

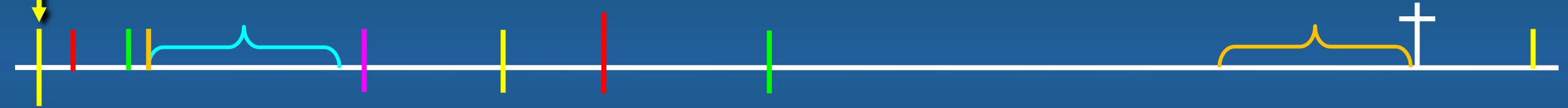
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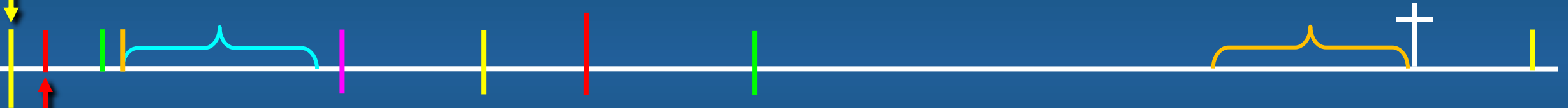
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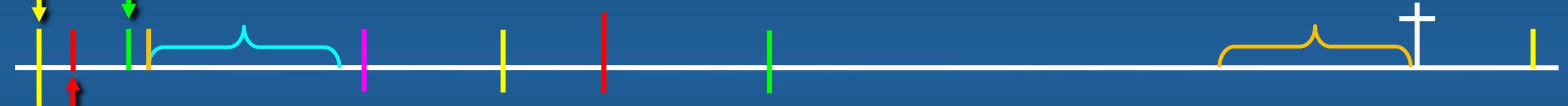
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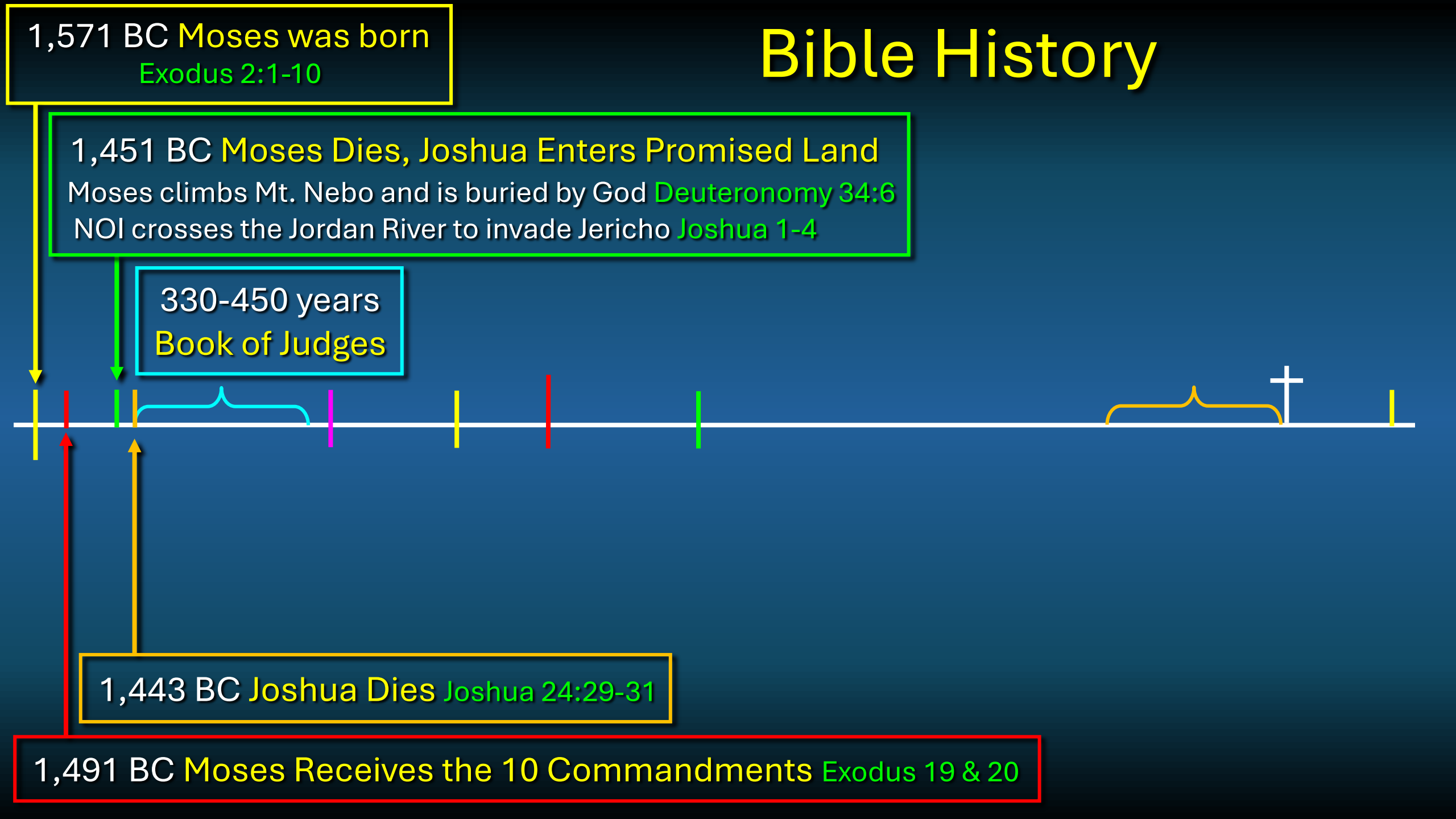
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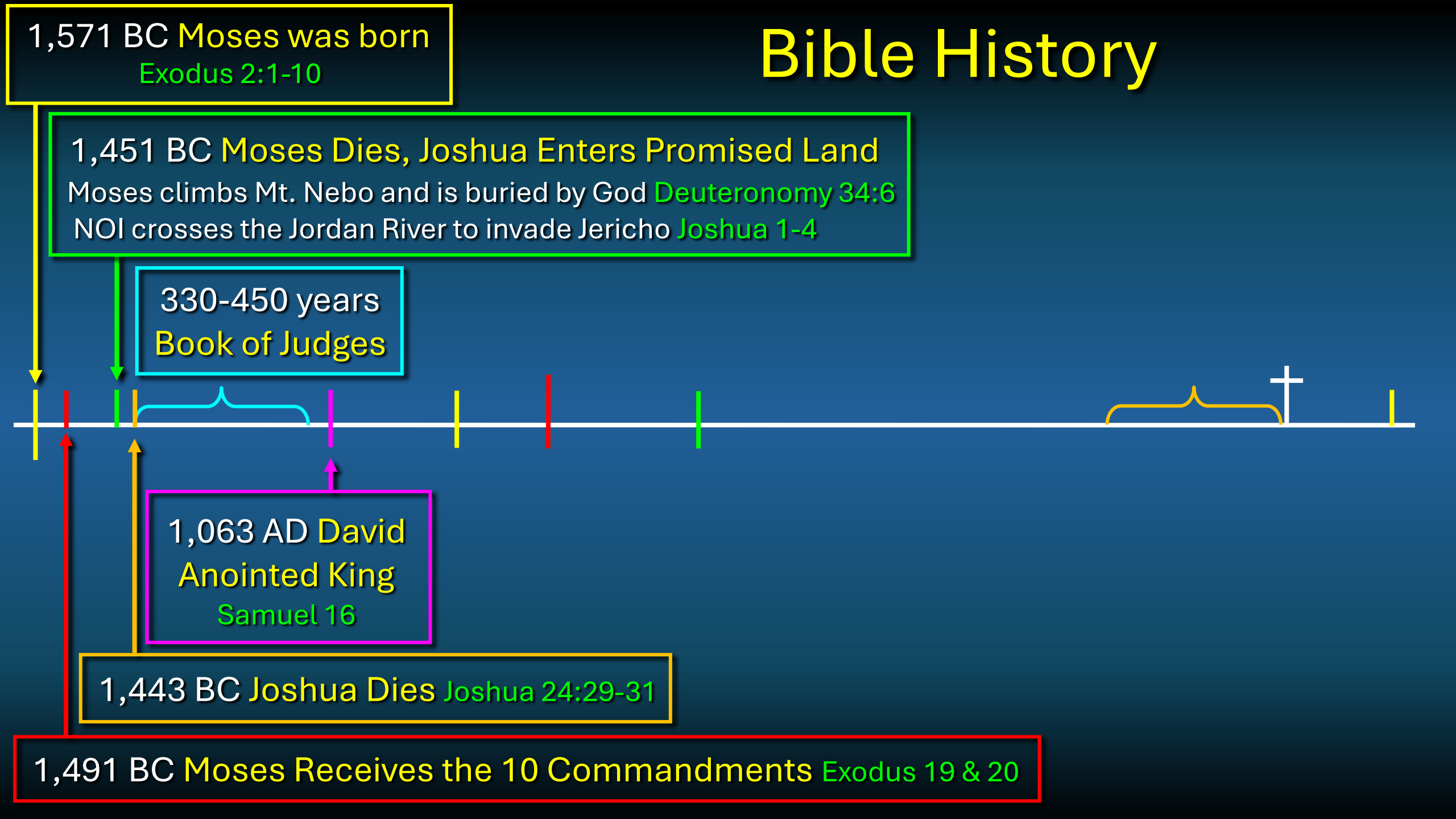
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70 AD 2nd Temple
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Daniel 9:26,
Matthew 24:1-2

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1,095 BC Saul
I Samuel 10-11

Then all the elders of Israel gathered themselves together, and came to Samuel unto Ramah, 5 And said unto him, Behold, thou art old, and thy sons walk not in thy ways: now make us a king to judge us like all the nations.



I Samuel 8:4-5

Judges and officers shalt thou make
thee in all thy gates, which the Lord
thy God giveth thee, throughout thy
tribes: and they shall judge the
people with just judgment.



Deuteronomy 16:18

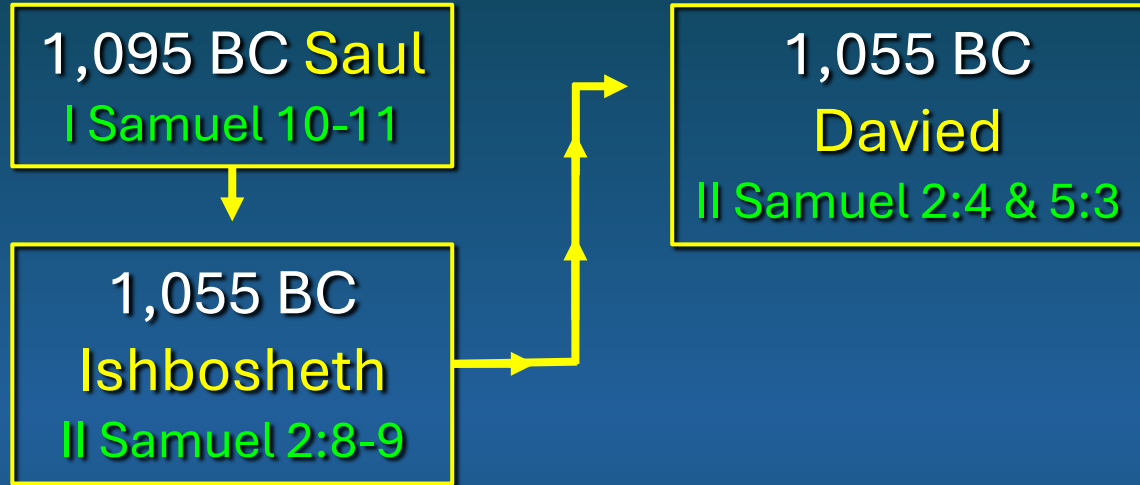
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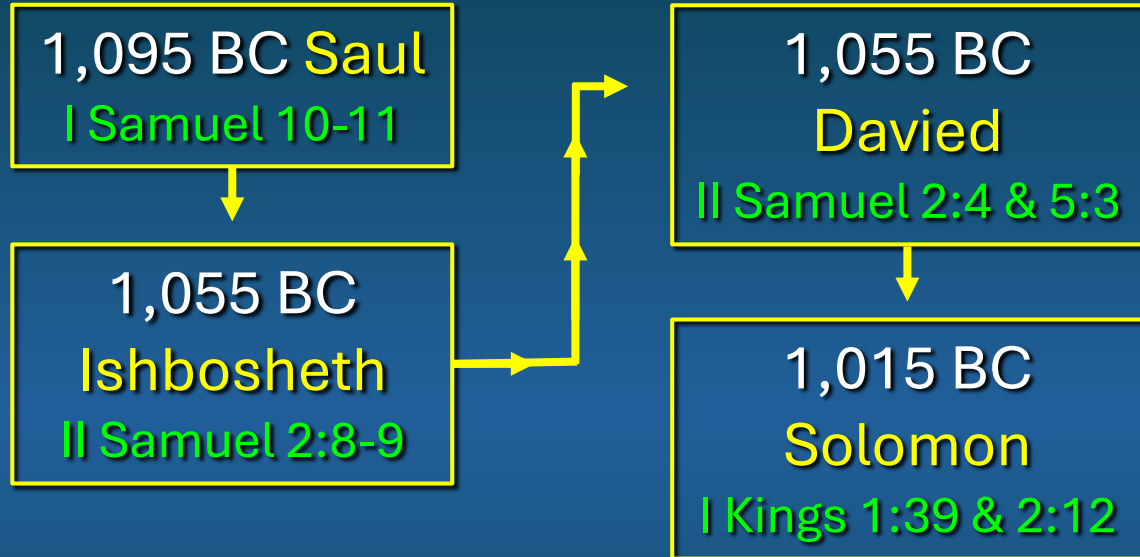


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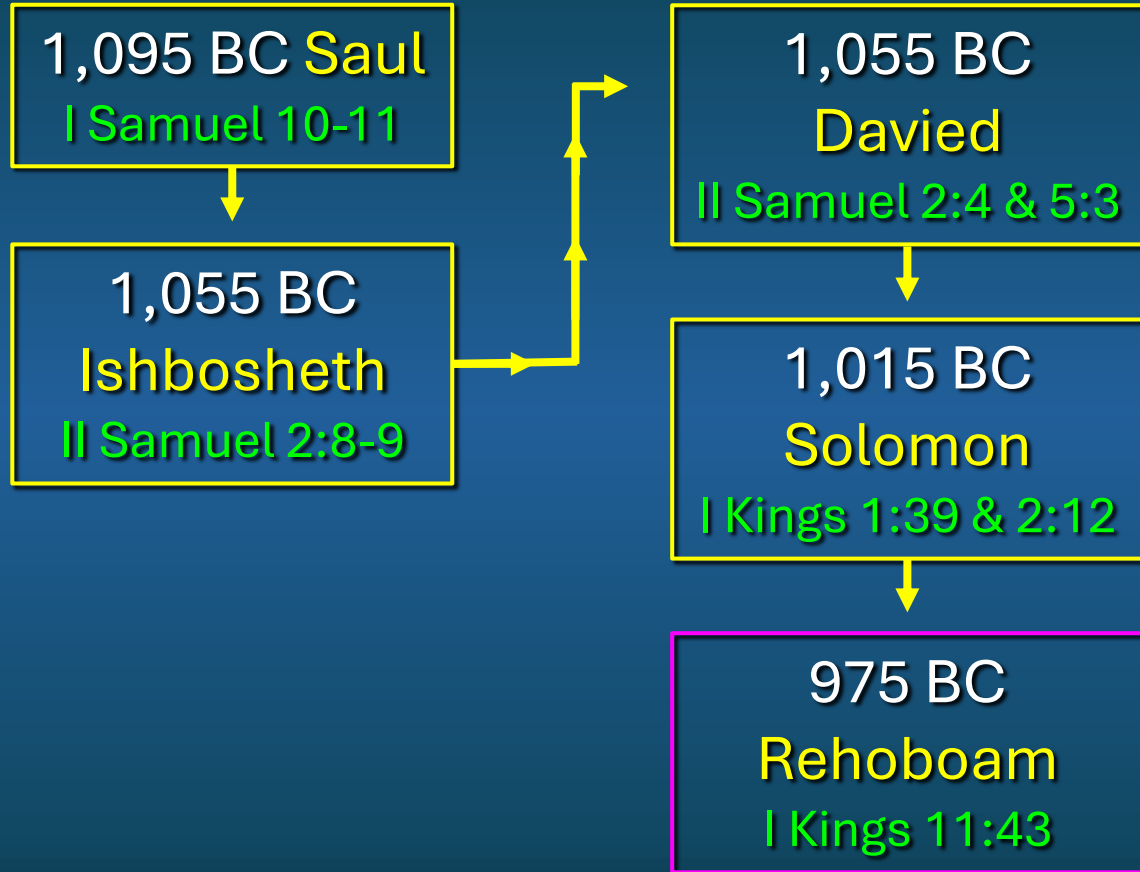
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16 So when all Israel saw that the king
hearkened not unto them, the people
answered the king, saying, What portion
have we in David? neither have we
inheritance in the son of Jesse: to your tents,
O Israel: now see to thine own house, David.
So Israel departed unto their tents.



I Kings 12:16-20

17 But as for the children of Israel which dwelt in the cities of Judah, Rehoboam reigned over them. 18 Then king Rehoboam sent Adoram, who was over the tribute; and all Israel stoned him with stones, that he died. Therefore king Rehoboam made speed to get him up to his chariot, to flee to Jerusalem.



I Kings 12:16-20

19 So Israel rebelled against the house of David unto this day. 20 And it came to pass, when all Israel heard that Jeroboam was come again, that they sent and called him unto the congregation, and **made him king over all Israel**: there was none that followed the house of David, but the tribe of Judah only.

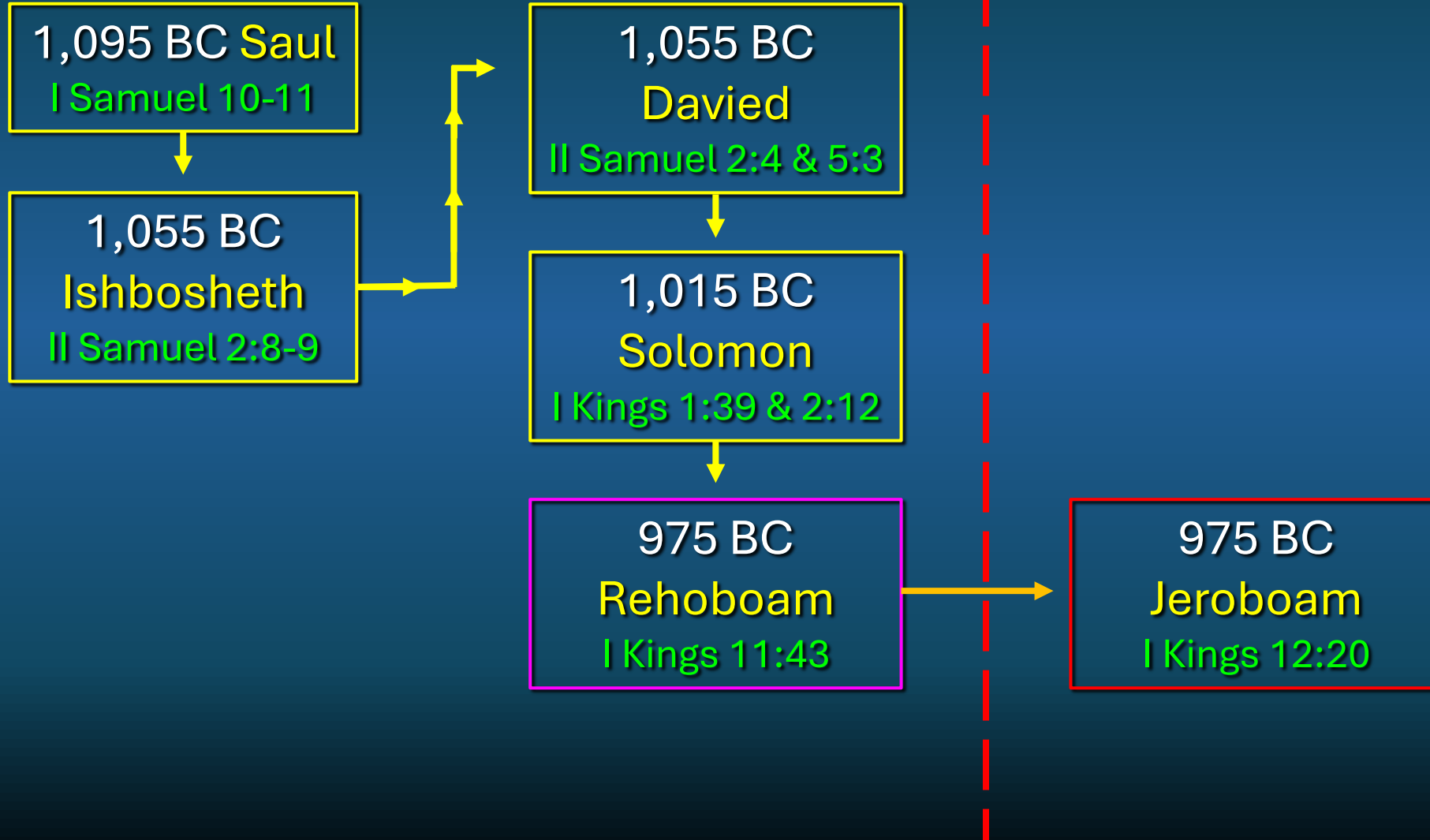


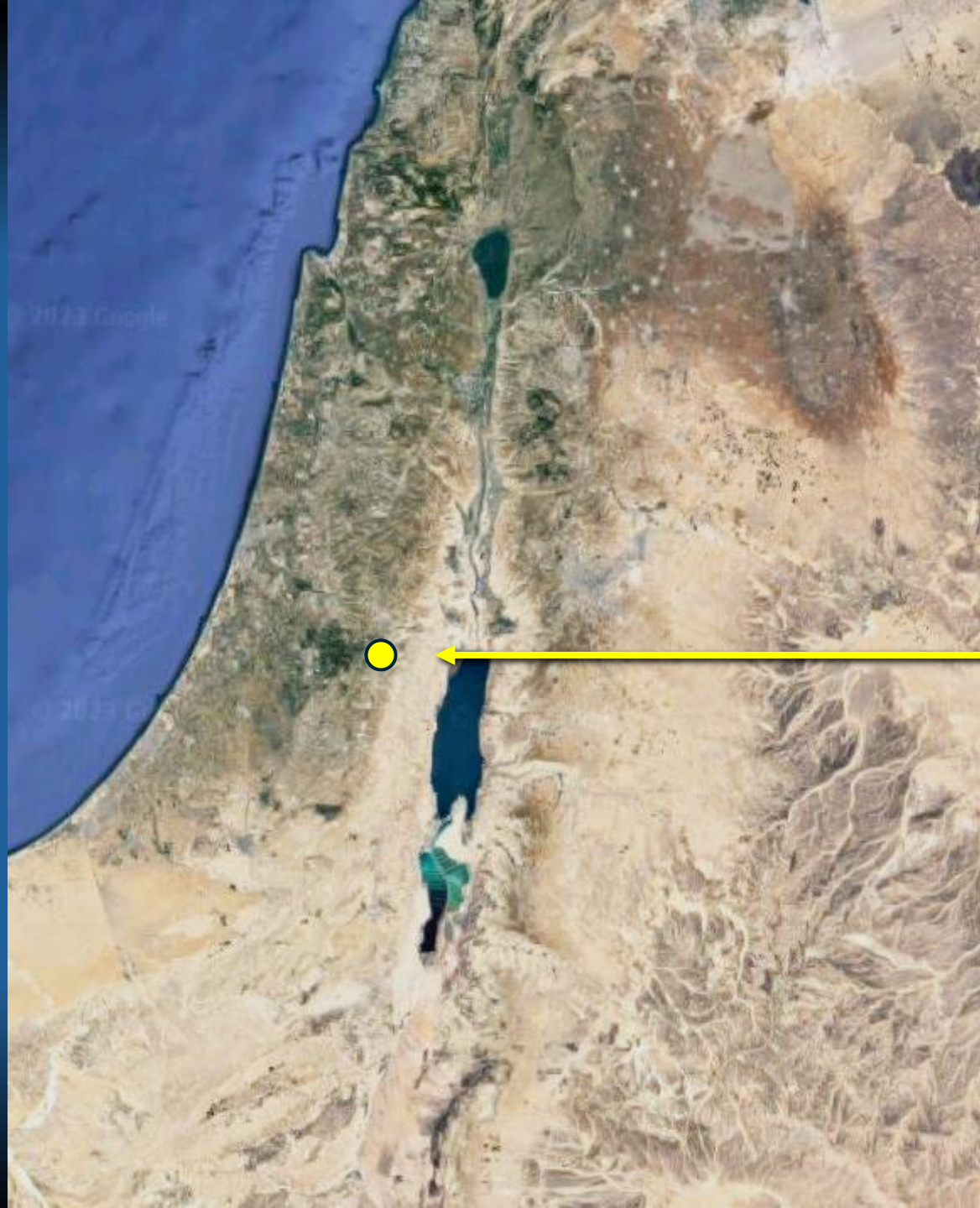
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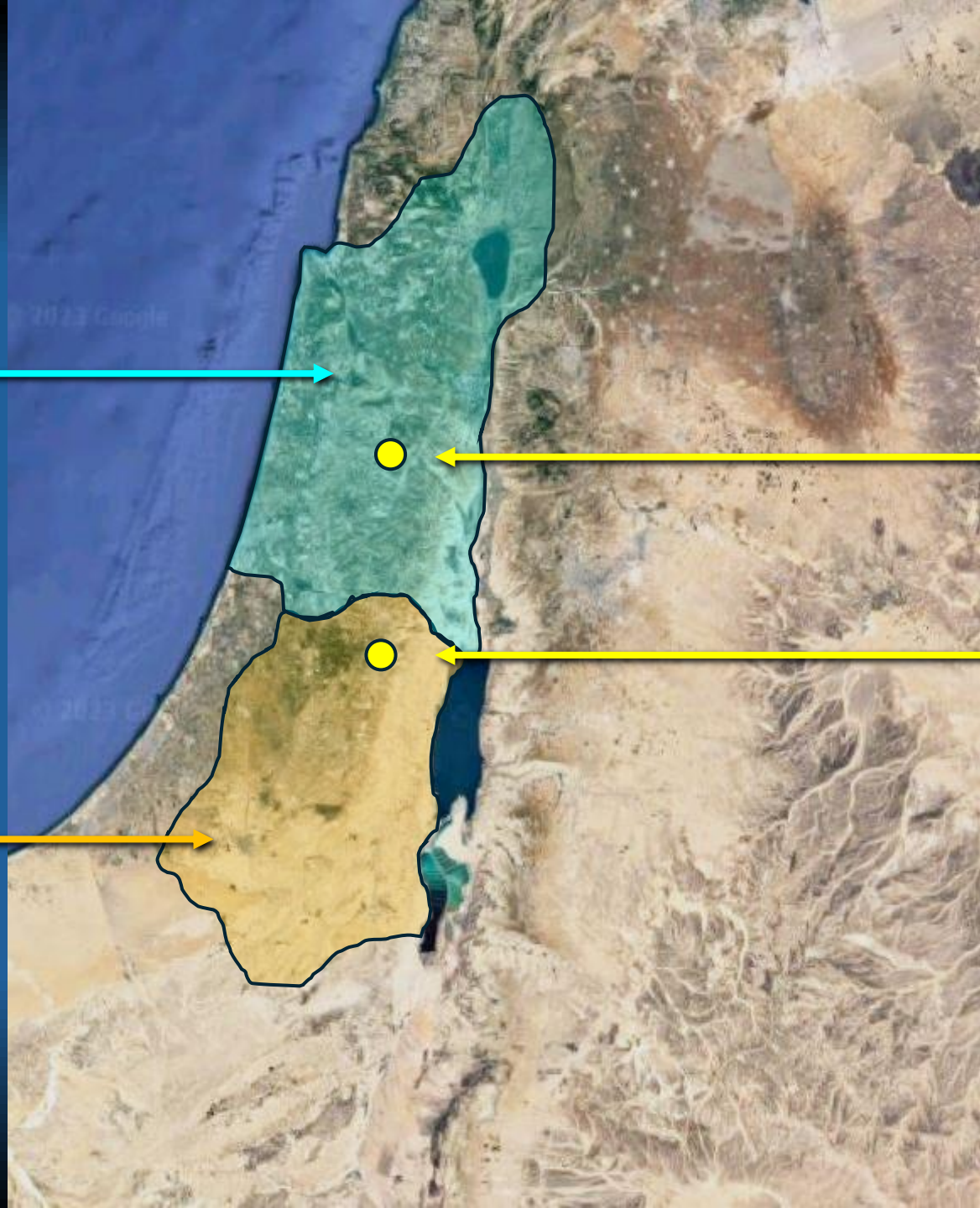
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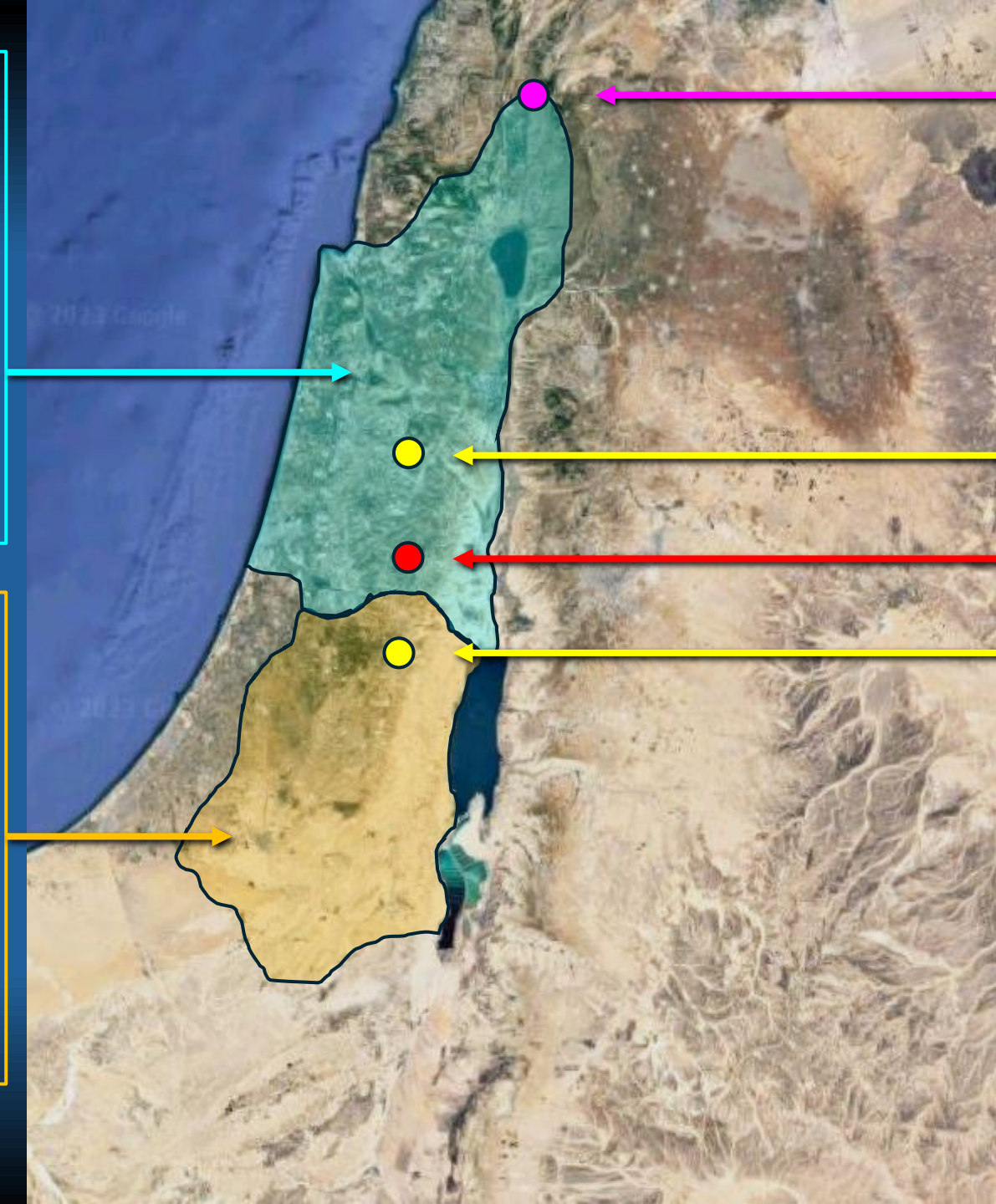
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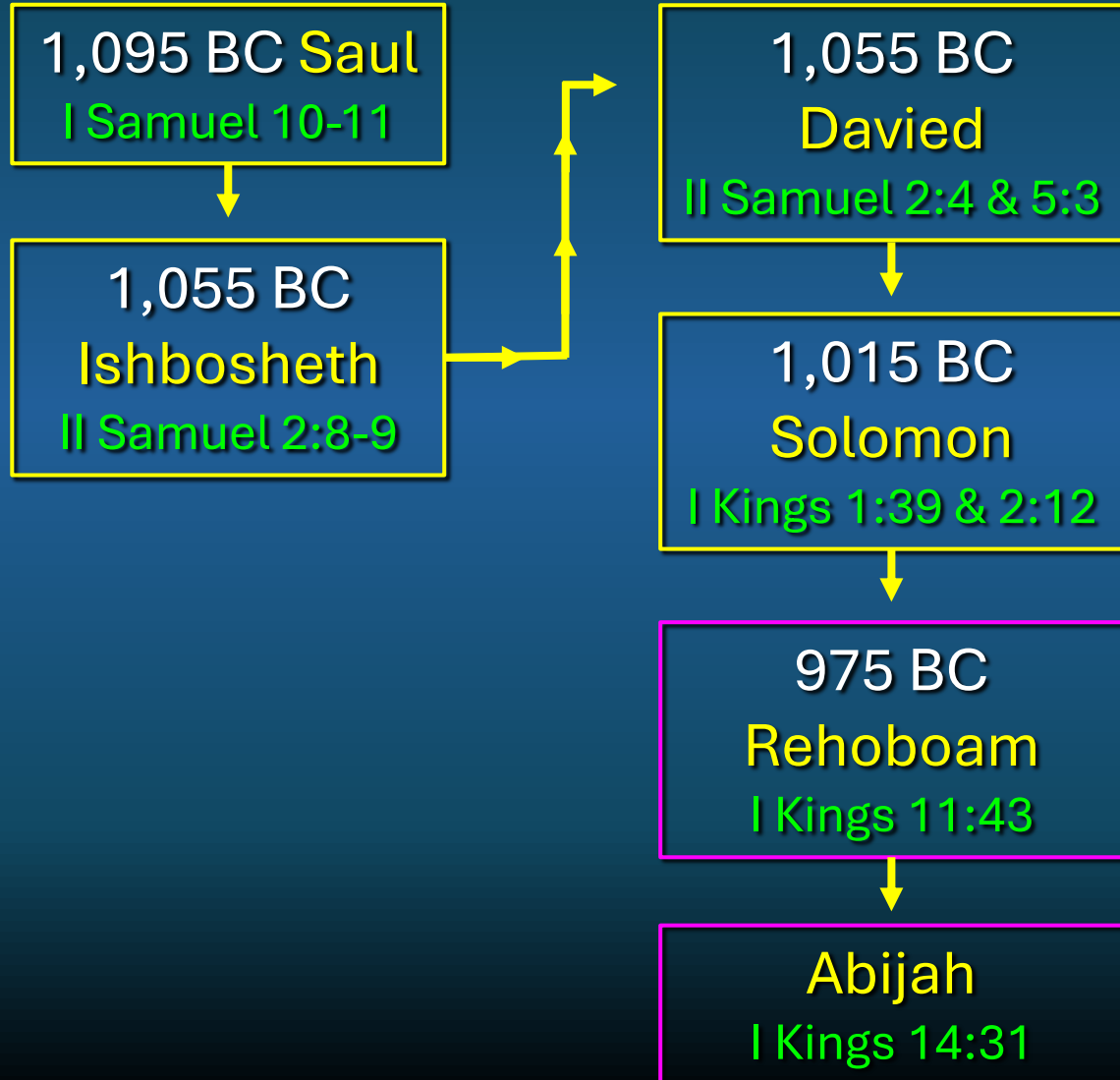
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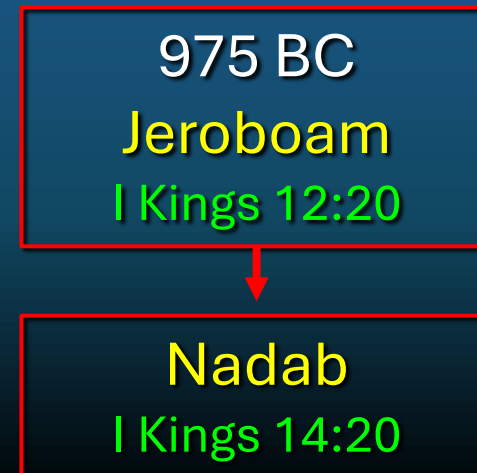


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25 Then Jeroboam built Shechem in
mount Ephraim, and dwelt therein;
and went out from thence, and built
Penuel. 26 And Jeroboam said in his
heart, Now shall the kingdom return
to the house of David:

I Kings 12:25-33



27 If this people go up to do sacrifice in the house of the Lord at Jerusalem, then shall the heart of this people turn again unto their lord, even unto Rehoboam king of Judah, and they shall kill me, and go again to Rehoboam king of Judah.



I Kings 12:25-33

28 Whereupon the king took counsel, and made **two calves of gold**, and said unto them, It is too much for you to go up to Jerusalem: **behold thy gods, O Israel, which brought thee up out of the land of Egypt.**

29 And he set the one in **Bethel**, and the other put he in **Dan**.



I Kings 12:25-33

30 And this thing became a sin: for the people went to worship before the one, even unto Dan. 31 And he made an house of high places, and made priests of the lowest of the people, which were not of the sons of Levi.



I Kings 12:25-33

32 And Jeroboam **ordained a feast in the eighth month**, on the fifteenth day of the month, like unto the feast that is in Judah, and he offered upon the altar. So did he in Bethel, **sacrificing unto the calves** that he had made: and he placed in Bethel the priests of the high places which he had made.



I Kings 12:25-33

33 So he offered upon the altar which he had made in Bethel the fifteenth day of the eighth month, even in **the month which he had devised of his own heart**; and ordained a feast unto the children of Israel: and he **offered upon the altar, and burnt incense.**



I Kings 12:25-33

13 And the priests and the Levites that were in all Israel resorted to him out of all their coasts. 14 For the Levites left their suburbs and their possession, and came to Judah and Jerusalem: for Jeroboam and his sons had cast them off from executing the priest's office unto the Lord:



II Chronicles 11:13-16

15 And he ordained him priests for the high places,
and **for the devils**, and **for the calves** which he had
made. 16 And after them **out of all the tribes of**
Israel came to Jerusalem, to sacrifice unto the
Lord God of their fathers. V:16 The rest of the
people who wanted to worship God followed the
priests and the Levites.



II Chronicles 11:13-16

2 If there be found among you, within any of thy gates which the Lord thy God giveth thee, man or woman, that hath wrought wickedness in the sight of the Lord thy God, in transgressing his covenant, 3 And hath gone and served other gods, and worshipped them, either the sun, or moon, or any of the host of heaven, which I have not commanded;

Deuteronomy 17:2-5



4 And it be told thee, and thou hast heard of it, and enquired diligently, and, behold, it be true, and the thing certain, that such abomination is wrought in Israel: 5 Then shalt thou bring forth that man or that woman, which have committed that wicked thing, unto thy gates, even that man or that woman, and shalt stone them with stones, till they die.



Deuteronomy 17:2-5

5 For many shall come
in my name, saying, I
am Christ; and shall
deceive many.



Matthew 24:5

3 But I fear, lest by any means, as the serpent beguiled Eve through his **subtilty**, so your minds should be corrupted from the simplicity that is in Christ.



II Corinthians 11:3-4

4 For if he that cometh preacheth
another Jesus, whom we have not
preached, or if ye receive another spirit,
which ye have not received, or another
gospel, which ye have not accepted, ye
might well bear with him.



II Corinthians 11:3-4

For such are false apostles,
deceitful workers,
transforming themselves
into the apostles of Christ.



II Corinthians 11:13-15

14 And no marvel; for
Satan himself is
transformed into an
angel of light.

II Corinthians 11:13-15



15 Therefore it is no great thing if
his ministers also be transformed
as the ministers of righteousness;
whose end shall be according to
their works.



II Corinthians 11:13-15



“We receive God’s grace because of the Atonement. We can’t raise ourselves from the dead, so the Resurrection is an example of His grace. We can’t purify ourselves from sin, so the Lord’s forgiveness is another example of grace. But before He will forgive us, we must repent—that’s our part, **our works**.

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Besides repentance, **our works also include receiving ordinances, keeping covenants, and serving others.** While **these works are necessary for salvation,** they aren't sufficient.

They are not enough because we can't live perfect lives, but we can do our best to live righteously. By doing so, we invite the Lord's grace into our lives and **qualify for the gift of salvation.**

For by **grace** are ye saved
through **faith**; and that not of
yourselves: it is the gift of God:
9 Not of works, lest any man
should boast.



Ephesians 2:8-9

If your friends ask, “Does your church believe you are saved by grace or works?” you could say, “**We believe that we are saved by grace after all we can do** (see 2 Ne. 25:23). We don’t earn salvation. Heavenly Father and the Savior will bless us with eternal life, through Their grace, **if we do our part**. They have asked us to have faith in Jesus Christ, repent throughout our lives, be baptized and receive other ordinances, and faithfully endure to the end. **If we do that**, we are promised eternal life through the grace of God.”



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