



# 🌀 Book of Jeremiah 🌀

## At-A-Glance

An Overview of the Books of the Bible

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PENMAN: Jeremiah (1:1)

POSITION: OT - Major Prophets

PERIOD: 626-586 BC

PLACE: Jerusalem

PHASE: Divided Kingdom

PUBLIC: Judah (mankind)

## KEY POINTS:

The "Weeping Prophet" (9:1)

Main purpose was to urge people to repent or be conquered

The Lord will reject those who reject Him

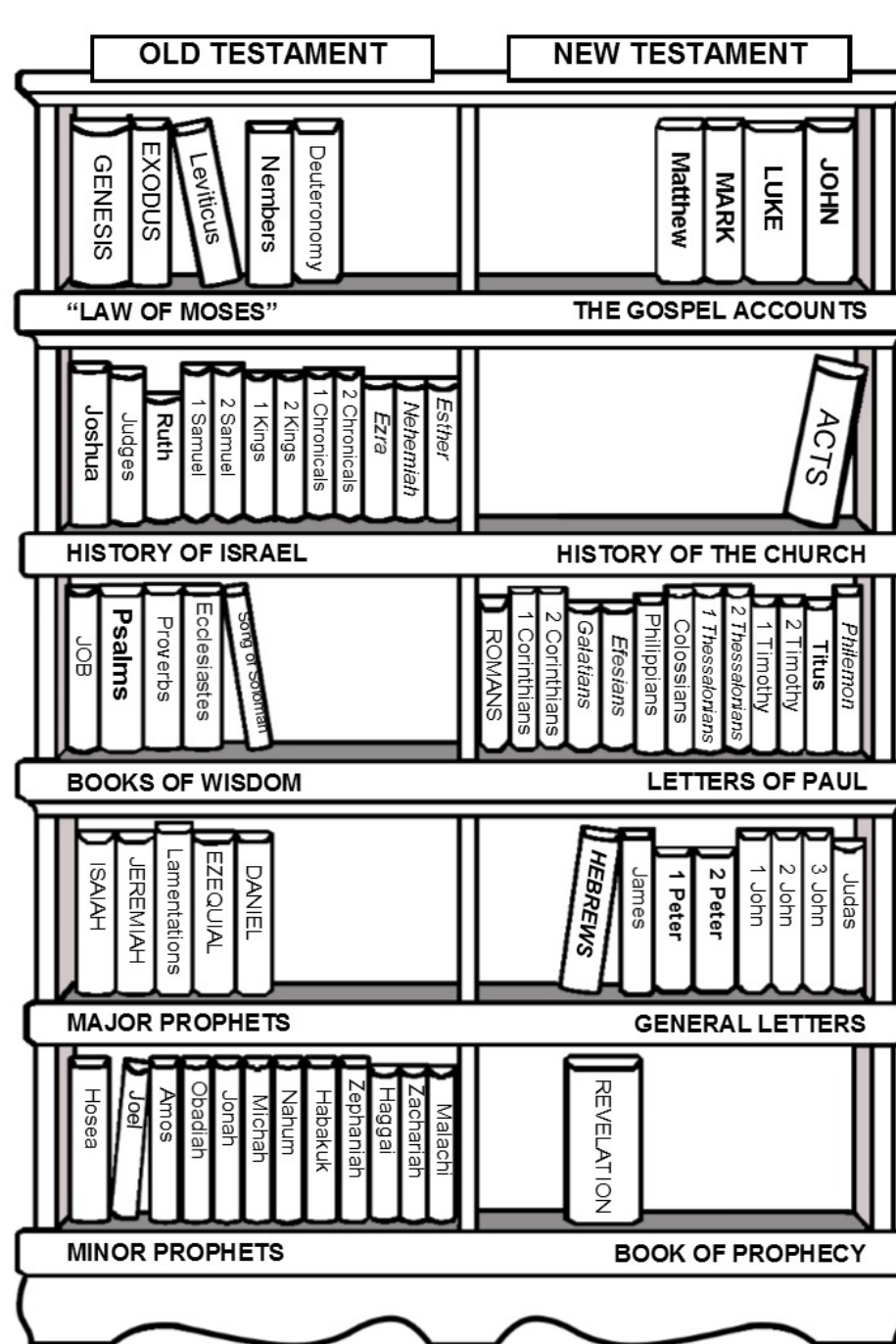
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Deuteronomy 5:1-5
- **Why was it given?**  
Galatians 3:19  
Romans 15:4
- **Its intended design**  
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- **It was fulfilled in Christ!**  
Matthew 5:17
- **It was nailed to the cross!**  
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Matthew 28:18  
Acts 3:22-26  
Hebrews 1:1-2
- **By the blood of Christ**  
Revelation 1:5-6
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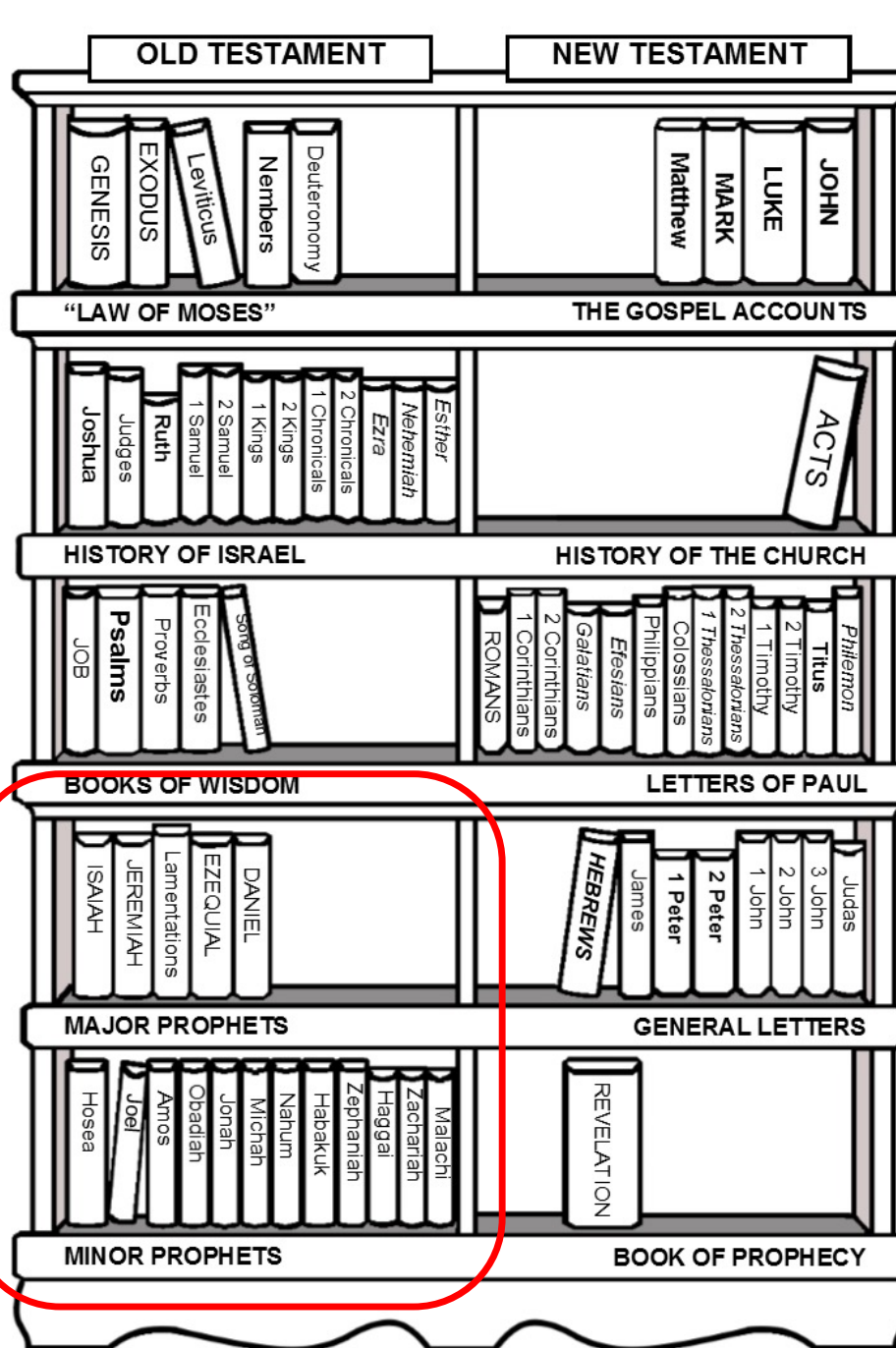
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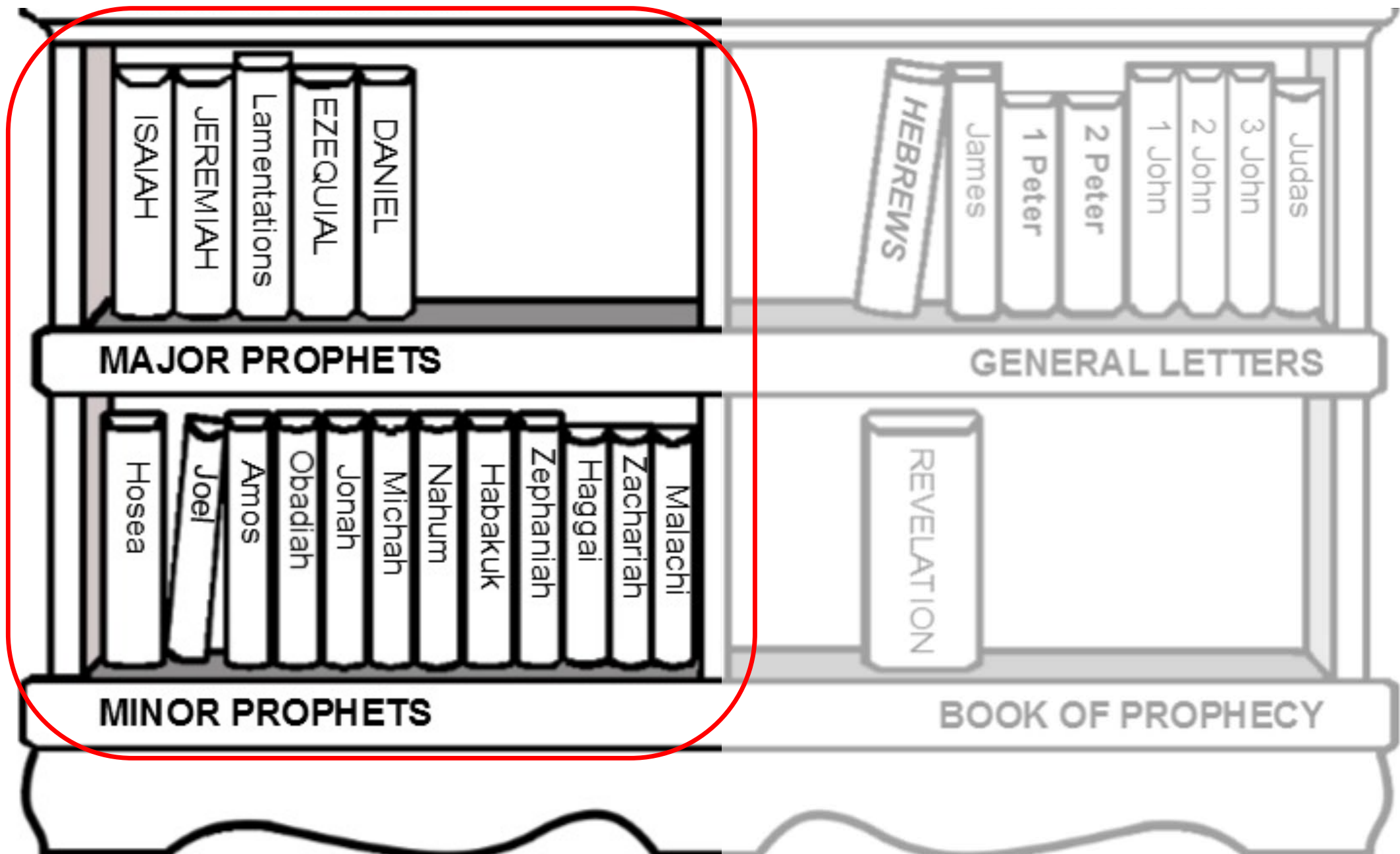
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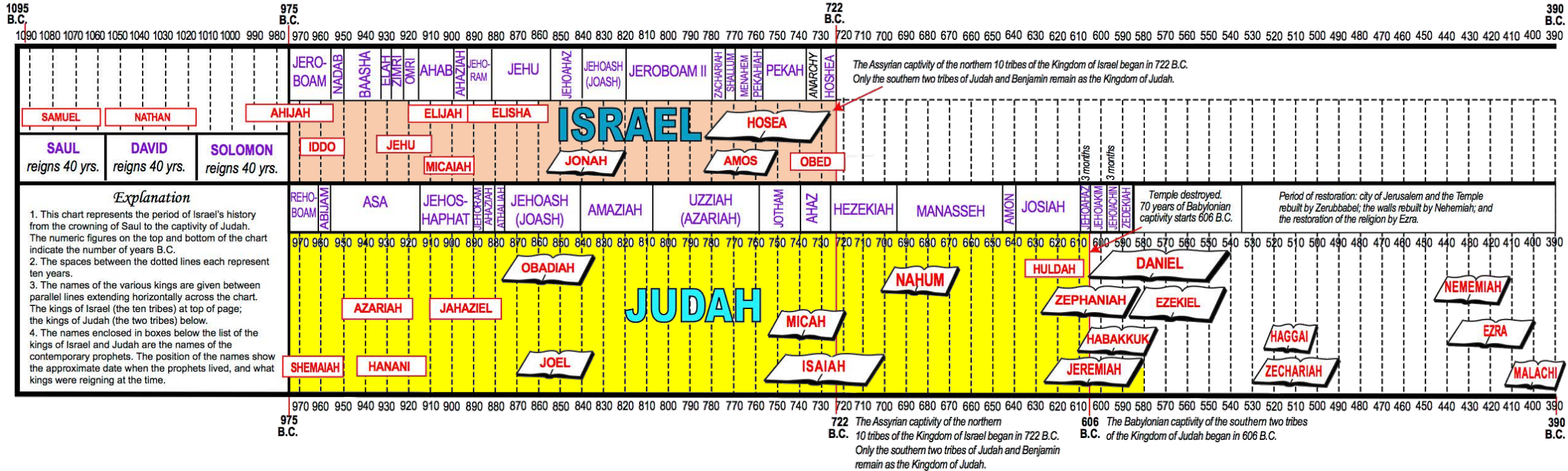


1	<b>ANTE-DILUVIAN PHASE</b>	Creation – 2349 B.C.	Gen. 1:1 - 8:12
2	<b>POST-DILUVIAN PHASE</b>	- 1921 B.C.	Gen. 8:13 - 11:26
3	<b>PATRIARCH PHASE</b>	- 1706 B.C.	Gen. 11:26 - 46:7
4	<b>EGYPTIAN BONDAGE</b>	- 1491 B.C.	Gen. 46:8 - Ex. 14:31
5	<b>WILDERNESS WANDERING</b>	- 1450 B.C.	Ex. 15:1 - Josh. 3:17
6	<b>CONQUEST OF CANAAN</b>	- 1430 B.C.	Joshua 4:1 - Judges 3:9
7	<b>THE JUDGES</b>	- 1095 B.C.	Judges 3:10 - 1 Sam 10:17
8	<b>UNITED KINGDOM</b>	- 975 B.C.	1 Sam 11:1 - 1 Kings 11:43
9	<b>DIVIDED KINGDOM</b>	- 721 B.C.	1 Kings 12:1 - 2 Kings 17:41
10	<b>JUDAH ALONE</b>	- 586 B.C.	2 Kings 18:1 - 25:30
11	<b>BABYLONIAN CAPTIVITY</b>	- 536 B.C.	2 Chr. 36:22 - Ezra 1:4
12	<b>THE RESTORATION</b>	- 432 B.C.	Ezra 1:1 - Nehemiah 13:31
13	<b>BETWEEN THE TESTAMENTS</b>	- 5 B.C.	
14	<b>COMING OF IMMANUEL</b>	- 29/30 A.D.	Matthew; Mark; Luke; John
15	<b>THE CHURCH</b>	- Current	Acts 2:1 – Revelation 22:21

# KINGS AND PROPHETS CHART

## United Kingdom

## Divided Kingdoms of Israel and Judah



*Explanation*

- This chart represents the period of Israel's history from the crowning of Saul to the captivity of Judah. The numeric figures on the top and bottom of the chart indicate the number of years B.C.
- The spaces between the dotted lines each represent ten years.
- The names of the various kings are given between parallel lines extending horizontally across the chart. The kings of Israel (the ten tribes) at top of page; the kings of Judah (the two tribes) below.
- The names enclosed in boxes below the list of the kings of Israel and Judah are the names of the contemporary prophets. The position of the names show the approximate date when the prophets lived, and what kings were reigning at the time.

### Important Dates:

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 1095 B.C. - Start of the United Kingdom                                   | 596 B.C. - Second deportation of Judean captives            |
| 975 B.C. - Division of the kingdom  | 586 B.C. - Third deportation with destruction of the temple |
| 722 B.C. - Assyrian captivity of Northern Kingdom                         | 536 B.C. - First return campaign led by Zerubbabel          |
| 612 B.C. - Babylonia invade Assyrians                                     | 520 B.C. - Completion of the temple rebuilding              |
| 606 B.C. - First deportation of Judean captives into Babylonian captivity | 458 B.C. - Second return led by Ezra                        |
|   | 445 B.C. - Third return led by Nehemiah                     |

722 B.C.

30 870 860 850 840 830 820 810 800 790 780 770 760 750 740 730 720 710 700 690 680 670 660 650 640 630 620 610 600 590 580 570 560 550 540 530 520 510 500 4

JEHU	JEHOAHAZ	JEHOASH (JOASH)	JEROBOAM II	ZACHARIAH	SHALLUM	MENAHEM	PEKAHIAH	PEKAH	ANARCHY	HOSHEA	
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**ISRAEL**

ELISHA

JONAH

HOSEA

AMOS

OBED

3 months

3 months

JATHALIAH	JEHOASH (JOASH)	AMAZIAH	UZZIAH (AZARIAH)	JOTHAM	AHAZ	HEZEKIAH	MANASSEH	AMON	JOSIAH	JEHOAHAZ	JEHOIAKIM	JEHOACHIN	ZEDEKIAH	
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Temple destroyed. 70 years of Babylonian captivity starts 606 B.C. Period of resto rebuilt by Zerul the restoration

**JUDAH**

OBADIAH

JOEL

MICAH

ISAIAH

NAHUM

HULDAH

ZEPHANIAH

HABAKKUK

JEREMIAH

DANIEL

EZEKIEL

HAGGAI

ZECHARIAH

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## PARTICULARS:

Name means "Appointed by Yahweh"

Largest of the Major Prophets in content

Preached 40 yrs: witnessed all three exiles / cruel opposition /  
destruction of Jerusalem / carried off to Egypt

Not written in chronological order!

Preaching of Jeremiah	Persecution of Jeremiah	Proclamations of Jeremiah	Punishment of Judah
1 – 33	34 - 45	46 - 51	52

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- Lord of Righteousness (23:6; 33:16)
- The Branch (23:5)

## KEY PASSAGES:

- 1:10; 6:16; 11:11
- 15:1,7; 25:11; 50:3; 52:13-15

## KEY PHRASES:

"Babylon" (168x)

"Rejection" (6x); "Forsaken" (23x)

"Thus says the Lord" (147x)

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## GREAT LESSONS:

Jeremiah's call / God knows everything about us

The problems of sin / wages of sin

Wisdom, power and wealth are no equal for knowing and understanding God. (9:23-24)

The promises and assurances of God (31:33)

Not every story ends with grace, judgment can be final. (52:10)

The full range of God's character.

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## PRACTICAL APPLICATION (HOW DOES THIS BOOK APPLY TO ME?)

### MY FAITH:

- Disobeying or rejecting God's word is dangerous! (8:9)
- Importance of right relationship with God (17:7-8)

### MY ACTIONS:

- Importance of prayer (29:12-13)
- God's word should be a "fire in our bones" (20:9)
- Put all your trust in God (33:3)