

MESSIAH

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Lesson 11

Messiah's Kingdom, Part 1

Selected Verses

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Kingdom Theme:

1. Kingdom Created (Gen. 1, 2)
2. Kingdom Corrupted (Gen. 3)
3. Kingdom Ruler Promised (Gen. 3:15)
4. Kingdom Restoration

- Exactly how God is working out the restoration of His Kingdom on Earth is the unifying theme of the Bible.

- Israel is the conduit through whom God is working His plan to redeem the world and restore His Kingdom.

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thousand

ABRAHAMIC COVENANT

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Genesis 12:1-13

“land” **“seed”** **“blessing”**

**ISRAEL LAND
COVENANT**

Deuteronomy 30

“land”

**DAVIDIC
COVENANT**

2 Samuel 7

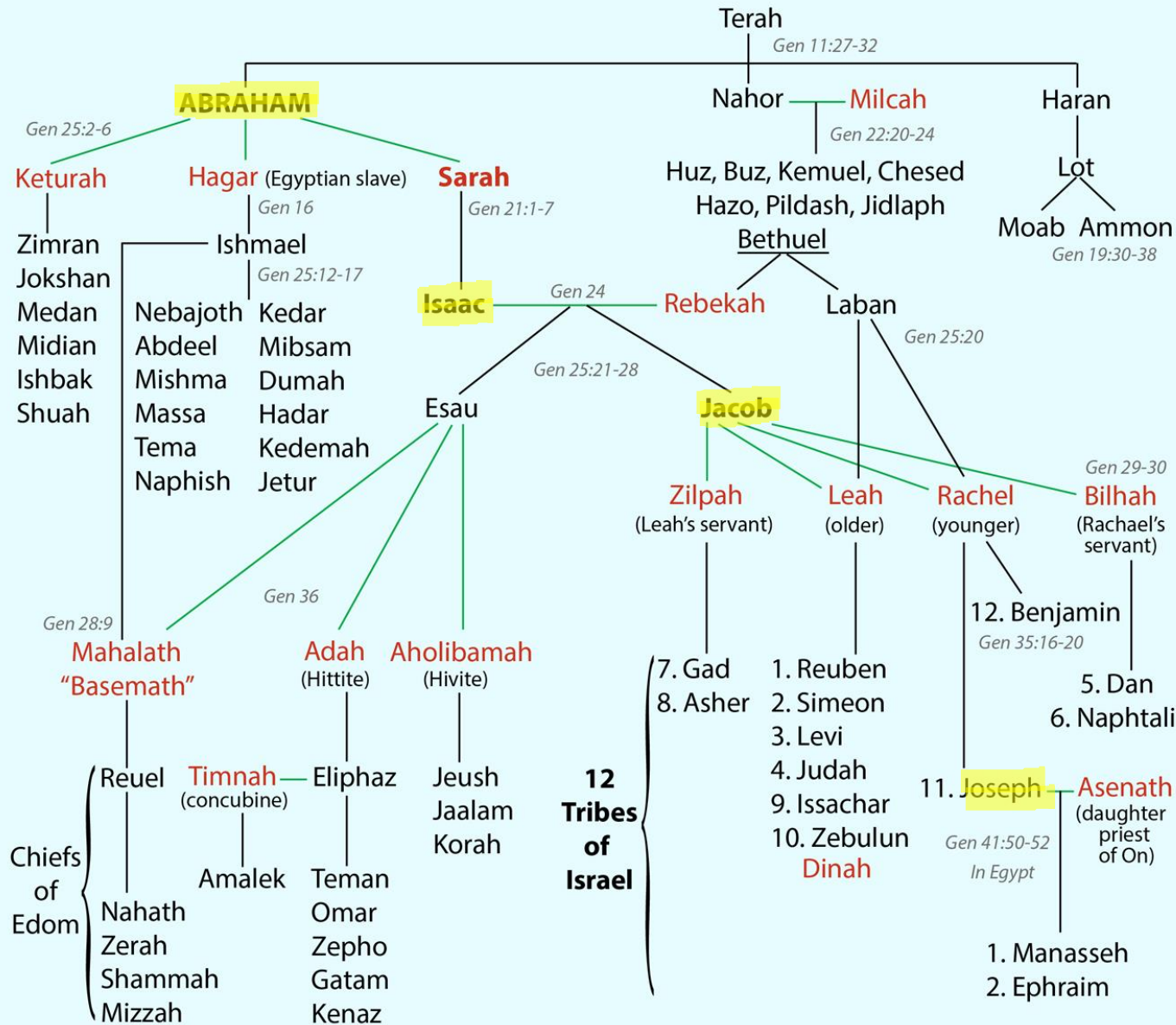
“seed”

**NEW
COVENANT**

Jeremiah 31

“blessing”

GENEALOGY OF ABRAHAM



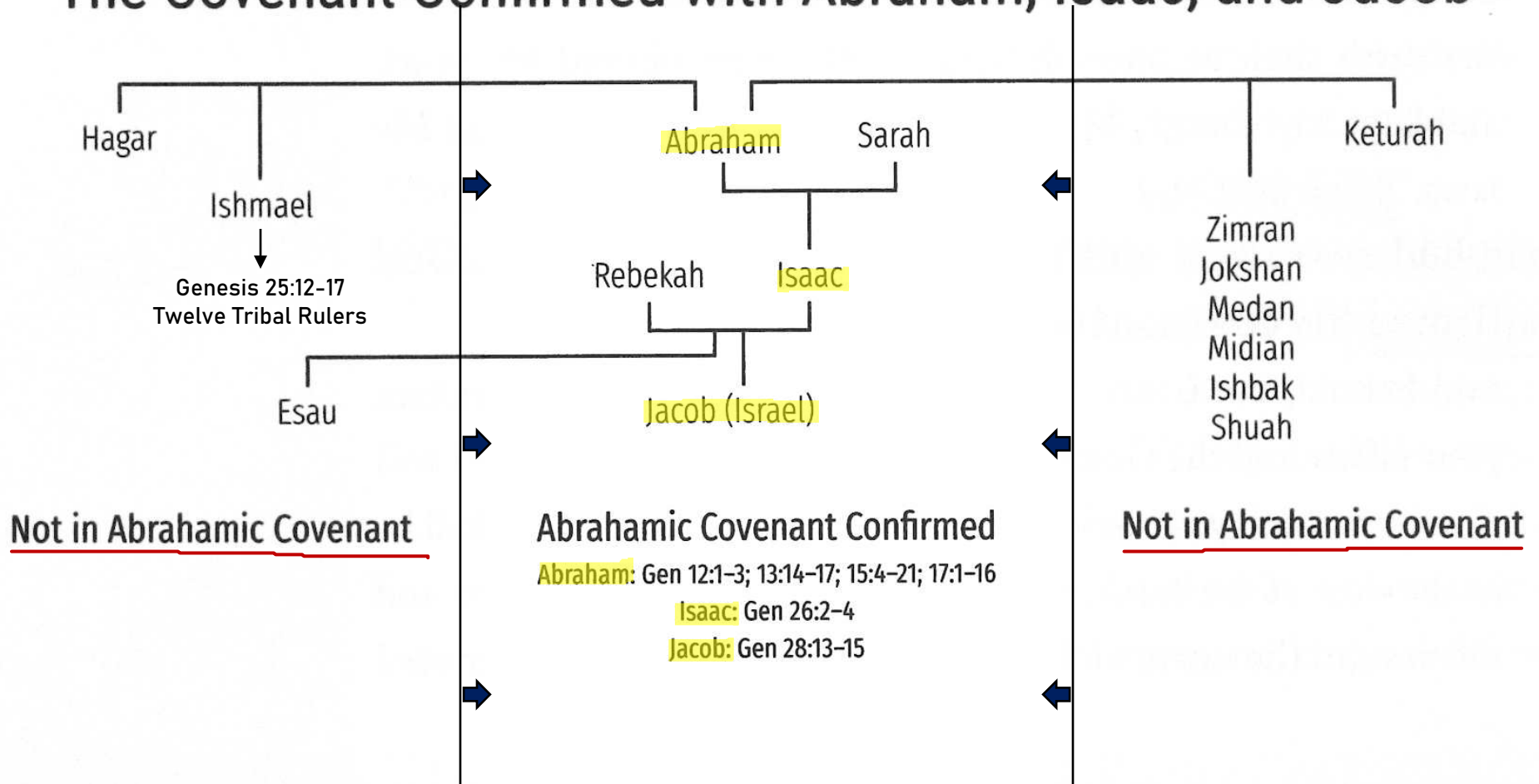
Historic premillennialists usually agree that God made covenants with Israel in the Old Testament promising her that Messiah would one day set up a kingdom with Israel at the center. But tragically, Israel forfeited these promises when, instead of accepting Jesus as her Messiah, she crucified Him. Consequently, historical premillennialists teach that God permanently transferred the promises of the covenants from the one nation of Israel, and thus the church permanently “superseded” Israel. If there is a large conversion of Jews in the future, they will be added to the church. But national Israel is no longer a part of God’s plan. Most historic premillennialists teach that the church will go through the Tribulation (i.e., posttribulationism).

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Dispensational premillennialism is based on God's irrevocable promises to Israel in the Abrahamic, Davidic, and New Covenants, Old Testament prophecies, and important New Testament passages. These promises will be fulfilled with Israel after the Second Coming of Christ. Messiah will rule the world from an earthly Jerusalem in a wonderful era of peace between Israel and the nations. The city of Jerusalem will be the center of religion and government for one thousand years, and God's glory will be displayed on the earth as in no other time in history. After this millennium, God will remake the heavens and the earth, and then the second stage of God's kingdom will begin and last forever. Concerning the rapture of the church, most dispensationalists believe that God will rapture the church out of the world before the seven-year Tribulation begins (i.e., pretribulationism). During the Tribulation, God will begin to bring Israel back to Himself.

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The Covenant Confirmed with Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob





The Land Covenant

Deut 30:1-10



Part of the Conditional Mosaic Covenant

Israel's Side

When Israel is scattered in apostasy (30:1)
The nation must repent (30:2)

Will be fulfilled in future tribulation

God's Side

God will regather Israel (30:3-4)
God will give the Land to Israel (30:5)
God will circumcise Israel's heart (30:6)
God will judge Israel's enemies (30:7)
God will bless Israel's obedience (30:8-10)

Will be fulfilled in future kingdom

Amillennialism:

(perhaps better termed Nunc-Millennialism or Inaugurated Millennialism)

Use of chart graciously provided by James T. Dennison

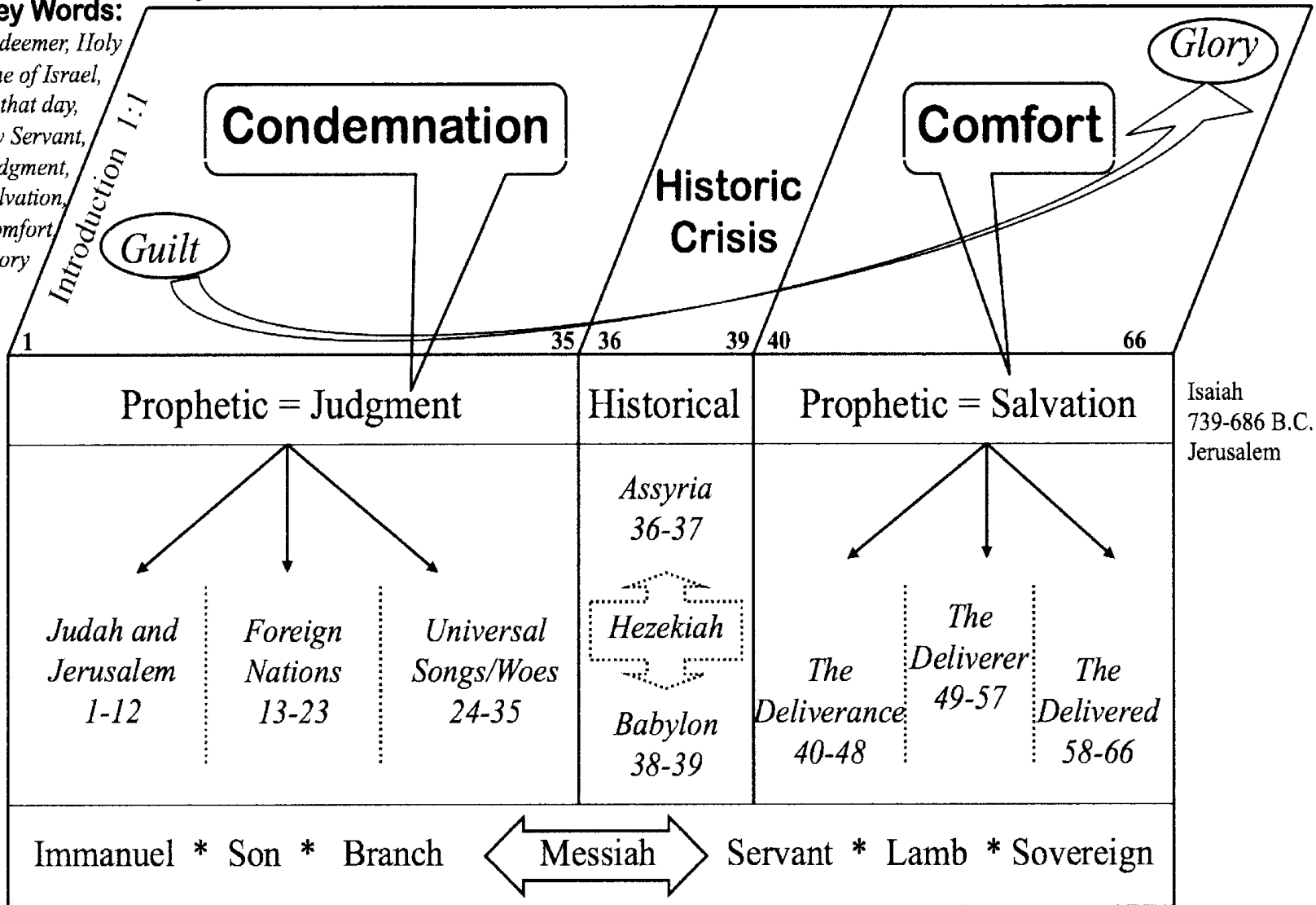


Isaiah: Your Redeemer, the Holy One will Come!

Key Verse: 59:20, *The Redeemer will come to Zion, to those in Jacob who repent of their sins.*

Key Words:

Redeemer, Holy One of Israel, In that day, My Servant, Judgment, Salvation, Comfort, Glory



Isaiah's Place in Israel's History

Patriarch Era

2166-1876 BC

Exodus Era

1876-1446 BC

United Kingdom

Divided Kingdom
(931 BC)

Divided

Northern Kingdom of Israel

Divided

Death of Uzziah
(739 BC)

Southern Kingdom of Judah

Conquest & Judges Eras

1446-1050 BC

Kingdom Era

1050-586 BC

Isaiah's Ministry

740-700 BC

- United Kingdom

- Divided Kingdom

Assyrian Invasion
(722 BC)

Death of Sennacherib
(681 BC)

Babylonian
Invasion
(586 BC)

EXILE

Daniel

1000 BC

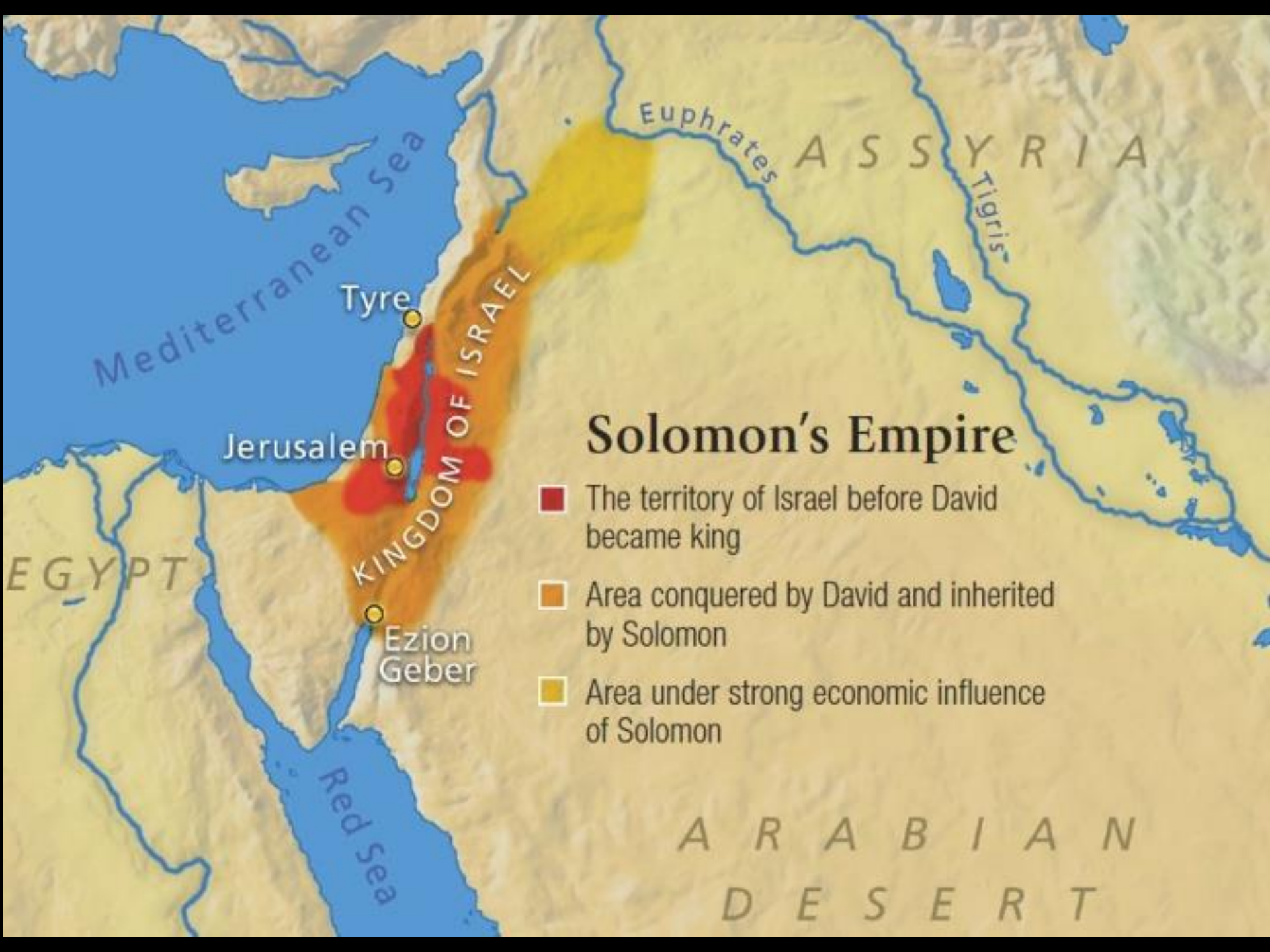
900

800

700

600

500 BC



Solomon's Empire

- The territory of Israel before David became king
- Area conquered by David and inherited by Solomon
- Area under strong economic influence of Solomon

Mediterranean Sea

Tyre

Jerusalem

Ezion Geber

KINGDOM OF ISRAEL

Euphrates

ASSYRIA

Tigris

EGYPT

Red Sea

ARABIAN
DESERT

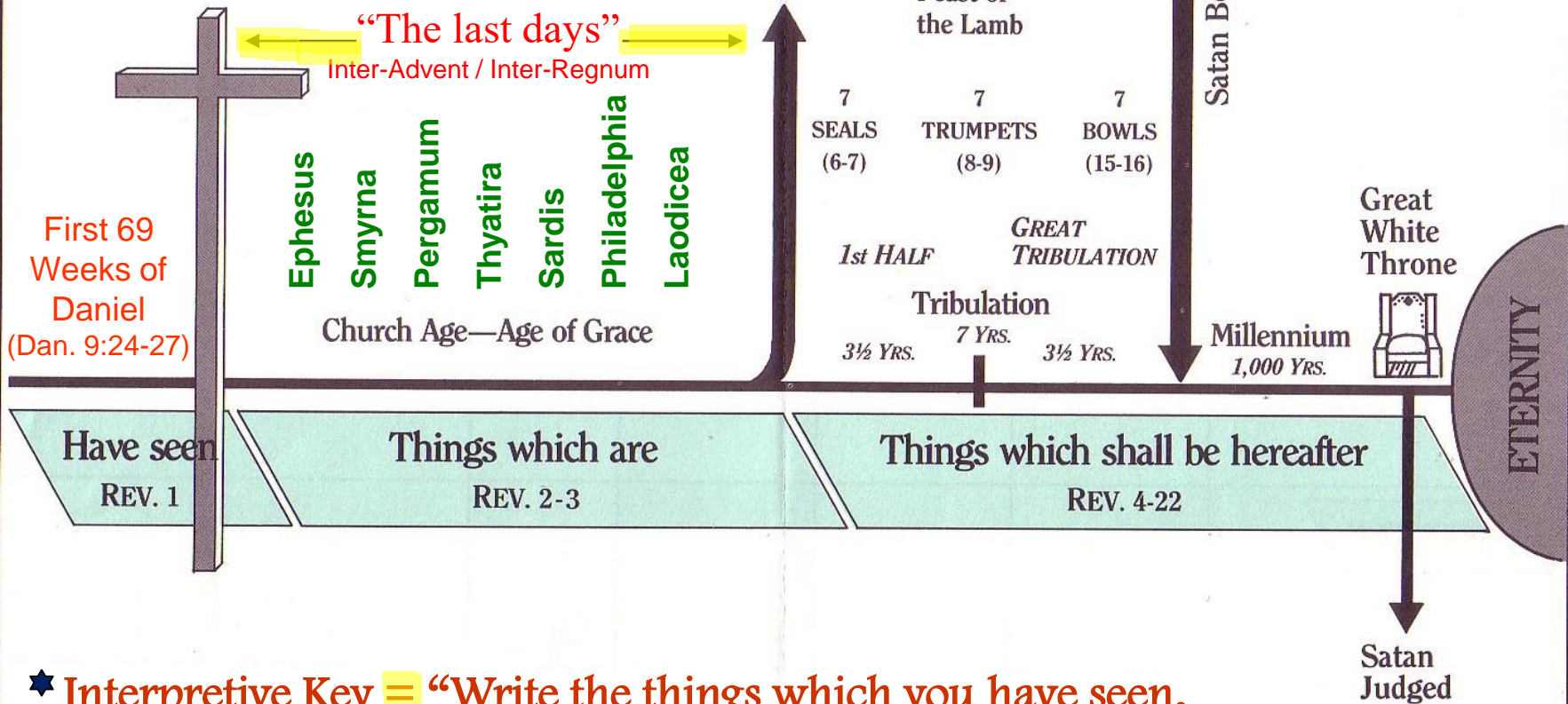


KINGDOM OF DAVID AND SOLOMON

- City
- Boundary of Solomon's kingdom
- Saul's kingdom
- Territory conquered by David
- Solomon's area of influence
- Non-conquered territory
- Major highway



“In the past God spoke to our forefathers through the prophets at many times and in various ways, **but in these last days** he has spoken to us by his Son, whom he appointed heir of all things, and through whom he made the universe.” - Hebrews 1:1-2



★ **Interpretive Key** = “Write the things which you have seen, and the things which are, and the things which will take place after these things.” (Revelation 1:19, NASV)

OLD TESTAMENT PROPHETS' VIEW OF CHRIST

“Glories to follow”
Christ’s Second Coming

“Sufferings of Christ”
Christ’s First Coming

Isaiah 61:2b, 3

I see one
coming of
Christ.

Isaiah 61:1, 2a

