



# WHERE DID IT GO

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# OLD TESTAMENT

- the first five books or Pentateuch (Torah)
- the historical books Joshua- Ezra
- the poetic or books of Wisdom Job- Song of Songs
- the books of the biblical prophets Isaiah- Malachi

## Chronological List of Prophets in the Old Testament

The Prophets	The Dates	Bible History	Kings and Events
<b>Prophets of Israel</b>			
<b>Jonah</b>	810-790 BC	<a href="#">2 Kings 13-14</a>	Jehoash, Jeroboam II (Amaziah)
<b>Joel</b>	790-760 BC	<a href="#">2 Kings 11-15</a>	Uzziah
<b>Amos</b>	780-760 BC	<a href="#">2 Kings 14-15</a>	Jeroboam II (Uzziah)
<b>Hosea</b>	785-725 BC	<a href="#">2 Kings 15-18</a>	Jeroboam II to Hoshea (Uzziah, Jotham, Ahaz)
<b>Isaiah</b>	750-695 BC	<a href="#">2 Kings 15-20</a>	Uzziah, Jotham, Ahaz, Hezekiah
<b>Micah</b>	745-725 BC	<a href="#">2 Kings 15</a>	Jotham, Ahaz, Hezekiah
<b>Prophets of Judah</b>			
<b>Nahum</b>	660-630 BC	<a href="#">2 Kings 15-18</a>	Manasseh, Amon, Josiah
<b>Zephaniah</b>	630-620 BC	<a href="#">Isaiah 10</a>	Josiah
<b>Habakkuk</b>	620-610 BC	<a href="#">2 Kings 23</a>	Josiah, Jehoahaz
<b>Jeremiah</b>	628-588 BC	<a href="#">2 Kings 22-25</a>	Josiah to Zedekiah. The Captivity
<b>Prophets of the Captivity</b>			
<b>Daniel</b>	606-534 BC	<a href="#">2 Kings 23-25</a>	The Captivity (Reign of Nebuchadnezzar to Cyrus)
<b>Obadiah</b>	587 BC	<a href="#">2 Kings 25</a>	After Jerusalem's Destruction (Reign of Nebuchadnezzar)
<b>Ezekiel</b>	596-574 BC	<a href="#">2 Kings 24</a>	to the Jews Before and During the Captivity (Reign of Nebuchadnezzar)
<b>Prophets of the Return to Jerusalem</b>			
<b>Haggai</b>	520-518 BC	<a href="#">Ezra 5-6</a>	Rebuilding the Temple in Jerusalem (Reign of Darius I)
<b>Zechariah</b>	520-510 BC	<a href="#">Ezra 5-6</a>	Rebuilding and Dedication of the Temple (Reign of Darius I)
<b>Malachi</b>	420-397 BC	<a href="#">Nehemiah 13</a>	Second Reformation by Nehemiah (Reign of Artaxerxes I)

## EZRA 1 1-2

1 NOW IN THE FIRST YEAR OF CYRUS KING OF PERSIA, THAT THE WORD OF THE LORD BY THE MOUTH OF JEREMIAH MIGHT BE FULFILLED, THE LORD STIRRED UP THE SPIRIT OF CYRUS KING OF PERSIA, SO THAT HE MADE A PROCLAMATION THROUGHOUT ALL HIS KINGDOM, AND ALSO *PUT IT* IN WRITING, SAYING, 2 THUS SAYS CYRUS KING OF PERSIA: ALL THE KINGDOMS OF THE EARTH THE LORD GOD OF HEAVEN HAS GIVEN ME. AND HE HAS COMMANDED ME TO BUILD HIM A HOUSE AT JERUSALEM WHICH *IS* IN JUDAH

EZRA 3:1-3

1 AND WHEN THE SEVENTH MONTH HAD COME, AND THE CHILDREN OF ISRAEL WERE IN THE CITIES, THE PEOPLE GATHERED TOGETHER AS ONE MAN TO JERUSALEM. 2 THEN JESHUA THE SON OF JOZADAK AND HIS BRETHREN THE PRIESTS, AND ZERUBBABEL THE SON OF SHEALTIEL AND HIS BRETHREN, AROSE AND BUILT THE ALTAR OF THE GOD OF ISRAEL, TO OFFER BURNT OFFERINGS ON IT, AS IT IS WRITTEN IN THE LAW OF MOSES THE MAN OF GOD.



EZRA 3:1-3

3 THOUGH FEAR *HAD* COME UPON THEM BECAUSE OF THE PEOPLE OF THOSE COUNTRIES, THEY SET THE ALTAR ON ITS BASES; AND THEY OFFERED BURNT OFFERINGS ON IT TO THE LORD, *BOTH* THE MORNING AND EVENING BURNT OFFERINGS.





EZRA 4: 1-5



BE SET APART





JOHN 17: 14-19

14 I HAVE GIVEN THEM YOUR  
WORD; AND THE WORLD HAS  
HATED THEM BECAUSE THEY ARE  
NOT OF THE WORLD, JUST AS I AM  
NOT OF THE WORLD. 15 I DO NOT  
PRAY THAT YOU SHOULD TAKE  
THEM OUT OF THE WORLD, BUT  
THAT YOU SHOULD KEEP THEM  
FROM THE EVIL ONE.

16 THEY ARE NOT OF THE WORLD, JUST AS I AM NOT OF THE WORLD. 17 SANCTIFY THEM BY YOUR TRUTH. YOUR WORD IS TRUTH. 18 AS YOU SENT ME INTO THE WORLD, I ALSO HAVE SENT THEM INTO THE WORLD. 19 AND FOR THEIR SAKES I SANCTIFY MYSELF, THAT THEY ALSO MAY BE SANCTIFIED BY THE TRUTH.



1 PETER 2:9,10

EZRA 4:23,24

23 NOW WHEN THE COPY OF KING ARTAXERXES' LETTER WAS READ BEFORE REHUM, SHIMSHAI THE SCRIBE, AND THEIR COMPANIONS, THEY WENT UP IN HASTE TO JERUSALEM AGAINST THE JEWS, AND BY FORCE OF ARMS MADE THEM CEASE. 24 THUS THE WORK OF THE HOUSE OF GOD WHICH IS AT JERUSALEM CEASED, AND IT WAS DISCONTINUED UNTIL THE SECOND YEAR OF THE REIGN OF DARIUS KING OF PERSIA.



# HAGGAI 1



EZRA 1:2

2 THUS SAYS CYRUS KING OF PERSIA: ALL THE  
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COMMANDED ME TO BUILD HIM A HOUSE  
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OUR OBEDIENCE SHOWS/PROVES OUR  
RELATIONSHIP.





JOHN 14:23

23 JESUS ANSWERED AND SAID TO HIM, "IF ANYONE LOVES ME, HE WILL KEEP MY WORD; AND MY FATHER WILL LOVE HIM, AND WE WILL COME TO HIM AND MAKE OUR HOME WITH HIM. 24 HE WHO DOES NOT LOVE ME DOES NOT KEEP MY WORDS; AND THE WORD WHICH YOU HEAR IS NOT MINE BUT THE FATHER'S WHO SENT ME.



MATT 7: 21-27

EZRA 3:12,13

12 BUT MANY OF THE PRIESTS AND LEVITES AND HEADS OF THE FATHERS' *HOUSES*, OLD MEN WHO HAD SEEN THE FIRST TEMPLE, WEPT WITH A LOUD VOICE WHEN THE FOUNDATION OF THIS TEMPLE WAS LAID BEFORE THEIR EYES. YET MANY SHOUTED ALOUD FOR JOY, 13 SO THAT THE PEOPLE COULD NOT DISCERN THE NOISE OF THE SHOUT OF JOY FROM THE NOISE OF THE WEEPING OF THE PEOPLE, FOR THE PEOPLE SHOUTED WITH A LOUD SHOUT, AND THE SOUND WAS HEARD AFAR OFF.



GODS FUTURE PROMISES FOR MAN ARE BETTER  
THAN OUR CURRENT BLESSING

1 THES 4:16-18

16 FOR THE LORD HIMSELF WILL DESCEND FROM HEAVEN WITH A SHOUT, WITH THE VOICE OF AN ARCHANGEL, AND WITH THE TRUMPET OF GOD. AND THE DEAD IN CHRIST WILL RISE FIRST. 17 THEN WE WHO ARE ALIVE *AND* REMAIN SHALL BE CAUGHT UP TOGETHER WITH THEM IN THE CLOUDS TO MEET THE LORD IN THE AIR. AND THUS WE SHALL ALWAYS BE WITH THE LORD. 18 THEREFORE COMFORT ONE ANOTHER WITH THESE WORDS.



2 TIM 4:8

FINALLY, THERE IS LAID UP FOR ME THE CROWN OF  
RIGHTEOUSNESS, WHICH THE LORD, THE  
RIGHTEOUS JUDGE, WILL GIVE TO ME ON THAT DAY,  
AND NOT TO ME ONLY BUT ALSO TO ALL WHO HAVE  
LOVED HIS APPEARING.