

THE JOURNEY OF A NATION

The History of Israel and the Line of Kings

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WARNING SIGNS
PROPHETS:
 Elijah (865-847) Elisha (847-798) Jonah (786-747) Amos (760-750) Hosea (750-710)

KINGS OF ISRAEL:
 931 Jeroboam I 874 Ahab 841 Jehu 782 Jeroboam II 722 Assyria captures Israel

KINGS OF JUDAH:
 931 Rehoboam 911 Asa 841 Athaliah 835 Joash 792 Uzziah 731 Ahaz 715 Hezekiah

WARNING SIGNS
PROPHETS:
 Samuel (1084-1010)

Isaiah (742-701) Micah (735-700)

Nahum (650-612) Zephaniah (640-620)

TUNNEL
70 YEARS OF EXILE:
 Jeremiah (627-575) Habakkuk (620-600)

605 1st Deportation Daniel & Princes

597 2nd Deportation Jehoiachin & People

586 3rd Deportation Destruction of Temple

537 1st Return Zerubbabel & Jeshua

536 Altar & Temple Foundation

Obadiah (590-580) Ezekiel (593-571)

Haggai and Zechariah (520-515) rally Israel to finish Temple in spite of opposition (520) Joel (515-510) Malachi (500-460)

ALTERNATE ROUTES
OTHER NATIONS:

Syrian Threats (911)
ASSYRIA: Shalmanezar III (859-824) Tiglath-pileser III (745-727) Shlamaneser V (727-722)

Sennacherib (705-681) Babylon takes Assyria (626)

BABYLON: Naboploasar (626-605) Nebuchadnezzar II (605-562)

Persia takes Babylon (539)
PERSIA: Cyrus II (559-530)

Darius (522-486) Xerxes (486-465) Artaxerxes I (464-424) Esther (483-465)

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