Egyptian Rulers of the New Kingdom



18th Dynasty

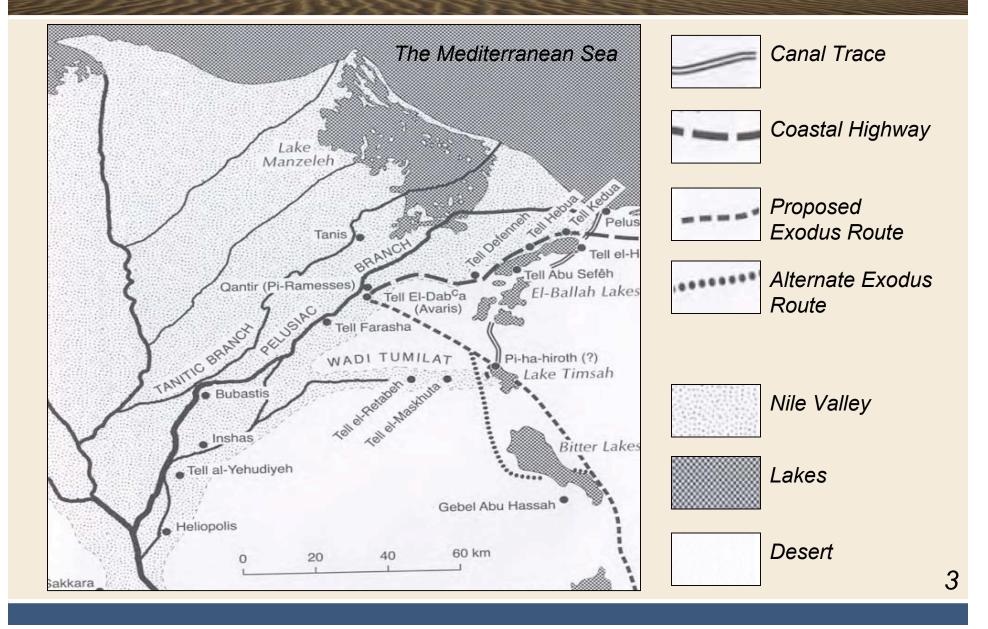
Amose I	1570-1548	
Amenhotep I	1548-1528	
Thutmose I	1528-1508	
Thutmose II	1508-1504	
Thutmose III	1504-1450	(1501-1447)
Amenhotep II	1450-1423	(1447-1421)
Thutmose IV	1423-1410	
Amenhotep III	1410-1377	
Amenhotep IV	1377-1358	(1380-1362)
Tutankhamon	1358-1349	
Ay	1349-1345	
Horemheb	1345-1318	

Egyptian Rulers of the New Kingdom



19th Dynasty Rameses I 1318-1317 (1302 - 1290)Sethi I 1317-1301 (1290-1224)Rameses II 1301-1234 Merneptah (1224 - 1214)1234-1222 Period of Confusion Rameses III 1195-1164 Period of Weakness Rameses IV – XI 1164-1087

Map of the Delta and North Sinai



Archaeological Periods in Canaan

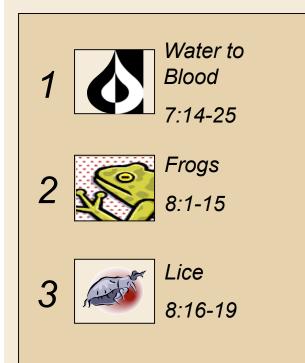
Early Bronze : 3000-2000	8	
Middle Bronze : 2000-1500 Late Bronze : 15	00-1200	
Iron I :	1200-900	
	Iron II :	900-600
	Iron III :	600-300

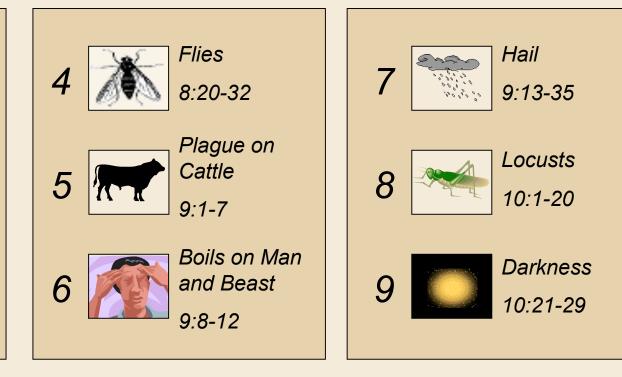
Egyptian Rulers Linked with the Exodus

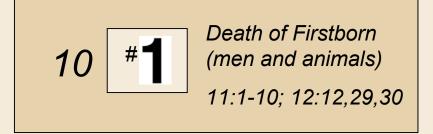
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Dates are from Finegan and (Archer)

The Ten Plagues







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הוא - Sign

"Sign,' is an action, an occurrence, an event by which a person recognizes, learns, remembers, or perceives, the authenticity of something."

-TDOT, v. 1, 170

Amen-hotep II and the Goddess Hathor

Amenhotep II (?) under the protection of the goddess Hathor in the form of a cow, sandstone statue from Deir el-Bahri

Characteristics of Plagues

The plagues are more than a series of causally connected natural phenomena because they are characterized by:

Prediction

- Intensification
- Acceleration
- Discrimination
- Revelatory Purpose

The Hardening of Pharaoh's Heart



Texts where Yahweh is the subject of the verb

4:21	I will harden his heart
7:3	I will harden Pharaoh's heart
9:12	Yahweh hardened Pharaoh's heart
10:1	I have hardened Pharaoh's heart
10:20	Yahweh hardened Pharaoh's heart
10:27	Yahweh hardened Pharaoh's heart
11:10	Yahweh hardened Pharaoh's heart
14:4	I will harden Pharaoh's heart
14:8	Yahweh hardened Pharaoh's heart
14:17	I will harden the Egyptians' hearts

The Hardening of Pharaoh's Heart



Texts where Pharaoh is the (or a) subject of the verb

8:15 (Heb 11)	He hardened his heart
8:32 (Heb 28)	Pharaoh hardened his heart
9:34	He and his officials hardened their hearts

The Hardening of Pharaoh's Heart



Texts where no source or agent is mentioned

7:13	Pharaoh's heart was hard
7:14	Pharaoh's heart was hard
7:22	Pharaoh's heart was hard
8:19 (Heb 15)	Pharaoh's heart was hard
9:7	Pharaoh's heart was unyielding
9:35	Pharaoh's heart was hard

Five Key Words in the Theology of the Passover

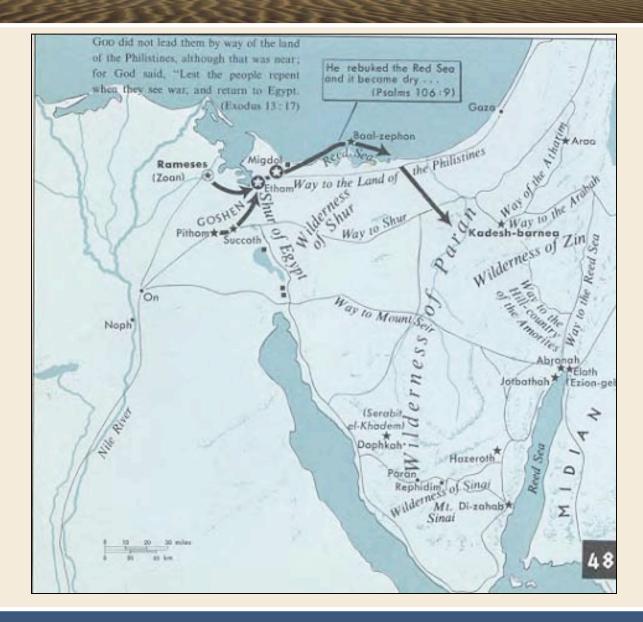
Propitiation

- Security or Salvation
- Substitution
- Deliverance
- Pilgrimage

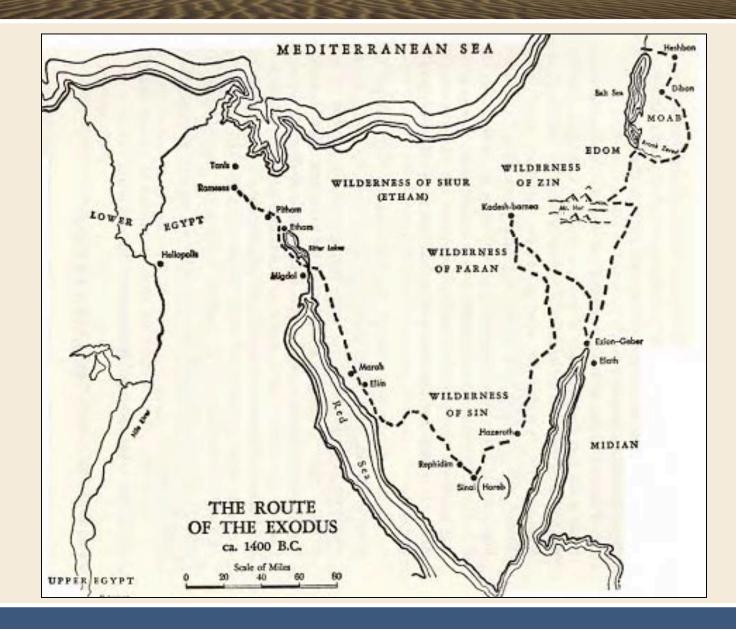
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Exodus and the Route of the Wandering



The Route of the Exodus



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Exodus 19:5

קגָלָה - n.f. possession, property

 Valued Property, peculiar treasure, which " has chosen (בחר) and taken to himself; always of people of Israel, first Ex 19:5 (LXX λαὸς περιούσιος = Tit 2:14; 1 Pet 2:9 λαὸς εἰς περιποίησιν = περιποίησις Eph 1:14)

Ancient Near Eastern Law Codes Prior to the Time of Moses



- Laws of Eshunna 1900 BC
- Lipit Ishtar Code 1870 BC
- Code of Hammurabi 1700 BC
- Hittite Laws 1500 BC



Ox Goring: A Comparison

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Exodus 21:28-32, 35	Laws of Eshunna 53-55
28 If a bull gores a man or a woman to death, the bull must be stoned to death, and its meat must not be eaten. But the owner of the bull will not be held responsible.	
29 If, however, the bull has had the habit of goring and the owner has been warned but has not kept it penned up and it kills a man or woman, the bull must be stoned and the owner also must be put to death.	
30 However, if payment is demanded of him, he may redeem his life by paying whatever is demanded.	
31 This law also applies if the bull gores a son or daughter.	

Ox Goring: A Comparison

Exodus 21:28-32, 35	Laws of Eshunna 53-55
32 If the bull gores a male or female slave, the owner must pay thirty shekels of silver to the master of the slave, and the bull must be stoned.	
35 If a man's bull injures the bull of another and it dies, they are to sell the live one and divide both the money and the dead animal equally.	53 If one ox gores a[nother] ox and causes its death, both ox owners shall divide [between them] the price [realized from the sale] of the live ox and the value of the dead OX
	54 If an ox is known to gore habitually and the ward authorities have had [the fact] made known to its owner, but he does not have his ox dehorned (?), it gores a man and causes [his] death, then the owner of the ox shall pay 2/3 of a mina of silver.
	55 If it gores a slave and causes [his] death, he shall pay 15 shekels of silver.

Differences Between the Book of the Covenant and Extra-Biblical Law Codes

Some specific differences:

- Idolatry is condemned
- Life is respected
- Punishments show restraint, no physical mutilation
- Class distinctions not prominent
- Slaves protected against abuses
- Immorality punished severely, marriage protected
- Widows, fatherless, strangers are protected

<u>Some general differences:</u>

- Difference in religious spirit
- High degree of humanitarian concern
- Legal terminology
- Order and content



Exodus 24:1-11

Key elements in the description of the Covenant ratification ceremony:

1. The covenant document (verses 4,7)

2. Covenant stipulations (verse 3)

3. Covenant oath (verses 3, 7)

4. Religious ceremony including sacrifices and sprinkling of blood (verses 4-6, 8-11)

5. Covenant meal (verse 11)

Great Kings of the Hittite Empire



Suppiluliumas	1395-1355
Mursilis II	1355-1325
Mowottalis	1325-1305
Hattusilas III	1298-1260
Thutholyas IV	1260-1230

Hittite Treaty Form

- 1. Preamble
- 2. Historical Prologue
- 3. Basic Stipulation / Statement of Substance
- 4. Detailed Stipulations
- 5. Witnesses
- 6. Blessings and Curses

Additional Features of the Hittite Treaty

- 1. Formal oath pledged by vassal
- 2. Ratification ceremony
- 3. Form for procedure against a rebellious vassal
- 4. Provision for deposit of the treaty document in the vassal's sanctuary / periodic public reading

Covenant / Treaty Form

Preamble			
Kitchen Ex 20:1 Dt 1:1-5 Josh 24:2			
Thompson Ex 19:3; 20:2a Josh 24:2a			

Historical Prologue				
Kitchen Ex 20:2 Dt 1:6-3:29 Josh 24:2-13				
Thompson Ex 19:4; 20:2b Dt 1-4 Josh 24:2b-13				

Basic Stipulation				
Kitchen Ex 20:3-17,22-26 Dt 4-11				
Thompson Ex 19:5a; 20:3 Dt 5-11 Josh 24:14				

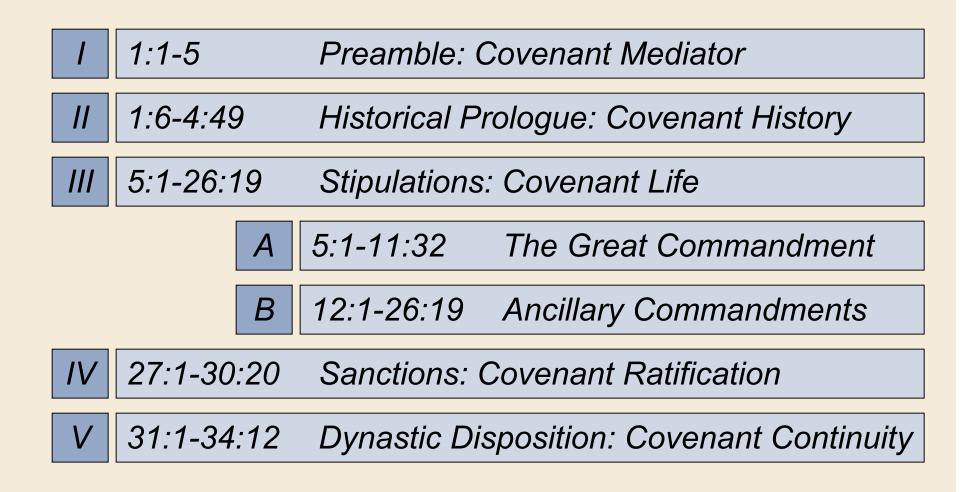
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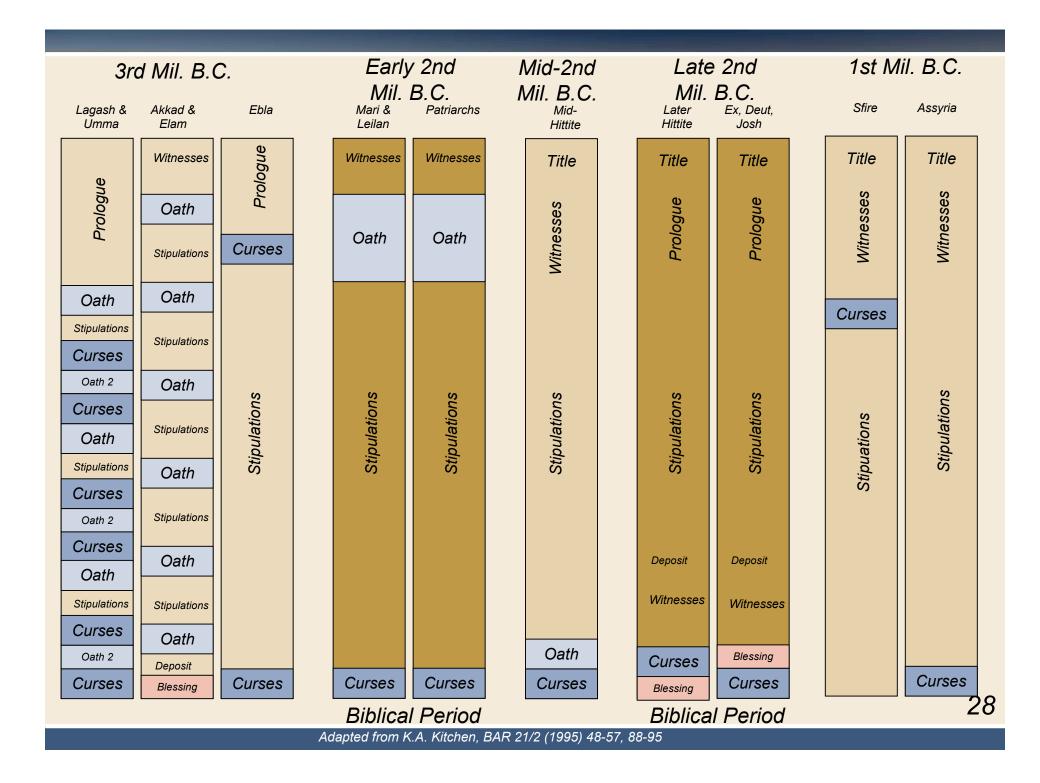
Detailed Stipulations				
Kitchen Ex 21-23 Dt 12-26 Josh 24:14-15				
Thompson Ex 20:4-17 Dt 12-26 Josh 24:25				

Witnesses				
Kitchen	Ex 24:4	Dt 31:16-30 (31:26); 32:1-47	Josh 24:27	
Thompson			Josh 24:22,27	

Curses and Blessings			
Kitchen		Dt 28:1-14,15-68	Josh 24:19-20
Thompson	Ex 19:5b,6a; 20:5b,6,7b,12b	Dt 27-30	

Outline of Deuteronomy



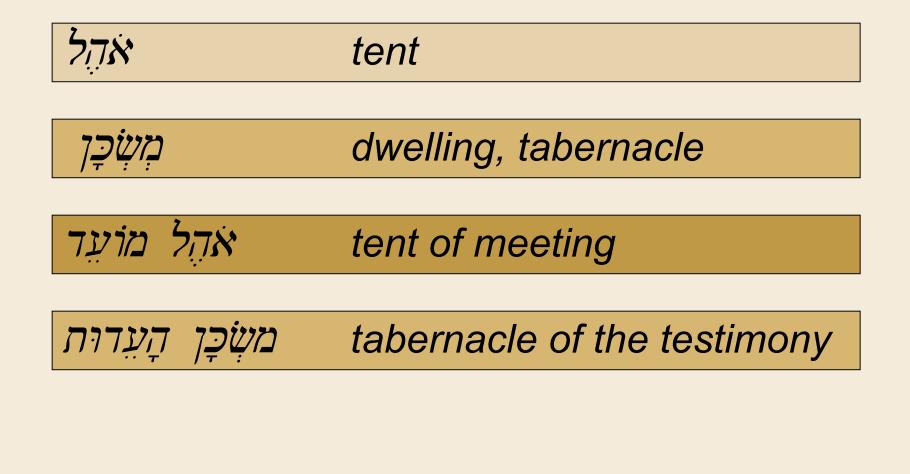


The Storm God Hadad (Adad)

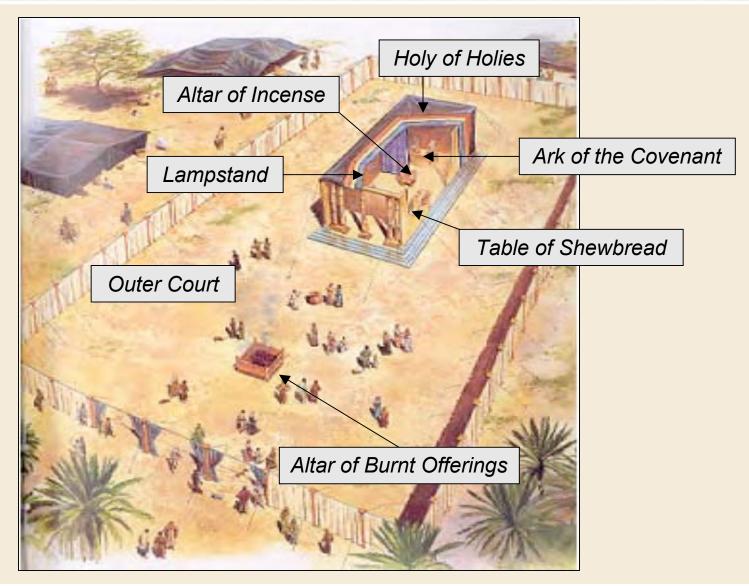


Fig. 98. The storm-god Hadad, or Adad, on the back of a bull with forked-lightning in his hands. From Arslan Tash, Syria, 8th century BC.

Terms Used to Designate the Tabernacle



The Tabernacle



Vos on Typology

SymbolSomething that portrays a certain fact or principle or relationshipof a spiritual nature in visible form. The things it pictures are of presentexistenceand presentapplication.

Туре

A typical thing is <u>prospective</u> – it relates to what will become real or applicable in the future.

A type can never be a type independently of its being first a symbol.

Only after having discovered what a thing symbolizes can we legitimately proceed to put the question what it typifies for the latter can never be aught else than the former lifted to a higher plane.

•The bond that holds type and antitype together must be a bond of vital continuity in the progress of redemption.

Typology is an effort to understand the unity of the Bible from the standpoint of history rather than allegory.

Types of Law Found in Leviticus

1. The circumstances under which the sinner can and should bring a sacrifice.

2. The kinds of sacrifices he should bring are enumerated and instructions are given concerning how they are to be offered.

3. The qualifications and duties of the priests are described.

4. Detailed laws concerning sexual chastity are given. This is to be seen against the background of the customs of the Canaanite peoples.

5. Laws concerning ritual cleanness and uncleanness are given (prohibited contact with dead body, leprosy, eating flesh of unclean animals, etc.).

Significance of Leviticus for Us

1. It provides the background for understanding references to sacrificial offerings, ceremonies of purification, institutions such as the sabbatical year, year of jubilee, etc. in the rest of the Bible.

2. It presents Christ in a typical way in the Old Testament. It is a book of atonement, sanctification and consecration.

3. It is of interest from the viewpoint of the general history of religions – comparison of the worship of Israel with that of other ancient peoples.

4. For Orthodox Jews, much of Leviticus is still observed today, including dietary laws and observance of the Sabbath. Most people when asked what book of the Pentateuch they would like to study would say Genesis. The Orthodox Jew, however, would probably say Leviticus.

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Chronology of the Book of Numbers

The book covers a period of 38 years

Num 1:1	From: 1 st day / 2 nd mo / 2 nd yr after exodus
Deut 1:3	To: 1 st day / 11 th mo / 40 th yr after exodus

The Israelites encamped at Sinai for about 2 years

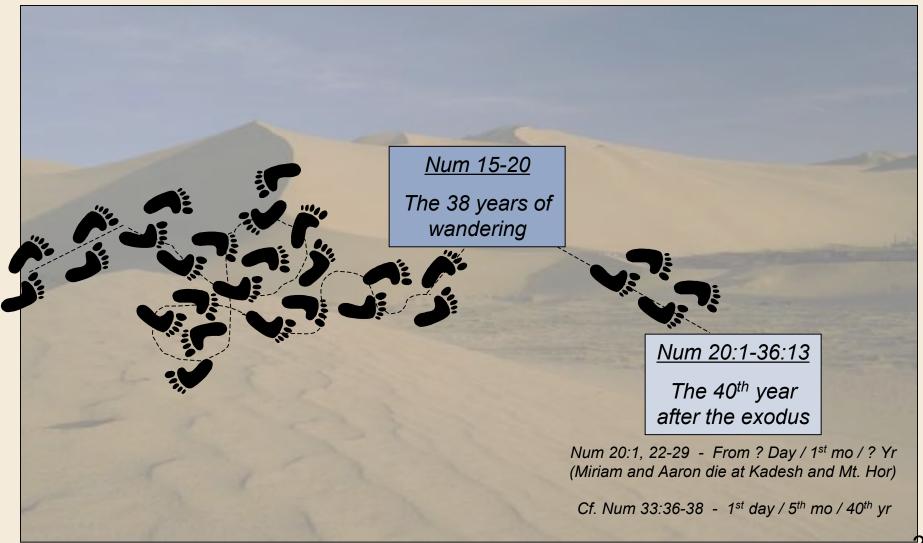
Ex 19:1 From: 3rd month after the exodus

Num 10:11 To: 20th day / 2nd mo / 2nd yr after exodus

Chronology of the Book of Numbers



Chronology of the Book of Numbers



Terminology for Census Figures in Numbers



How Did Deuteronomy Get Its Name?

Deuteronomy 17:18 18 וְהָיָה כְּשָׁבְתּוֹ עַל כִּסֵּא מַמְלַכְתּוֹ וְכָתַב לוֹ אָת־מִשְׁנִה 18 הַתּוֹרָה הַזֹּאַת עַל־סֵפֶר מִלִּפְנִי הַכֹּהַנִים הַלְויִם:

LXX

δευτερονόμιον τουτο

Deuteronomy 1:1 1 אָלֶה הַדְּבָרִים אֲשָׁר דִבָּר משָׁה אָל־כָּל־יִשְׂרָאֵל בְּעֵבֶר הַיַּרְדֵן בַּמִּרְבָּר בָּעֲרָבָה מוֹל סוּף בֵּינ־כָּאָרָן וּבֵינ־תּכָּל וְלָבָן וַחֲצֵרֹת וְדִיַזָהָב:

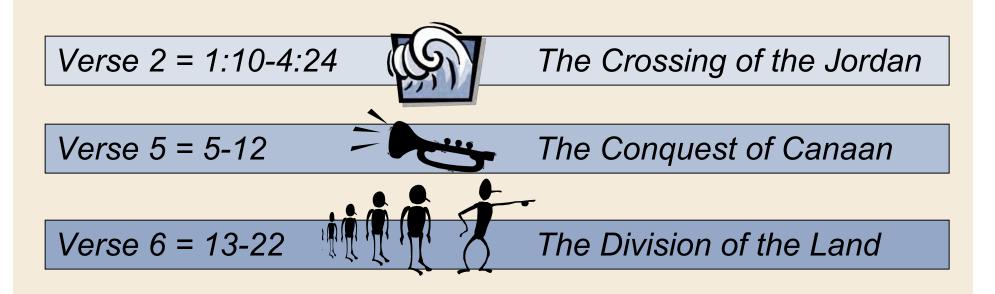


הושע

יָהוֹשָׁעַ?

Ίησους

A Preview of the Content of the Book of Joshua

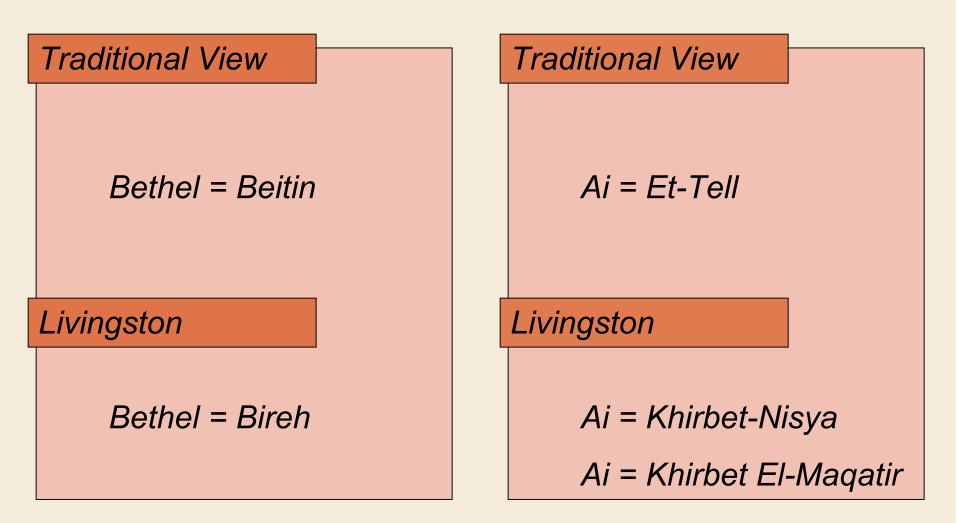


Verses 7,8 = 23-24

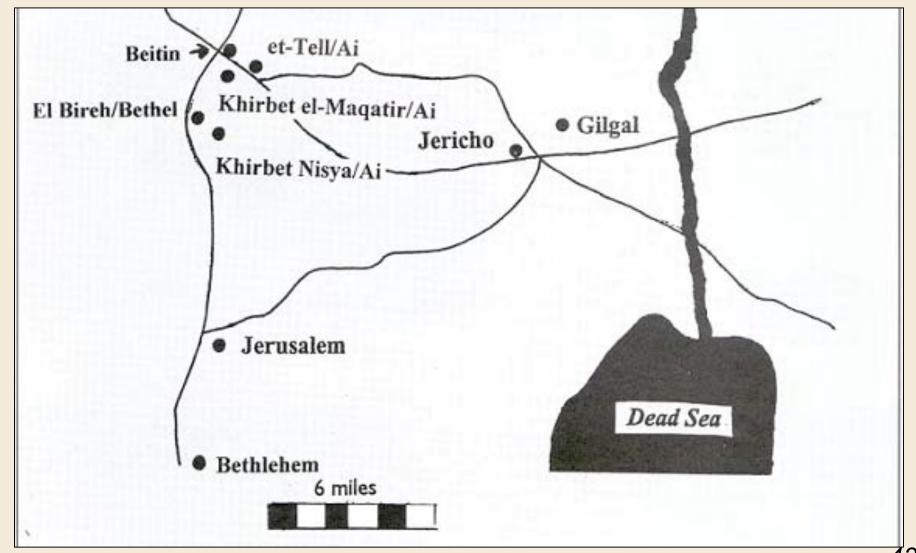


The Challenge to be Faithful to the Covenant

Identification of Bethel and Ai



Identification of Bethel and Ai





"Sun, stand thou still upon Gibeon"



"And the sun stood still"

Hebrew is: Di7 – be silent, cease, leave off



"And the moon stayed"

Hebrew is: עמד

"So the sun stood still in the midst of heaven"

Hebrew is: עמד - has sense of "cease" in 2 Kings 4:6; Jonah 1:15



"The sun...hastened not <u>to go down</u> about a whole day"

Hebrew is: לְבוֹא: - come, enter. Normally means "set" or "go down" when applied to the sun.

Note: Either 'I' or I'T are usually used for sunrise. However, in Isa 60:1 ("Arise, shine; for your light is <u>come</u> [\Box] and the glory of the Lord <u>has risen</u> [\Box] upon you") is parallel to I'T. It is possible then to argue that \Box can apply to the <u>coming of light</u> and the <u>rising of the sun</u>.



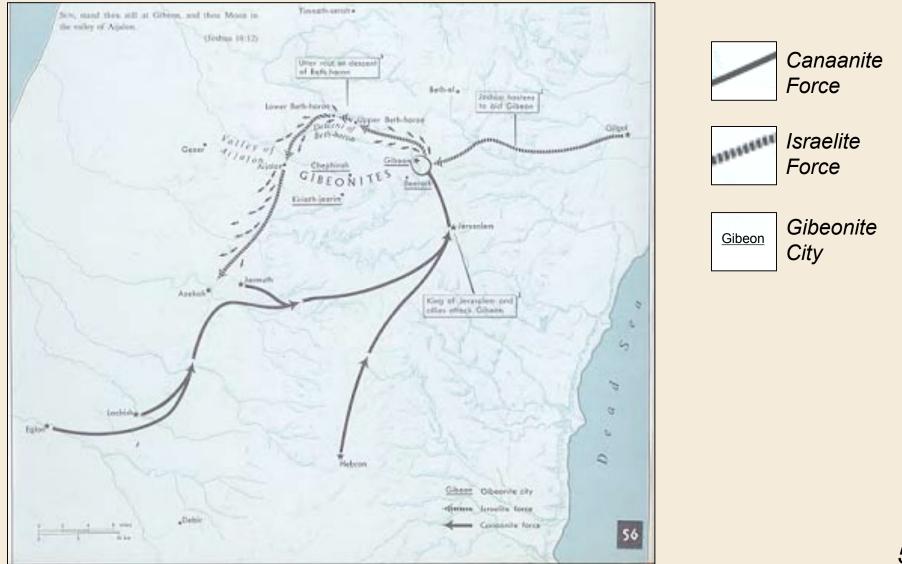
"about a whole day"

Hebrew is: הָמָים - כְּיוֹם הָמִים - idea of what is complete or finished. Suggested translation: "as when day is done"

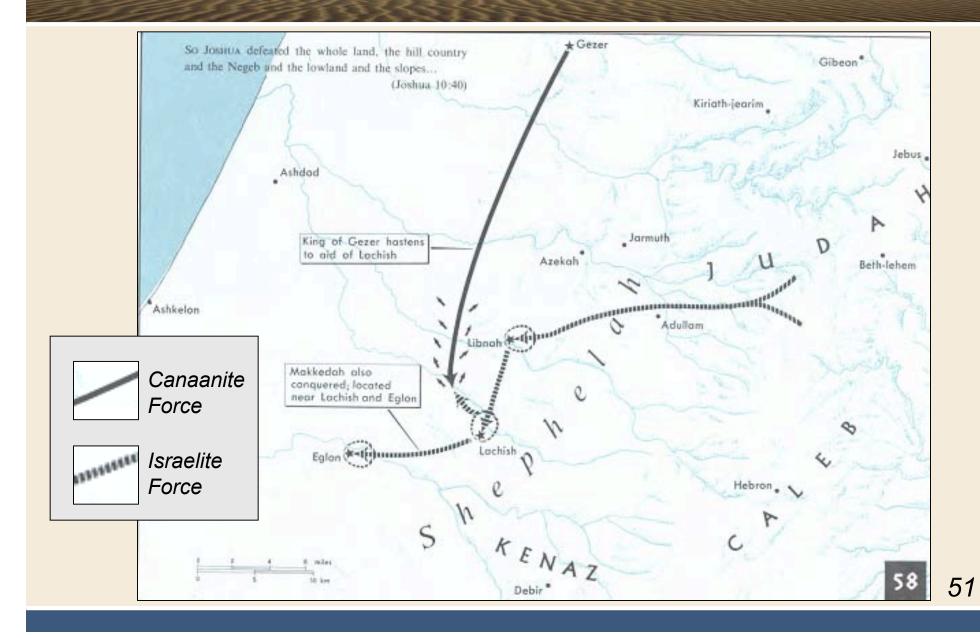


"The sun ceased (shining) in the midst of the sky and did not hasten to come (so that it was) as when day is done."

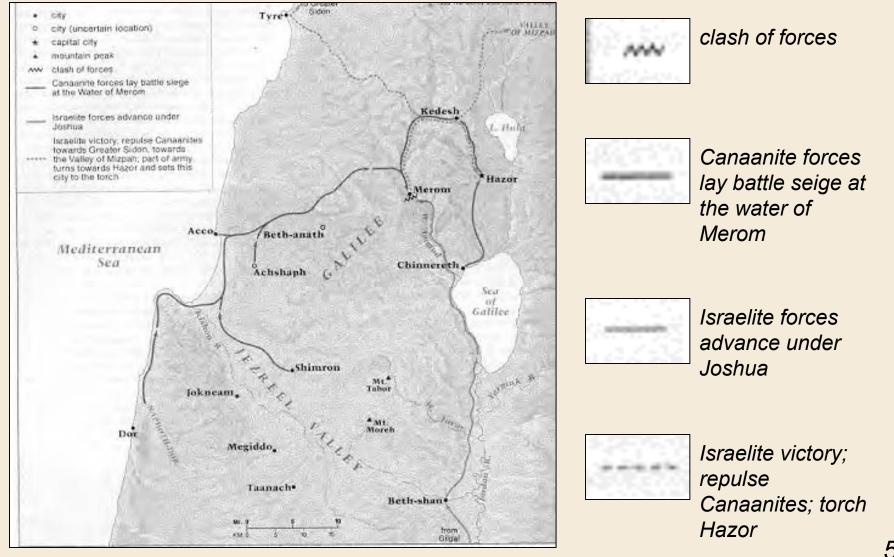
The Battle of Gibeon



The Conquest of the Cities of the Shephelah



The Conquest of Hazor



The Covenant Form in Joshua 24

Preamble	2a	
Historical Prologue	2b - 13	
Stipulations (Basic, Detailed)	14, 15, 25	
Oath	16, 21, 24	
Witnesses	22, 27	
Covenant Document	26	
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Judges

Purpose

To depict this period of Israel's history in such a way that the religious and moral deterioration of Israel, as well as the righteous acts of a covenant keeping God in bringing judgment and deliverance are clearly seen.

Emphases

Stress on Israel's inward weakness in turning away from Yahweh and falling under the influence of the heathen religious and moral practices of the Canaanites.

Depiction of the chaotic social conditions that led to the desire for a king.

Depiction of the gracious and unmerited interventions of a covenant keeping God.

Mesopotamian oppression	8	3:8
Othniel – deliverance and rest	40	3:11
Moabite oppression	18	3:14
Ehud – deliverance and rest	80	3:30
Canaanite oppression – Jabin	20	4:3
Deborah, Barak – deliverance / rest	40	5:31
Midianite oppression	7	6:1
Gideon – deliverance / rest	40	7:28
Abimelech – puppet king	3	9:22



Period of Time in Judges	# Years	Reference
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Tola – judgeship	23	10:2
Jair – judgeship	22	10:3
Ammonite oppression	18 (319)	10:8
Jephthah – deliverance / rest	6	12:7
lbzan – judgeship	7	12:9
Elon – judgeship	19	12:11
Abdon – judgeship	8	12:14
Philistine oppression	40	13:1
Samson – exploits and judgeship	20	15:20



How much or how little must the period be compressed?



If the Exodus was ca. 1290 and the conquest was ca. 1250:

1250	
-966	
284	
	*Eli 20
	Samuel 20
117	Saul 33
	David 40
167	Solomon 4
	117
	<u>-966</u> 284 117

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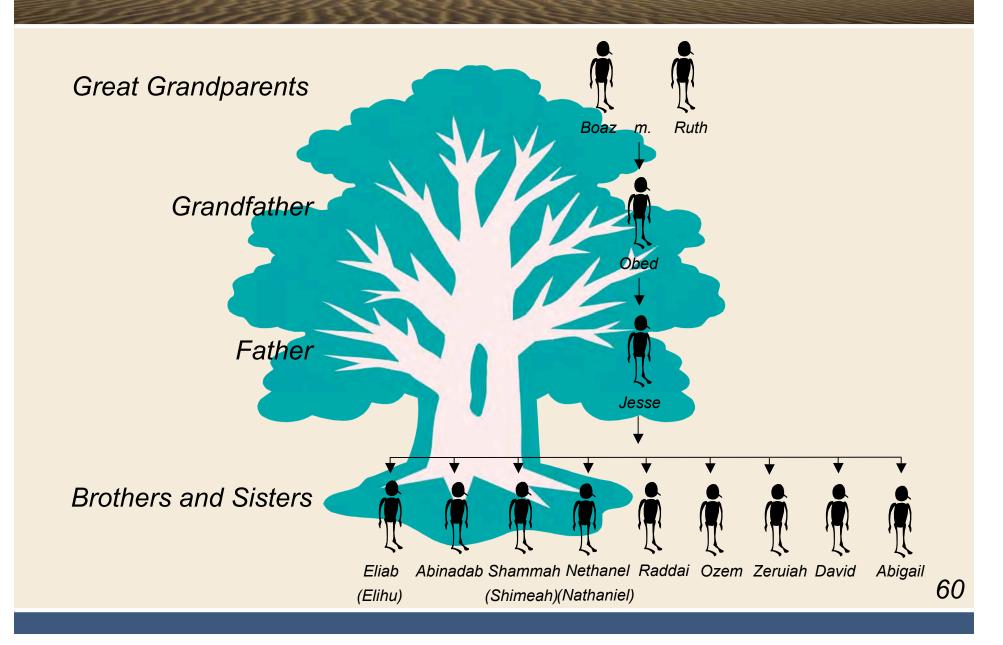
If the Exodus was 1446 and the conquest was 1406:

Conquest	1406		
4 th Year of Solomon	-966		
	440		
		*Eli	20
		Samuel	20
Eli to Solomon, ca.*	117	Saul	33
		David	40
Joshua to end of Judges	323	Solomon	4
			117

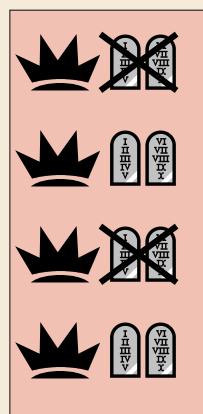
Major and Minor Judges

Othniel	Mesopotamia	3:7-11
Ehud	Moab	3:12-30
Shamgar	Philistia	3:31
Deborah & Barak	Canaan	4:1-5:31
Gideon	Midian	6:1-8:35
Tola		10:1-2
Jair		10:3-5
Jephthah	Ammon	10:6-12:7
lbzan		12:8-10
Elon		12:11-12
Abdon		12:13-15
Samson	Philistia	13:1-16:31

The Ancestry of David of Judah



Kingship and Covenant in 1,2 Samuel



- 1. Kingship as requested by the people was a denial of the covenant.
- 2. Kingship as instituted by Samuel was consistent with the covenant.
- 3. Kingship as practiced by Saul failed to correspond to the covenant ideal.
- 4. Kingship as practiced by David was an imperfect but true representation of the ideal of the covenantal king.



1 Samuel 1-12



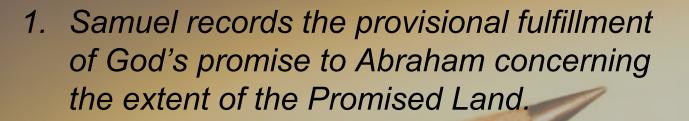


Saul





Important Advances in the History of Redemption Recorded in 1,2 Samuel



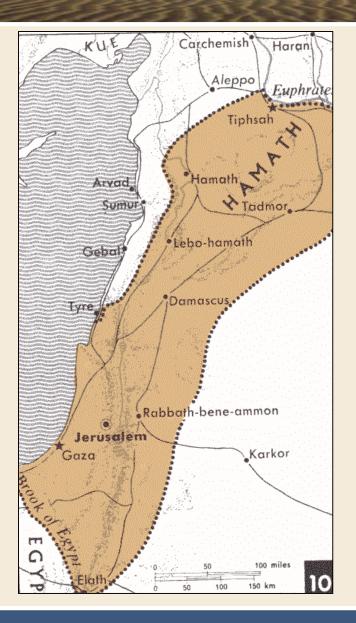


2. In 1 Samuel we are told about the establishment of kingship in Israel and the association of anointing with kingship.



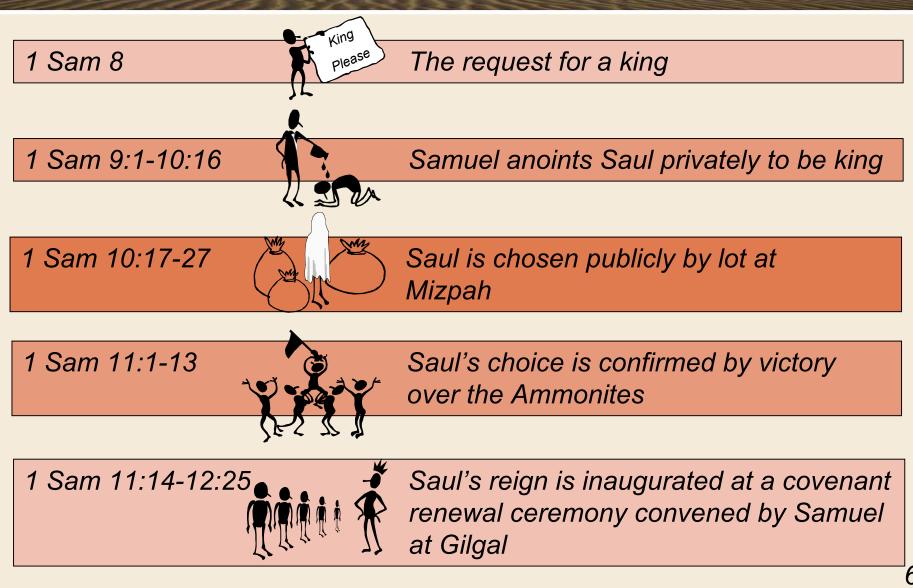
3. 1,2 Samuel record how Jerusalem became the political and religious center of Israel.

The Israelite Kingdom in the Days of David and Solomon





1 Samuel 8-12



The Literary Criticism of 1 Samuel 8-12

Early Source – "Pro-Monarchy"

1 Samuel 9:1-10:16

*1 Samuel 11:1-15

Late Source – "Anti-Monarchy"

1 Samuel 8:1-22

*1 Samuel 10:17-27

1 Samuel 12:1-25

* Two conflicting accounts of the inauguration of Saul

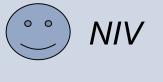
1 Samuel 11:14 is viewed as a "redactional insertion" to provide a link between the two sources.

Thus the use of the term "renew".

1 Samuel 12:14,15

Verse 14

- KJV If you fear the Lord…<u>then shall</u> both you and also the king who reigneth over you <u>continue</u> following the Lord your God.*
- •••
 - RSV If you fear the Lord...<u>and if</u> both you...<u>it will be well</u>.

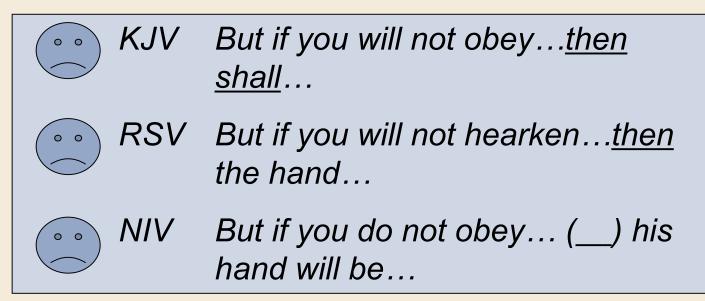


If you fear the Lord...and if both
you...good!

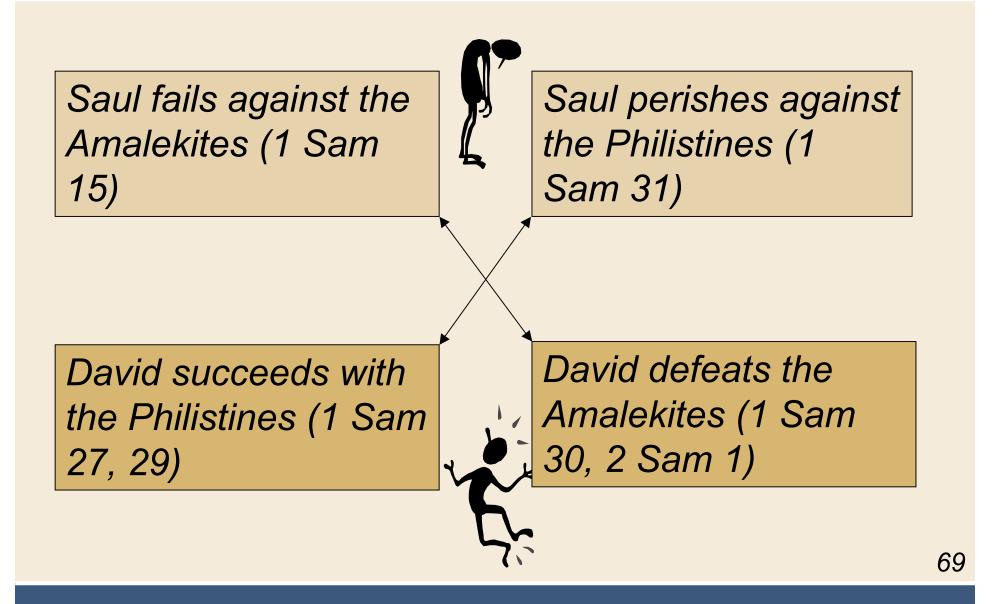
* "Continue following the Lord" – קיָה אַחַר literally "to be after"

1 Samuel 12:14,15

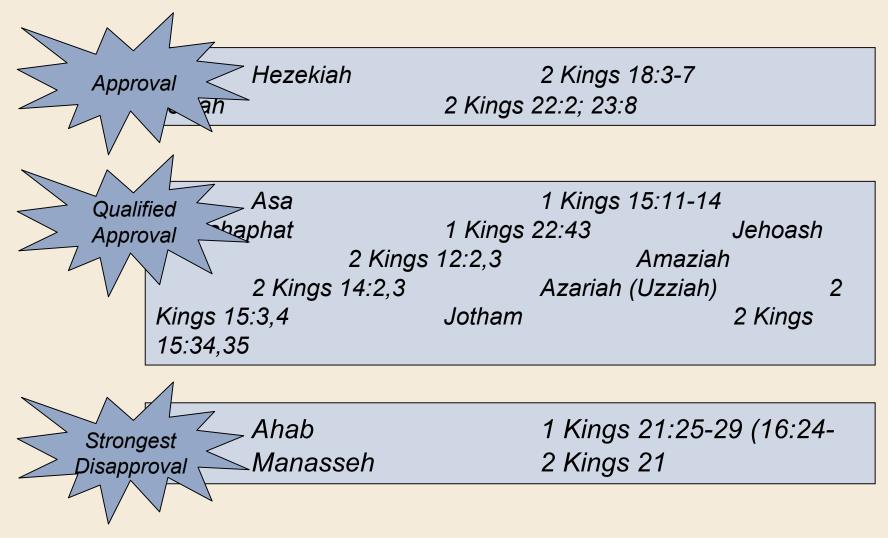
Verse 15

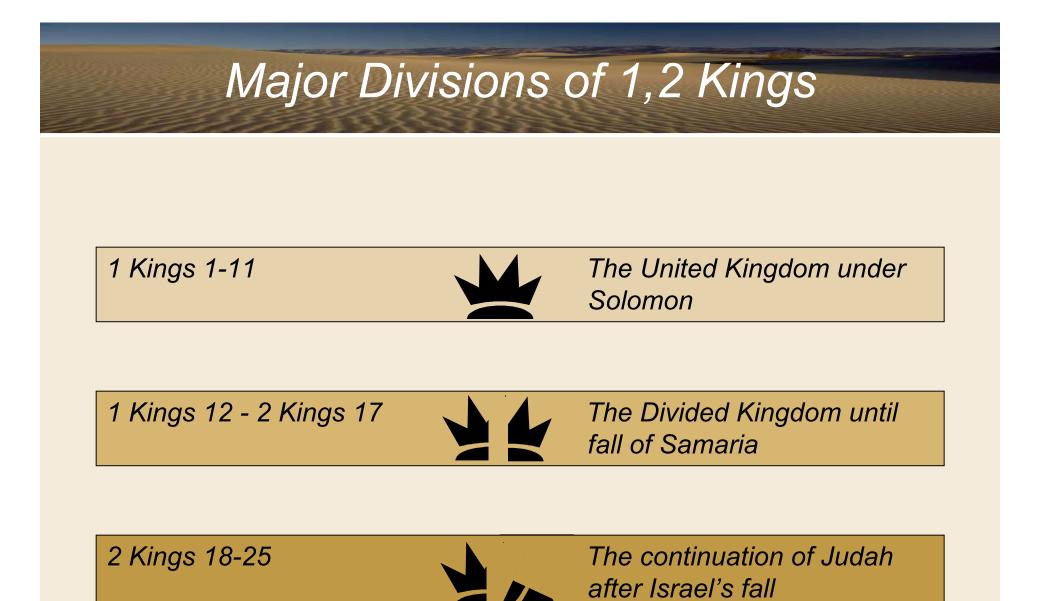


The Crossing Fates



Assessment of the Kings of Israel and Judah





1,2 Chronicles

Emphases:

The kingship of David and his successors in Judah is the focal point

The Temple and its service is a major legacy which is left to the restored community by the house of David

The importance of obedience to the law and the prophets is emphasized by drawing attention to the theme of retribution