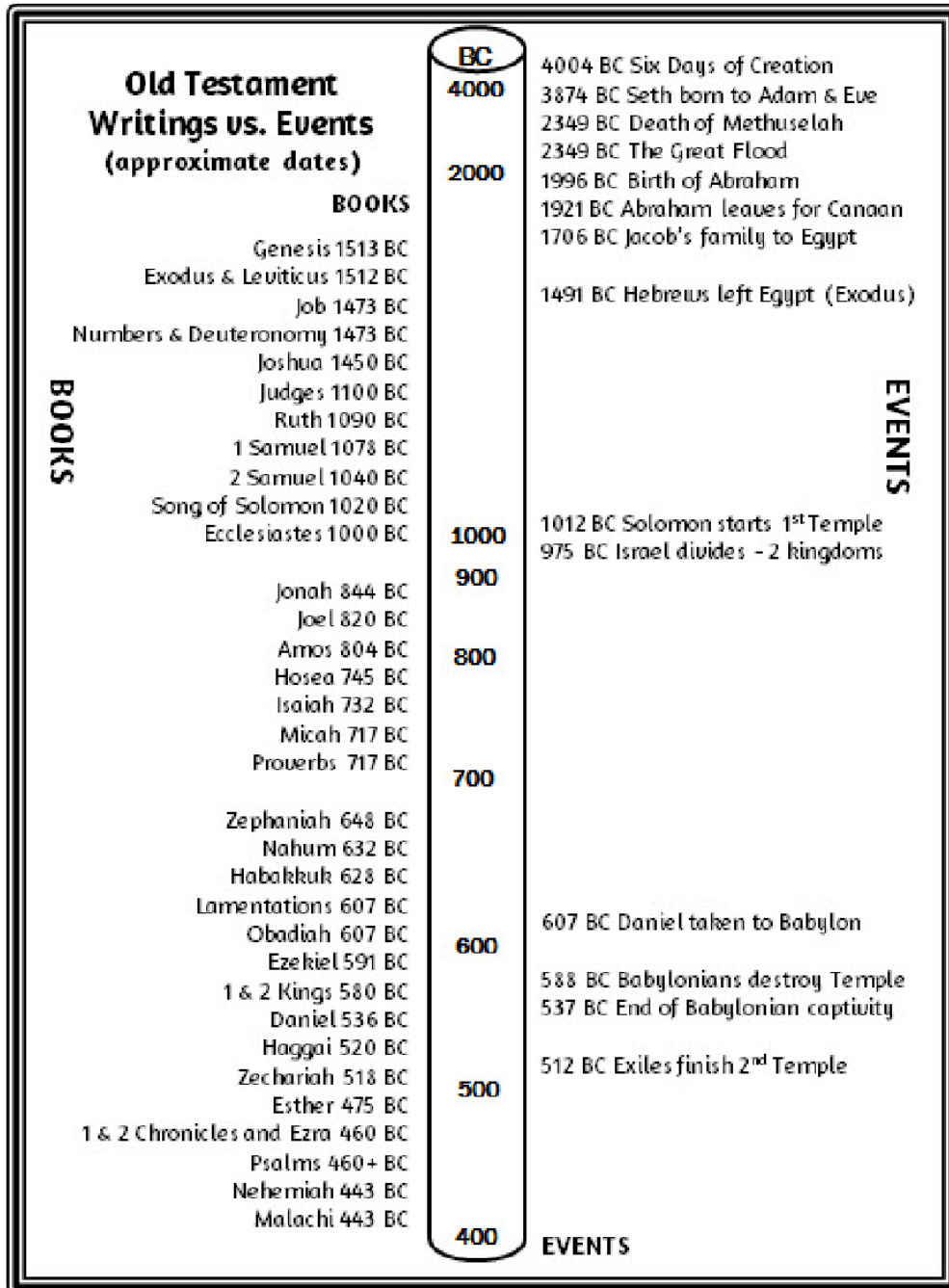


TIMELINES

Old Testament Writings vs. Key Events



Old Testament Kings & Prophets

Legend – Rank (R): G = Good king that honored God for all or portion of reign
E = Evil king that dishonored God during reign

United Kingdom of Israel

Reign	R	United Kings	Prophets	Reference
1095-1055 BC	G	Saul	Samuel	1Sa 9:17
1055-1015 BC	G	David	Gad, Nathan	2Sa 5:4
1015-975 BC	G	Solomon	Ahijah	1Ki 11:42
975 BC Division of United Kingdom of Israel				

Northern Kingdom of Israel

Reign	R	Kings of Israel	Prophets	Reference
975-954 BC	E	Jeroboam I	Ahijah, Shemaiah	1Ki 14:20
954-953 BC	E	Nadab	Ahijah	1Ki 15:25
953-930 BC	E	Baasha	Jehu	1Ki 15:28
930-929 BC	E	Elah	Jehu	1Ki 16:8
929 BC	E	Zimri	Jehu	1Ki 16:10, 15
929-925 BC	E	Tibni	Jehu	1Ki 16:21
929-918 BC	E	Omri	Jehu	1Ki 16:23
918-897 BC	E	Ahab	Elijah, Micaiah	1Ki 16:29
897 BC	E	Ahaziah ²	Elijah	1Ki 22:51
897-884 BC	E	Joram/Jeroham	Elisha, Obadiah	2Ki 3:1
884-857 BC	E	Jehu	Elisha, Obadiah	2Ki 10:36
857-840 BC	E	Jehoahaz	Elisha	2Ki 13:1
840-826 BC	E	Joash/Jehoash ²	Elisha	2Ki 13:10
826-785 BC	E	Jeroboam II ²	Jonah, Amos, Hosea	2Ki 14:23
785-773 BC		Interregnum Period¹	-	2Ki 15:1
773-772 BC	E	Zachariah/Zechariah	Hosea	2Ki 15:8
772 BC	E	Shallum	Hosea	2Ki 15:13
772-762 BC	E	Menahem	Hosea	2Ki 15:17
762-760 BC	E	Pekahiah	Hosea	2Ki 15:23
760-740 BC	E	Pekah	Hosea	2Ki 15:27
740-731 BC		Interregnum Period¹	-	2Ki 15:19
731-721 BC	E	Hoshea	Hosea	2Ki 17:1, 15:30
721 BC		Assyrian Conquest of Kingdom of Israel		2Ki 17:5

¹ Interregnum is a period when civil war or co-regents exist due to lack of a king

Southern Kingdom of Judah

Reign	R Kings of Israel	Prophets	Reference
975-959 BC	E Rehoboam	Iddo, Shemaiah	1Ki 14:21
959-956 BC	E Abijam/Abijah	Iddo	1Ki 15:1
956-915 BC	G Asa	Azariah, Hanani	1Ki 15:9
915-890 BC	G Jehoshaphat	Jehu, Micaiah	1Ki 22:41
890-884 BC	E Jehoram ²	Obadiah	2Ki 8:16
884 BC	E Ahaziah ²	Obadiah	2Ki 8:25
884-878 BC	E Athaliah	Obadiah, Joel	2Ki 8:25
878-839 BC	G Joash/Jehoash	Obadiah, Joel	2Ki 12:1
839-811 BC	G Amaziah ²	-	2Ki 14:1
811-759 BC	G Uzziah/Azariah	Isaiah, Amos, Hosea	2Ki 15:1
759-743 BC	G Jotham ²	Isaiah, Micah, Hosea	2Ki 15:32
743-727 BC	E Ahaz	Isaiah, Micah, Hosea	2Ki 16:1
727-699 BC	G Hezekiah ²	Isaiah, Micah	2Ki 18:1
699-644 BC	E Manasseh	Isaiah, Micah	2Ki 21:1
644-642 BC	E Amnon/Amon	Habakkuk	2Ki 21:19
642-611 BC	G Josiah	Zephaniah, Nahum	2Ki 22:1
610 BC	E Jehoahaz	Jeremiah	2Ki 23:33
610-599 BC	E Jehoiakim/Jehoiachin	Jeremiah, Daniel, Uriah	2Ki 23:36
599 BC	E Jehoiachin/Jeconiah	Jeremiah, Daniel, Ezekiel	2Ki 24:8
599-588 BC	E Zedekiah	Jeremiah, Daniel, Ezekiel	2Ki 24:18
586 BC	Babylonian Conquest of Kingdom of Judah		Jer 52:28

*The Lord will bring a nation against you from far away,
from the ends of the earth, like an eagle swooping down,
a nation whose language you will not understand,
a fierce-looking nation without respect for the old or pity for the young.
(Deuteronomy 28:49-50)*

*'Are not my commanders all kings?'
(Isaiah 10:8)*

² Ascended to throne as Viceroy while king was sick or at war

Dynasties of Old Testament Foreign Kings

Assyrians

- *Woe to the Assyrian, the rod of my anger, in whose hand is the club of my wrath! I send him against a godless nation, I dispatch him against a people who anger me, to seize loot and snatch plunder, and to trample them down like mud in the streets. (Isa 10:5-6)*

Reign	Name of King	Relationship	Reference
885 – 860 BC	Assurnasirpal II	son of Tukulti-Ninurta II	-
860 – 825 BC	Shalmaneser III	son of Ashurnasirpal II	2Ki 10:31
747 – 727 BC	Tiglath-pileser III	son of Ashur-Nirari V	2Ki 15:19
727 – 722 BC	Shalmaneser V	son of Tiglath-Pileser III	2Ki 17:3
722 – 705 BC	Sargon II	son of Tiglath-Pileser III	Isa 20:1
705 – 681 BC	Sennacherib	son of Sargon II	2Ki 19:36
681 – 668 BC	Esar-Haddon	son of Sennacherib	2Ki 19:37
668 – 626 BC	Ashurbanipal	son of Esar-Haddon	Ezra 4:10

Babylonians/Chaldeans

- *I am raising up the Babylonians, that ruthless and impetuous people, who sweep across the whole earth to seize dwellings not their own. (Hab 1:6)*
- *The Lord says, “I have told Nebuchadnezzar to shine his sword. It is in his hand. ... The sword is against my people. It is against all the princes of Israel.” (Eze 21:11-12)*

Reign	Name of King	Relationship	Reference
625 – 605 BC	Nabopolassar	son of Bel-Ibni	-
605 – 562 BC	Nebuchadnezzar	son of Nabopolassar	Da 4:28
552 – 542 BC	Belshazzar	son of Nabonidus grandson of Nebuchadnezzar	Da 5:1

Medes/Persians

- *The Lord has stirred up the kings of the Medes, because his purpose is to destroy Babylon. (Jer 51:11)*
- *Your kingdom is divided and given to the Medes and Persians. (Dan 5:28)*

Reign	Name of King	Relationship	Reference
550 – 537 BC	Darius/Cyaxares II ³	nephew of Cyrus the Great	Da 5:30
550 – 529 BC	Cyrus II/Great	son of Cambyses II	Ezra 1:1
522 – 486 BC	Darius I Hystaspes	son of Hystaspes	Ezra 6:1
486 – 465 BC	Xerxes I	son of Darius I Hystaspes	Est 1:1
465 – 425 BC	Artaxerxes I	son of Xerxes I	Ezra 4:11

³ <http://www.presenttruth.com/2008/06/darius-the-mede-his-identity-revealed/>

Miracles by God Timeline

Old Testament:

- 4004 BC Creates the universe and the first man, Adam (Ge 1-2)
- 2348 BC Initiates world-wide flood killing all but Noah's family (Ge 7-8)
- 2008 BC Destroys Tower of Babel; initiates different languages (Ge 11)
- 1897 BC Destroys 5 cities including Sodom and Gomorrah (Ge 19:24)
Turns Lot's wife into pillar of salt (Ge 19:26)
Abraham's barren wife Sarah conceives Isaac at age 91 (Ge 21:1)
- 1715 BC Facilitates dream interpretations by Joseph (Ge 40-41)
- 1491 BC Performs 10 plagues against Egypt to free Hebrews (Ge 7-11)
Appears to Moses in burning bush at Midian (Ex 3:3)
Causes Aaron's rod to change into a snake (Ex 7:10-12)
Divides waters of the Red Sea for Hebrews to cross (Ex 14:21-31)
- 1490 BC Appears as pillars of fire and cloud over new Tabernacle (Ex 13)
Provides manna from heaven daily to feed Israelites (Ex 16:14-35)
Produces water from rocks (Ex 17:5-7; Number 20:7-11)
- To --- Kills disobedient with fire (Lev 10:1-2; Nu 11:1-3; 16:35-45)
Kills disobedient by opening crack in earth (Nu 16:32-34)
Initiates plague against disobedient (Nu 16:46-50)
Kills disobedient with serpents (Nu 21:6)
- 1451 BC Causes donkey to speak (Nu 22:21-35)
Divides water of Jordan River for Hebrews to cross (Jos 3:14-17)
Causes walls of town of Jericho to fall down (Jos 6:6-20)
Causes 24 hours straight of daylight (Jos 10:12-14)
Destroys Amorite army with giant hailstones (Jos 10:12-14)
- 1122 BC Causes Philistine idol (Dagon) to fall repeatedly before the Ark (1Sa 5:1)
- 1121 BC Grants supernatural strength to Samson (Jdg 14-16)

New Testament:

- 4 BC Initiates immaculate conception for the virgin Mary (Lk 1:35)
Uses Star of Bethlehem to lead wise men to Jesus (Mt 2:1-12)
- 27 AD Jesus heals the sick – deaf, dumb, blind, lepers (Mk 7-8; Lk 17)
Jesus turns water into wine (Jn 2:1-11)
Jesus resurrects the dead (Jn 11, Lk 8:41; Mt 9:23)
Jesus stills a storm (Mk 4:37; Mt 8:23; Lk 8:22)
- To --- Jesus performs exorcisms of demons (Mk 1:23; Lk 8:26)
Jesus walks on water (Mt 14:25, Jn 6:15)
Jesus creates bread and fish (Mt 14:15; Mk 6:30; Lk 9:10)
Jesus is resurrected from dead (Jn 21:1-14)
- 30 AD Jesus ascends into clouds to heaven (Lk 2:42-51)