

# The Beacon

**Equipping Hour  
Old Testament Survey**

**Session 2**

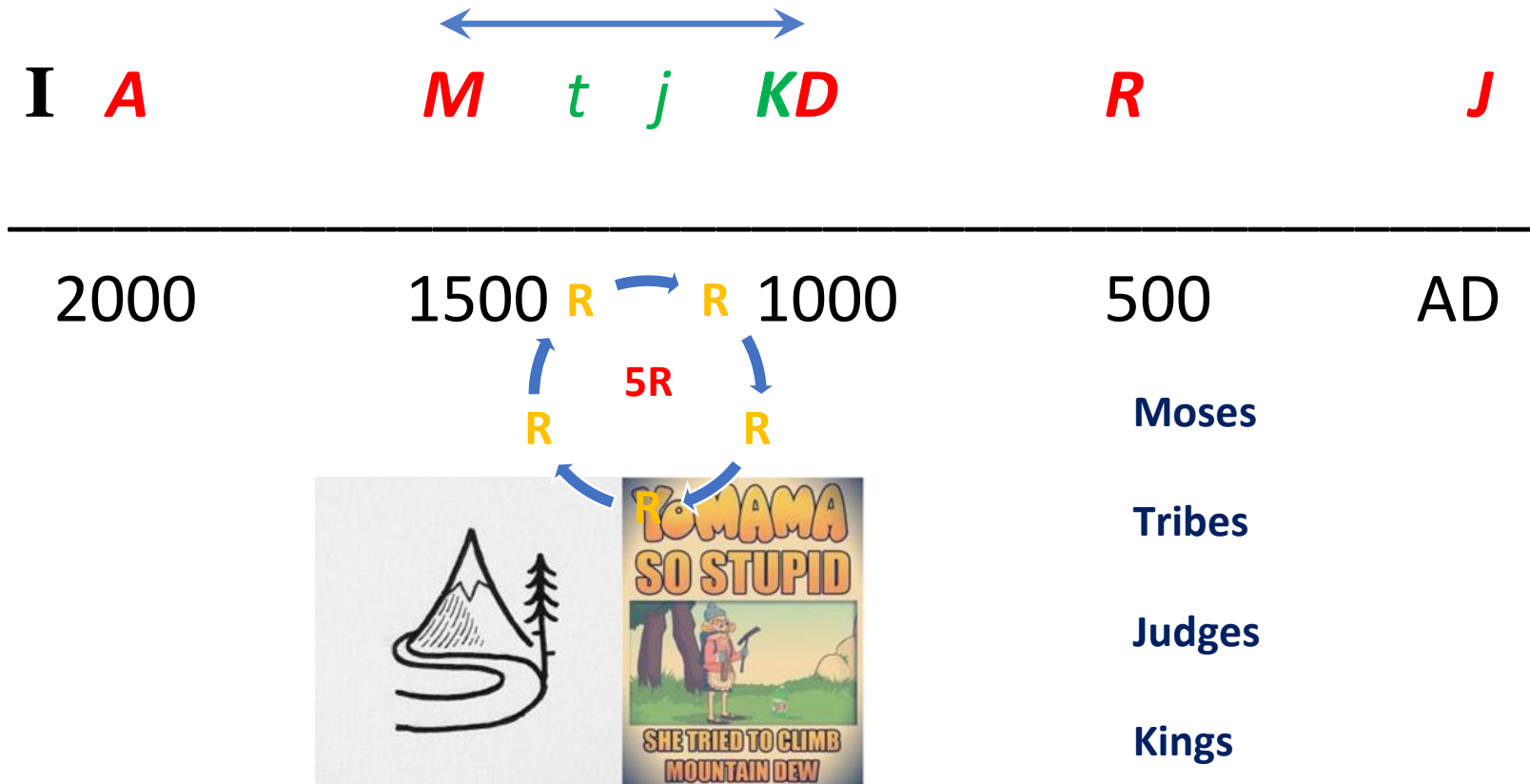


# **STUDY GROUPS!**

- 1. How many books are in the OT? The NT?**
- 2. How are the OT books divided up? What are the categories?**
- 3. Who/what are our “landmarks” at 2000, 1500, 1000, and 500?**
- 4. What are each of the following books about? Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, Deuteronomy, Joshua, Judges, and Ruth?**
- 5. What are the main themes to remember between 1500-1000?**
- 6. What are the 5 R’s in the cycle of the Judges?**
- 7. Can you recite the Half Bible Cheer?**
- 8. What are the 5 offerings and 7 feasts mentioned in the book of Leviticus?**

# Thinking Your Way Through the OT

## OT Key #3: 1500 MT. JK.



# OT Key #9: Twelve Sons of Jacob



Repentant Sinners Love Jesus;

Do Not Give Animals In Zoos  
Jelly Beans!

1. Reuben
2. Simeon
3. Levi
4. Judah

5. Dan
6. Naphtali
7. Gad
8. Asher

9. Issachar
10. Zebulun
11. Joseph
12. Benjamin

Division of the Promised Land to the children of Israel

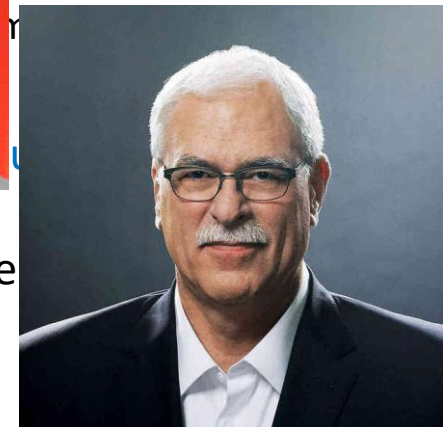
# PHOENICIANS



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48 cities  
6 cities



territories"

of Jacob  
seph (son of Joseph)

OT Key #11: Israel Geography

Gals, Jordan Dead... (Whodunnit?)

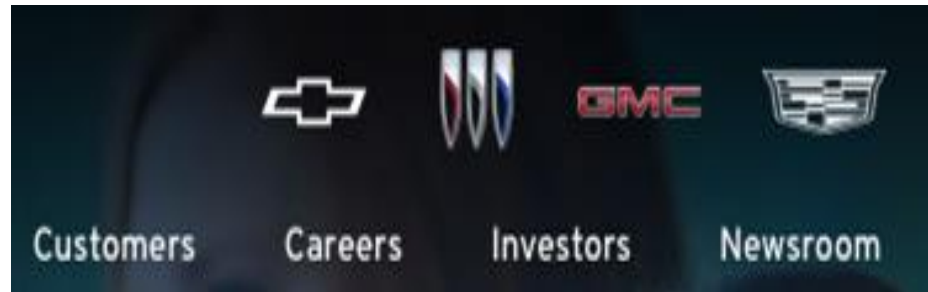
"Hi-ar-am...

M.E.,

Phil!"



# OT Key #12: “General Motors” ABC’s



Idol	Notes	Text
<b>G</b> Calf	Jerusalem no longer needed; Levites no longer needed	1 Kings 12-13; Amos
<b>M</b> olech	“Milcom” – god associated with knowledge of future through child sacrifice; “into the arms of Molech”	Leviticus 18-20; 1 Chronicles 11; 2 Chronicles 23; Isaiah 57; Jeremiah 32,49; Zephaniah
<b>A</b> sherah	Canaanite Goddess – fertility and maternity; Sometimes Baal’s wife Influenced Solomon	Judges; 1 Kings 14-18; 2 Kings 17-23; 2 Chronicles 14-19, 31-34; Isaiah 17,27 Jeremiah 17; Micah 5
<b>B</b> aal	“Bel, Marduk”; Canaanite highest god – god of sun and storm and fertility (woman & ground); cult prostitution and human sacrifice	Judges; 1 Kings 16, 2 Kings 23; Jeremiah 11-19; 23-32; Hosea 2,9,13; Zephaniah 1
<b>C</b> hemosh	God of Moab and Ammon; involved cruelty and human sacrifice	Judges; 1 Kings 11; 2 Kings 23; Jeremiah 48
<b>D</b> agon	Philistine god had body of a fish and human head and hands; Samson died at temple of Dagon	Judges; 1 Samuel 5; 1 Chronicles 10; Amos

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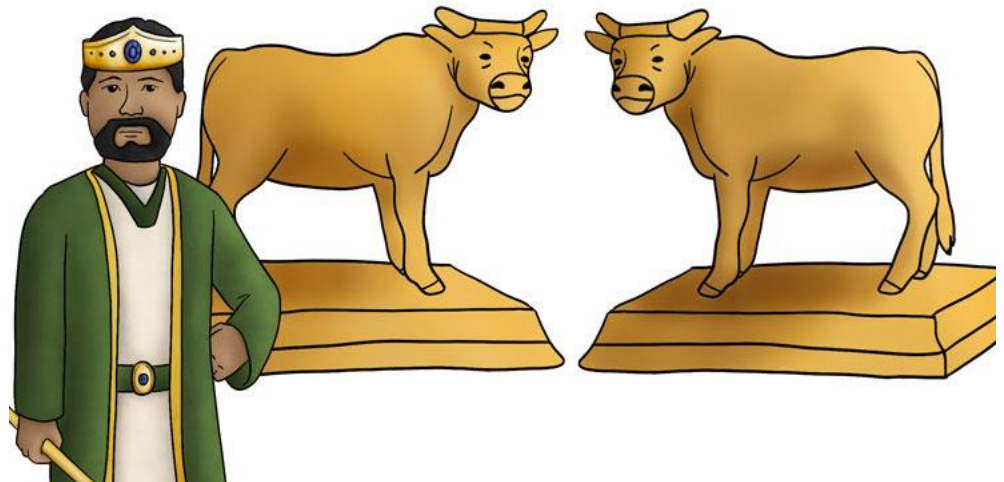
## 1 Kings 12:28–31 (NASB95)

<sup>28</sup>So the king consulted, and **made two golden calves**, and he said to them, “It is too much for you to go up to Jerusalem; behold your gods, O Israel, that brought you up from the land of Egypt.”

<sup>29</sup>He set one in **Bethel**, and the other he put in **Dan**.

<sup>30</sup>Now this thing became a sin, for the people went to worship before the one as far as Dan.

<sup>31</sup>And he made houses on high places, and made priests from among all the people who were not of the sons of Levi.



# OT Key #12: “General Motors” ABC’s



## **Leviticus 20:2–5 (NASB95)**

<sup>2</sup>“You shall also say to the sons of Israel: ‘Any man from the sons of Israel or from the aliens sojourning in Israel who gives any of his offspring to Molech, shall surely be put to death; the people of the land shall stone him with stones.

<sup>3</sup>‘I will also set My face against that man and will cut him off from among his people, because he has given some of his offspring to Molech, so as to defile My sanctuary and to profane My holy name.

<sup>4</sup>‘If the people of the land, however, should ever disregard that man when he gives any of his offspring to Molech, so as not to put him to death,

<sup>5</sup>then I Myself will set My face against that man and against his family, and I will cut off from among their people both him and all those who play the harlot after him, by playing the harlot after Molech.



# Half Bible Cheer Books



**KEY:** One Sand Mule / Saw-I

# | Saul (Reign: 1052 – 1010)

## OT Key #13: B.A.D Saul

- Benjaminite (**Boo** Judges 19-21)
- Arrogance
- Disobedient

*"But now your kingdom shall not endure. The LORD has sought out for Himself a man after His own heart, and the LORD has appointed him as ruler over His people, because you have not kept what the LORD commanded you." (1 Samuel 13:14)*

# Half Bible Cheer Books



**KEY:** Two Sand Mule / Wholehearted David with Harp and Sling

# David (Reign: 1010 – 970)

## OT Key #14: Made in America DAVID



- United the twelve tribes
- S-tablished Jerusalem as the capital and center of worship to Yahweh
- Assembled Armies

# Half Bible Cheer Books



**KEY:** One King / Half-hearted Solomon (mic, women, money)



# Solomon (Reign: 970-931)

## OT Key #15: P.C. the Teacher



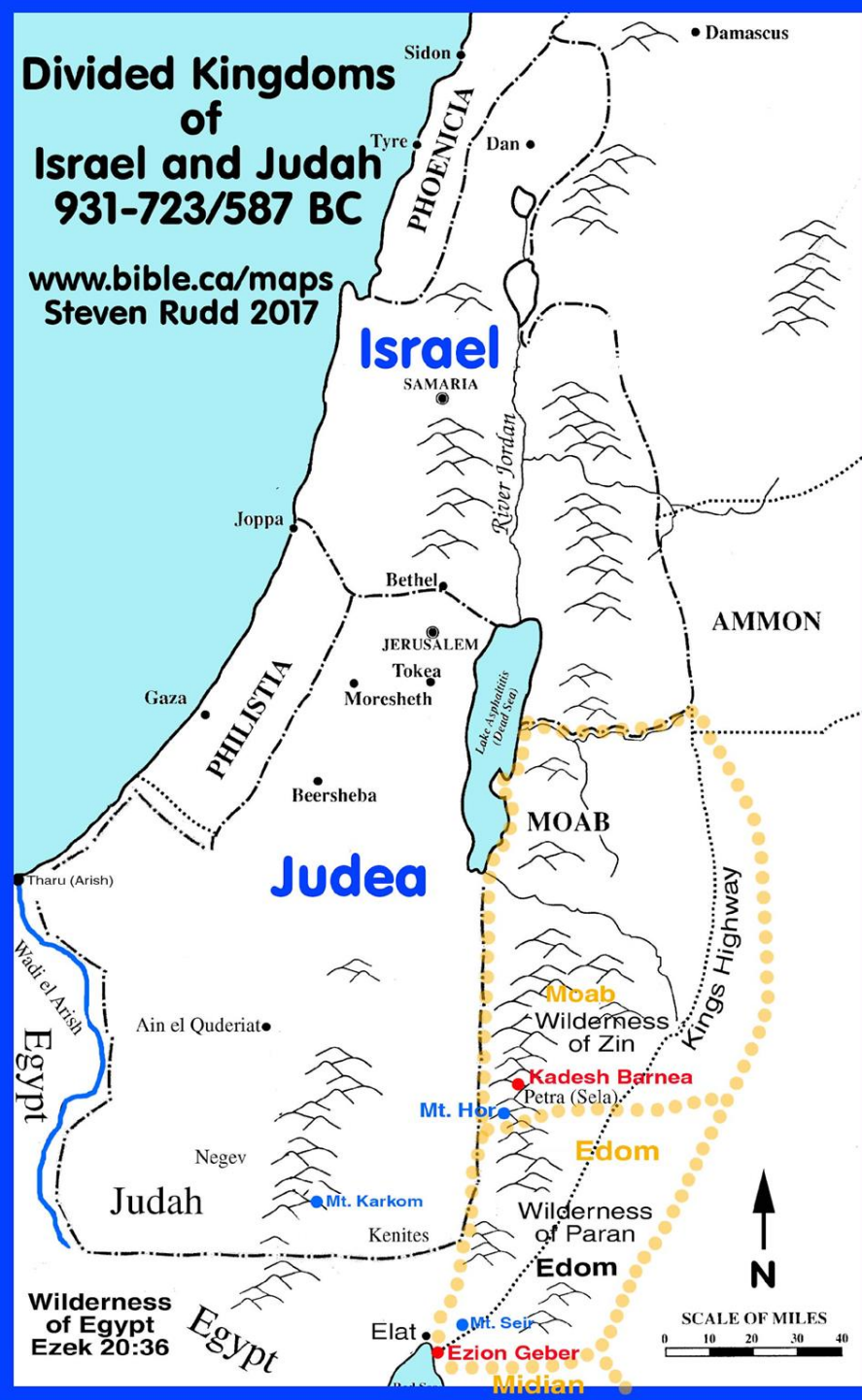
- Peace
- Culture (good and bad)
- Temple
- Taxes

*"Your father made our yoke hard; now therefore lighten the hard service of your father and his heavy yoke which he put on us, and we will serve you."*

*(1 Kings 12:4 & 1 Chronicles 10:4)*

# Divided Kingdoms of Israel and Judah 931-723/587 BC

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**NORTH**

- Country Name: **Israel**
- Tribes: **10**
- Capital: **Eventually Samaria**
- Worship: **Bethel and Dan**
- First King: **Jeroboam I (*Servant of Solomon*)**
- Historical Reference: **1 Kings 12– 2 Kings 17**
- Good Kings: **0**

**SOUTH =)**

- Country Name: **Judah**
- Tribes: **2 (Benjamin and Judah)**
- Capital: **Jerusalem**
- Worship: **Jerusalem**
- First King: **Rehoboam (*Son of Solomon*)**
- Historical Reference: **1 Kings 12– 2 Kings 25; 2 Chronicles 1-36**
- Good Kings: **8**

# Half Bible Cheer Books



**KEY:** Two Kings / A Divided Kingdom

# Half Bible Cheer Books



**KEY:** One Chronicles / Editorial on David (Harp and Sling)



# Half Bible Cheer Books



**KEY:** Two Chronicles / Editorial on the Kings of Judah



# **STUDY GROUPS!**

- 1. What are each of the following books about? 1 Samuel, 2 Samuel, and 1 Kings about?**
- 2. What three bodies of water run through the middle of Israel?**
- 3. What are the distinctives of the tribe of Levi?**
- 4. Going clockwise from the 12 o'clock of Israel, who were Israel's neighbors/enemies? Name some of their gods.**
- 5. What are the distinctives of Saul, David, and Solomon?**
- 6. What are the some of the distinctives of the Northern and Southern Kingdoms?**