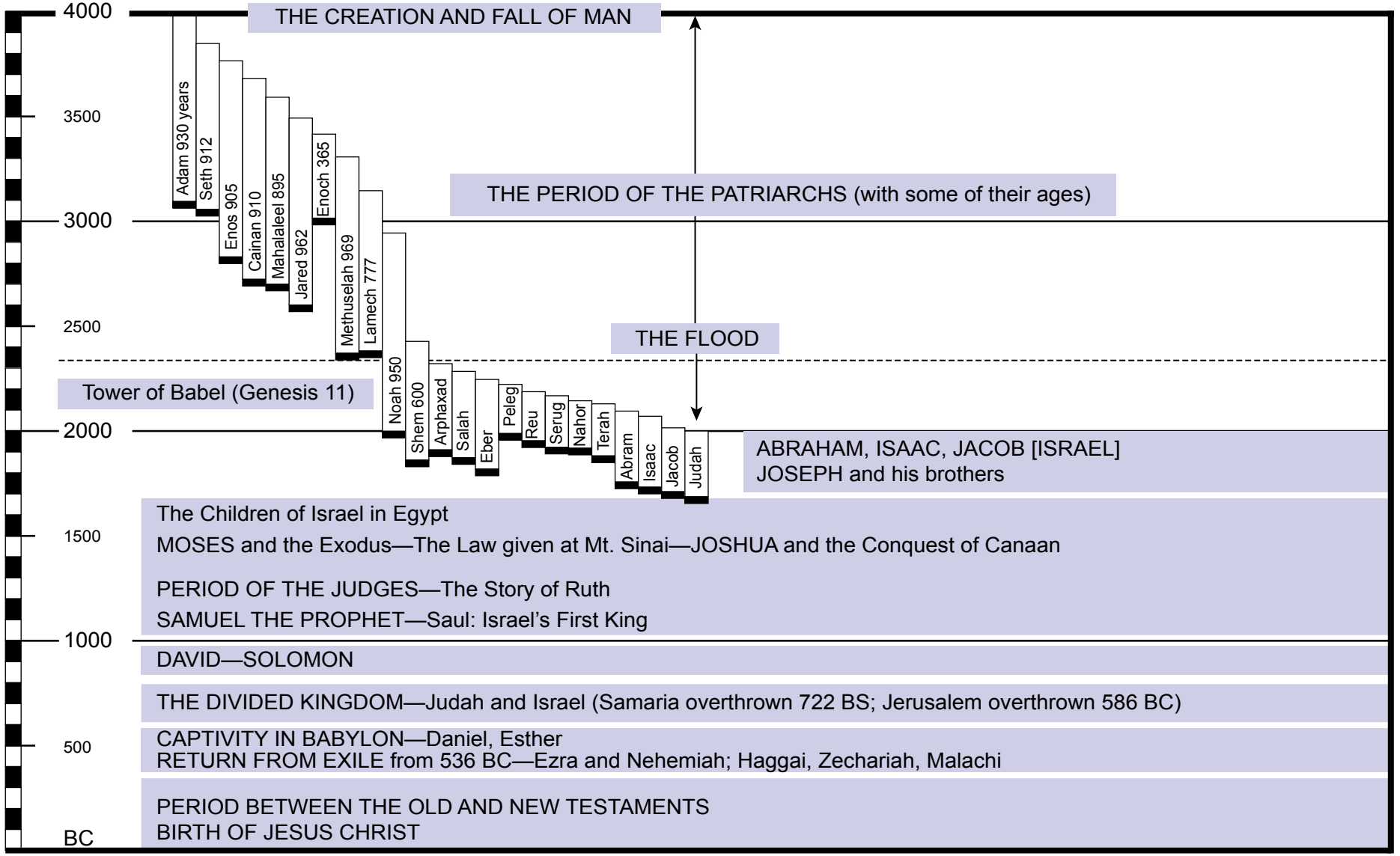
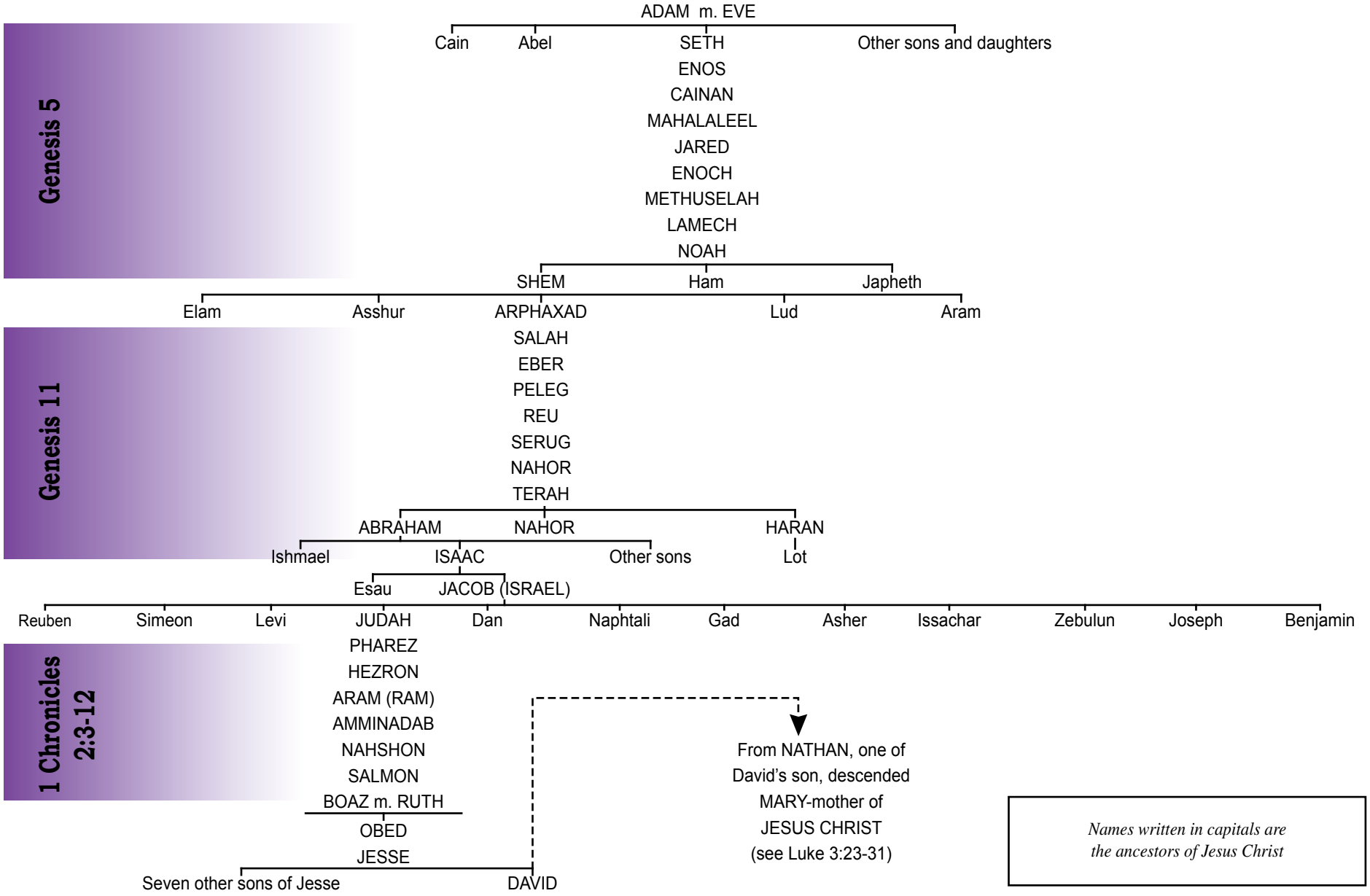
No.	Book	Contents
1 2 3 4 5	Genesis Exodus Leviticus Numbers Deutoronomy	THE PENTATEUCH (5 BOOKS) A history of God's dealing with early man, His promises to Abraham and His work with Israel, the people He brough out from Egypt
6 7 8	Joshua Judges Ruth	THE EARLY SETTLEMENT OF ISRAEL IN THE PROMISED LAND
9 10 11 12 13 14	1 Samuel 2 Samuel 1 Kings 2 Kings 1 Chronicles 2 Chronicles	THE KINGDOM OF GOD IN ISRAEL A history of the Kings and Prophets in God's Kingdom, from the time of Samuel until the overthrow of Jerusalem and the captivity of the Jews in Babylon
15 16 17	Ezra Nehemiah Esther	AFTER THE CAPTIVITY

Time Chart: Old Testament Events



Family Tree: From Adam to Jesus Christ



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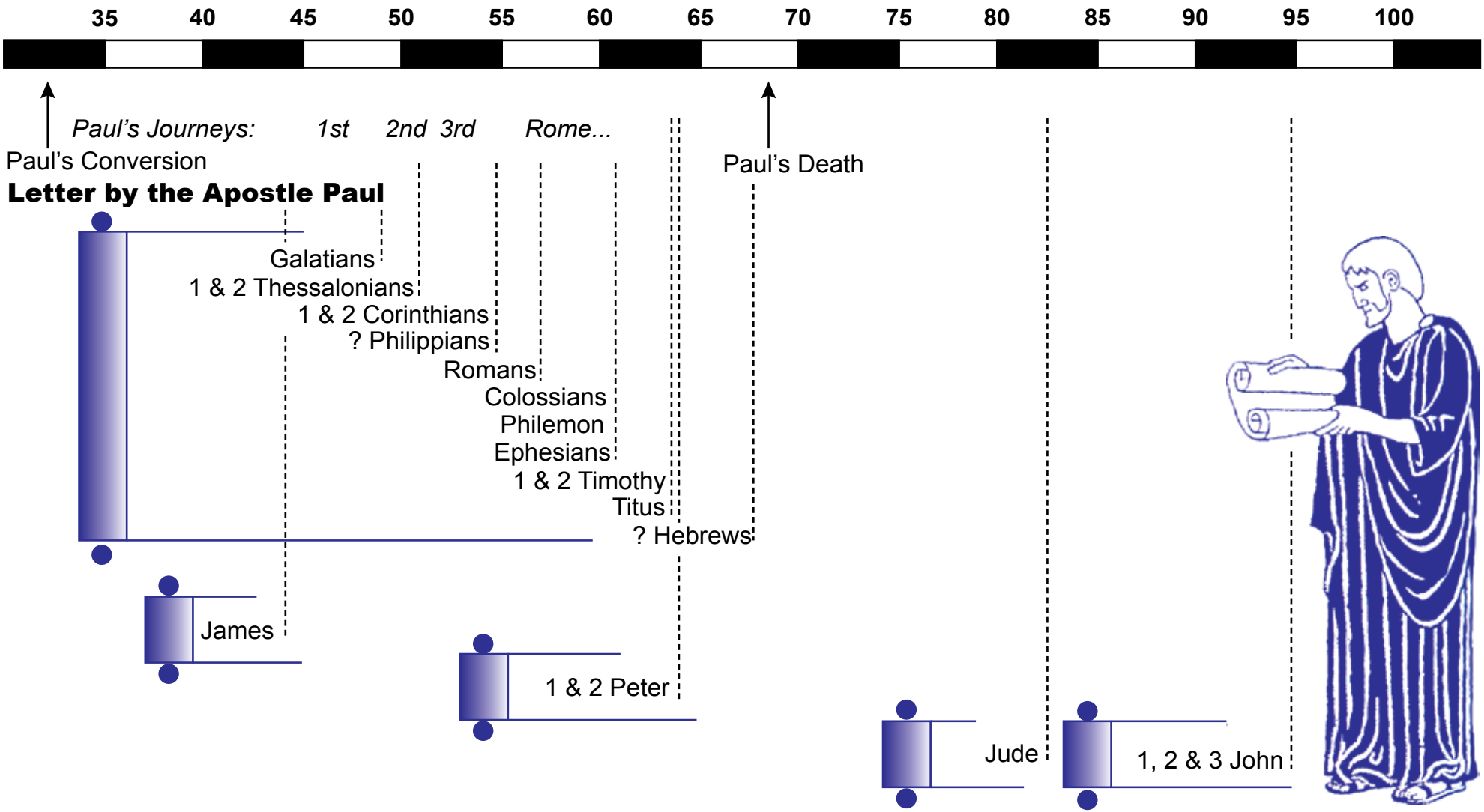

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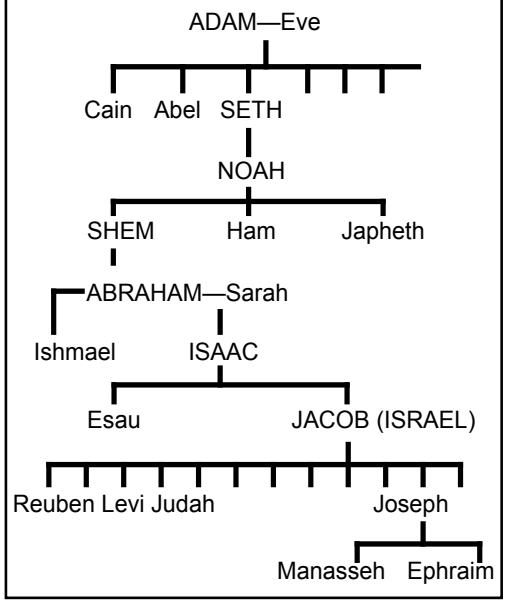
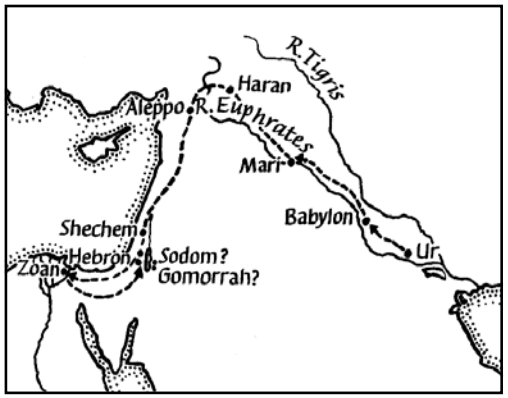
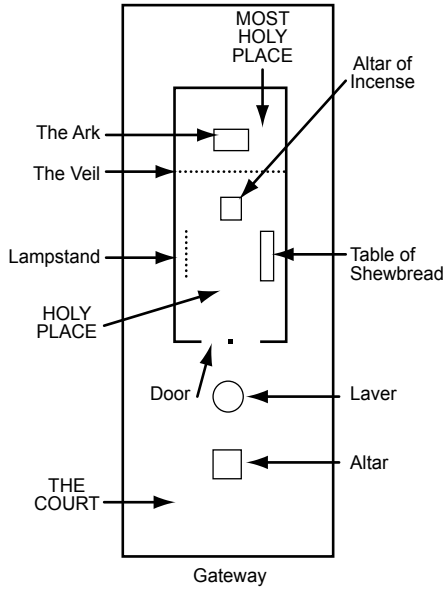




Abraham's Journeys

PLAGUES AND EGYPTIAN GODS

Plague	*Directed Against*
Nile turned to Blood	Hapi, Khnum, Osiris (gods of the Nile)
Cattle Plague	Hathor (cow goddess), Mnevis and Apis (sacred bulls)
Darkness	Ra, Aten, Atmu (sun gods)



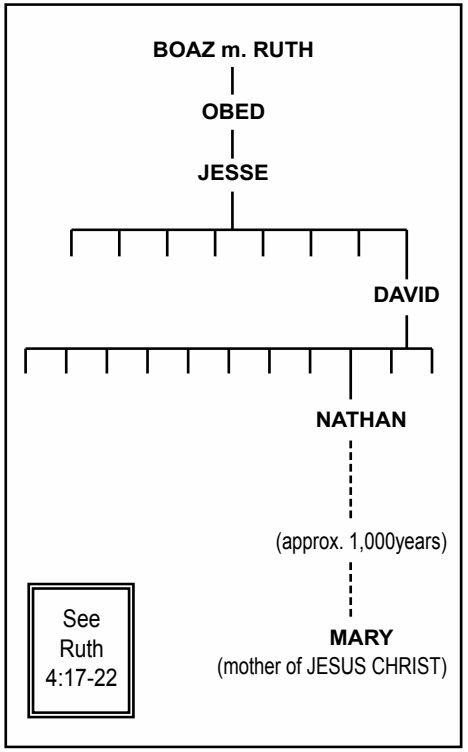
The Tabernacle (Exodus 32-40)

FEAST DAYS AND THEIR PROPHETIC SIGNIFICANCE

MONTHS	FEASTS	FUTURE
1 APR	Passover	Death of Jesus
2 MAY		
3 JUN	Firstfruits (start of harvest)	Christ and his followers
4 JUL		
5 AUG		
6 SEP	Trumpets	Return of Israel
7 OCT	Atonement	Repentance of Israel
8 NOV	Tabernacles (harvest complete)	Kingdom Age
9 DEC		
10 JAN		
11 FEB		
12 MAR		

Nebuchadnezzar's Image

Bethlehem

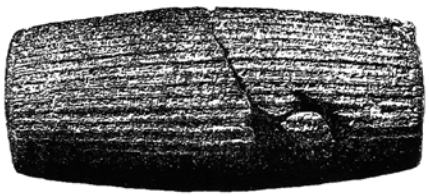


The Family Tree of Boaz and Ruth

The Divided Kingdom

JUDAH	B.C.	ISRAEL
(Chapter nos. in brackets)		
	900	Ahaziah (1)
Jehoshaphat (3)*		
Jehoram (8)		Joram (3)
Ahaziah (8)		
Queen Athaliah(11)		Jehu (9-10)
Joash (12)*		
		Jehoahaz (10)
Amaziah (14)		Jehoash (13)
Uzziah (14-15)*		Jeroboam II (14)
	800	Zachariah (14)
		Shallum (15)
		Menahem (15)
		Pekahiah (15)
Jotham (15)		Pekah (15)
Ahaz (16)		
		Hoshea (17)
Hezekiah (18-20)*		***722-Fall of Samaria***
	700	
Manasseh (21)		
Amon (21)		
Josiah (22-23)*		
Jehoahaz (23)		
Jehoiakim (23)		
Jehoiachin (24)		
Zedekiah (24-25)	600	

King	*Years*	*Type*	*See 2 Chronicles*
Rehoboam	17	Bad	12:1-2
Abijah	3	GOOD	13:10-12
Asa	41	GOOD	15:15-17
Jehoshaphat	25	GOOD	17:3-6
Jehoram	8	Bad	21:12-15
Ahaziah	1	Bad	22:2-7
Q. Athaliah	6	Bad	23:12-15
Joash	40	GOOD	24:8-10
Amaziah	29	Bad	25:14-16
Uzziah	52	GOOD	26:3-15
Jotham	16	Bad	27:2-6
Ahaz	16	Bad	28:1-5
Hezekiah	29	GOOD	31:20-21
Manasseh	55	Bad	33:9-11
Amon	2	Bad	33:21-24
Josiah	31	GOOD	34:1-7
Jehoahaz	3m	Bad	36:1-3
Jehoiakim	11	Bad	36:5-6
Jehoiachin	3m	Bad	36:9-10
Zedekiah	11	Bad	36:11-17



The Cylinder of Cyrus

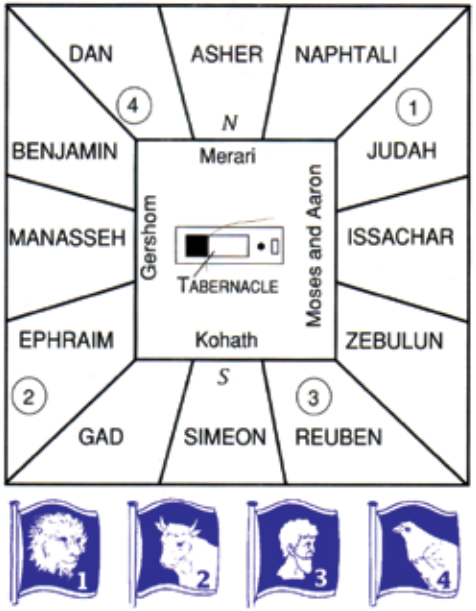
Kings of the Medes and Persians

B.C.		
540	Cyrus (1:1)	*Zerubbabel and Joshua*
530	Cambyses (4:6) Smerdis (4:7)	
520	Darius I (4:24)	*Haggai and Zechariah*
510		
500		
490		
	Xerxes I	
480	(Esther 1:1)	
470		
	Artaxerxes I (7:1)	
460		*Ezra*
450		
440		*Nehemiah*

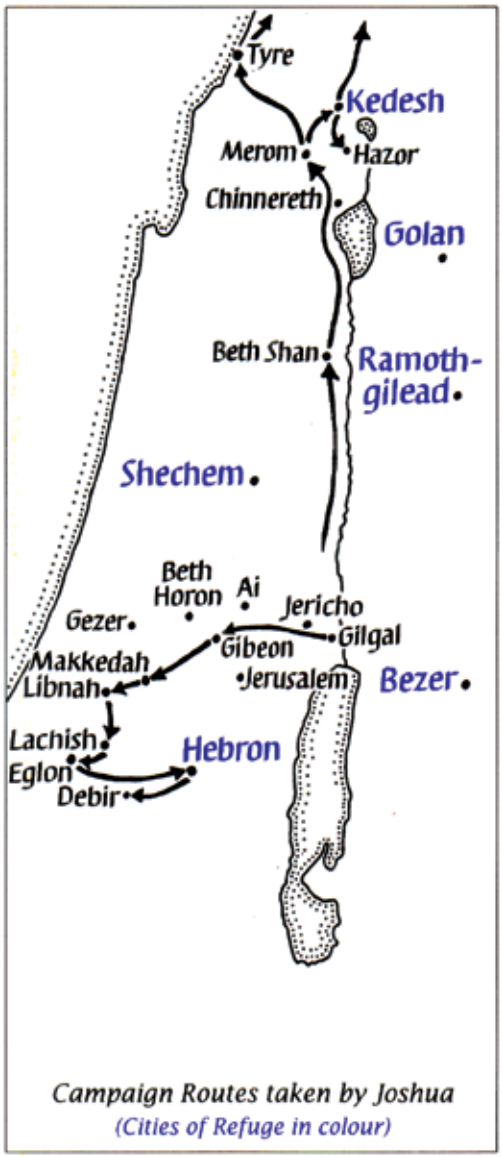
Numbers (ch 1) according to Tribe
(Men over 20 and excluding Levi)

Reuben	46,500	Ephraim	40,500
Simeon	59,300	Manasseh	32,200
Gad	45,650	Benjamin	35,400
Judah	74,600	Dan	62,700
Issachar	54,400	Asher	41,500
Zebulun	57,400	Naphtali	53,400

Total 603,550



The 12 tribes (4 standards) encamped around the Tabernacle and its priesthood, during the wilderness journeyings (Numbers 2). For explanation of the standards see Ezekiel (page 38) and Mark (page 58).



Campaign Routes taken by Joshua
(Cities of Refuge in colour)

APPROXIMATE CHRONOLGY
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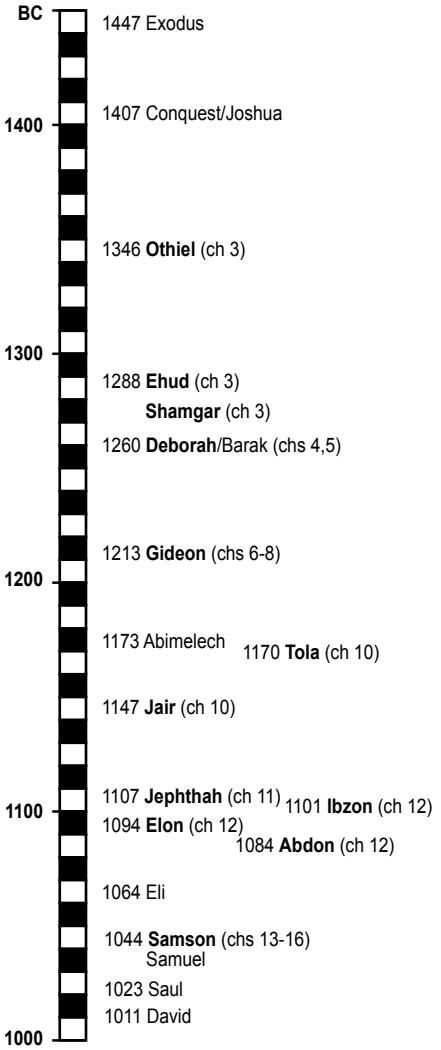
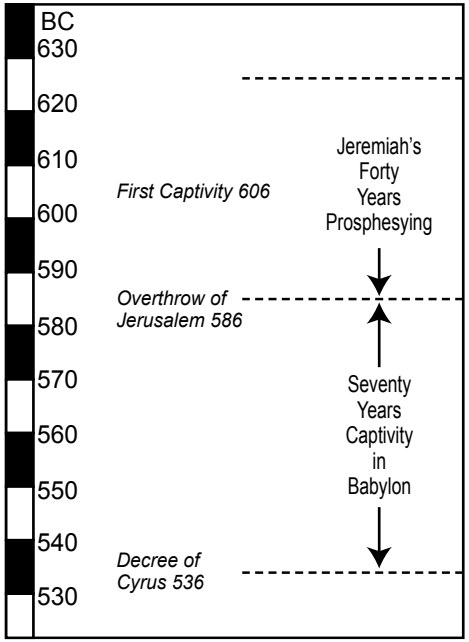


TIME CHART OF THE PERIOD



Summary of Bible Teaching

Theme	Teaching	Key Passages
THE BIBLE	Divinely inspired source of true teaching	Psalm 119:160; 2 Timothy 3:16,17; 2 Peter 1:20
GOD	One God, Creator, Father	Deutoronomy 6:4; John 17:3; 1 Timothy 2:5
	Holy Spirit is God's power	Genesis 1:2; Psalm 104:30; Acts 10:38
MAN	Made in the image of God	Genesis 1:26.27;5:1; James 3:9
	Sinful, in need of redemption	Psalm 14:2,3; John 1:29; Romans 3:23
	Mortal, in need of salvation	Genesis 3:19; Ecclesiastes 9:5; John 3:16
GOD'S PURPOSE	To fill the earth with His glory	Isaiah 45:18; Habakkuk 2:14; Revelation 21:1,10,11
	To save man from sin and death	Ezekiel 18:23; Luke 2:11; 1 Timothy 2:4
JESUS CHRIST	Son of God, born to Mary	Isaiah 9:6; Matthew 1:20; Luke 1:35
	Tempted like us, but sinless	Mark 1:12,13; Hebrews 2:17; 4:15
	Crucified; raised from the dead	Matthew 28:15,16; Acts 2:23,24; 1 Corinthians 15:3,4
	Ascended to heaven; will return	Luke 24:51; Acts 1:9-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:16
KINGDOM OF GOD	Israel in the past was a prototype	2 Chronicles 9:8; Ezekiel 21:25-27; Acts 1:6; 13:22
	God's promises to Abraham concerned a land and people	Genesis 13:14-17; Acts 7:2-5; Galatians 3:29
	David was promised a descendant who would be king	2 Samuel 7:12-14; Luke 1:32; Acts 13:22,23
	Christ is the king, who will return, raise and judge the dead, and set up God's everlasting kingdom	Matthew 16:27; 1 Corinthians 15:22-24; 2 Timothy 4:1,8
	Israel will be its centre; Jerusalem its capital	Jeremiah 3:17; Micah 4:2; Matthew 5:35
SALVATION	God's plan to save man by Christ's sacrifice	Isaiah 53:4-6; Acts 4:12; 1 Timothy 1:15
	By faith, shown also in works	Genesis 15:6; Romans 10:9; James 2:14-26
	Eternal life offered to those who repent, believe and are baptized	Mark 16:16; Romans 6:4,5; Galatians 3:27-27
DISCIPLESHIP	Following Christ's standards	Romans 6:12-14; Galatians 5:22-24; 2 Peter 3:11,14
	Moral separation from the ungodly world	2 Corinthians 6:14-18; Philippians 3:20; 1 Peter 2:9

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