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A Continuous Chronology from Creation to the Cross

Chapter 9 Summary Chronologies



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Chapter 9 The Place of Esther in Biblical Chronology Overturning Common Chronological Misconceptions

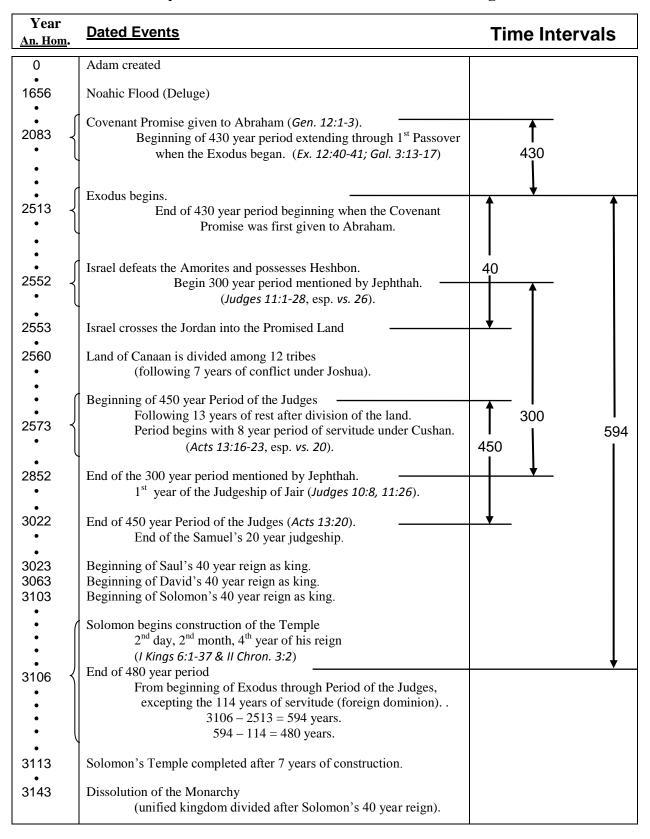
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Biblical Chronology Summary of the Exodus: From Egypt to Conquest and Division of Canaan

Year An. Hom.	Specific Dates	Event/Information	Scripture Reference
2513	15 th day, 1 st mo., 1 st year	Exodus begins	Ex. 12:2-6,29-41
	15 th day, 2 nd mo., 1 st yr.	Arrive at Wilderness of Sin	Num. 33:1-4
	15 day, 2 mo., 1 yr. 15 th day, 3 rd mo., 1 st yr.	Law given at Mt. Sinai	Ex. 16:1 Ex. 19:1-2
	1^{st} day, 1^{st} mo., 1^{rd} yr.	Tabernacle erected	Ex. 19.1-2 Ex. 40:17
	1 st day, 2 nd mo., 2 nd yr.	Census taken at Sinai	Num. 1:1-4
		Depart Sinai for Paran	Num. 10:11-13
2515	20^{th} day, 2^{nd} mo., 2^{nd} yr.	(12 spies are sent out into Canaan) Note: Caleb is 40 years old when he is	Num. 13:17-30
		sent to spy out the land.	Josh. 14:7
2552	1 st day, 5 th mo., 40 th yr.	Aaron dies	Num. 20:22-29; 33:38-39
		Defeat Amorites and possess	Num. 21:21-35
2552	40 th year	Heshbon (1 st military conflict).	Duet. 2:14 – 3:11
		[Israel defeats Sihon, king of the Amorites, and Og, king of Bashan]	(esp., <i>Duet. 2:24-25</i>)
2552	1 st day, 11 th mo., 40 th yr.	Moses delivers his final address	Num. 36:13 – Duet.1:5
	?? day, ?? mo., 40 th yr.	Moses dies at age 120 (Moses dies on Mt. Nebo).	Duet. 34:1,5-8
2553	10 th day, 1 st mo., 41 st yr.	Israel crosses the Jordan river; Camps at Gilgal	Josh. 4:19
	14 th day, 1 st mo., 41 st yr.	1 st Passover observed in the land of Canaan	Josh. 5:10
	15 th day, 1 st mo., 41 st yr.	Israel eats produce from Canaan (manna ceases)	Josh. 5:9-12
2553		el arrive in the Promised Land after leaving Egypt)	Num. 14:33-35; 32:13 Josh. 5:6
2560	(following	divided among the 12 Tribes g 7 years of conflict). culated from data concerning Caleb).	
	Recall: Caleb was (when sent	years old at the division of the land. 40 years old in 2515 An. Hom. to spy out the land of Canaan). 2515 + 45 = 2560	Josh. 14:10 Josh. 14:7

Bible Chronology Summary: From Creation to the Division of the Kingdom



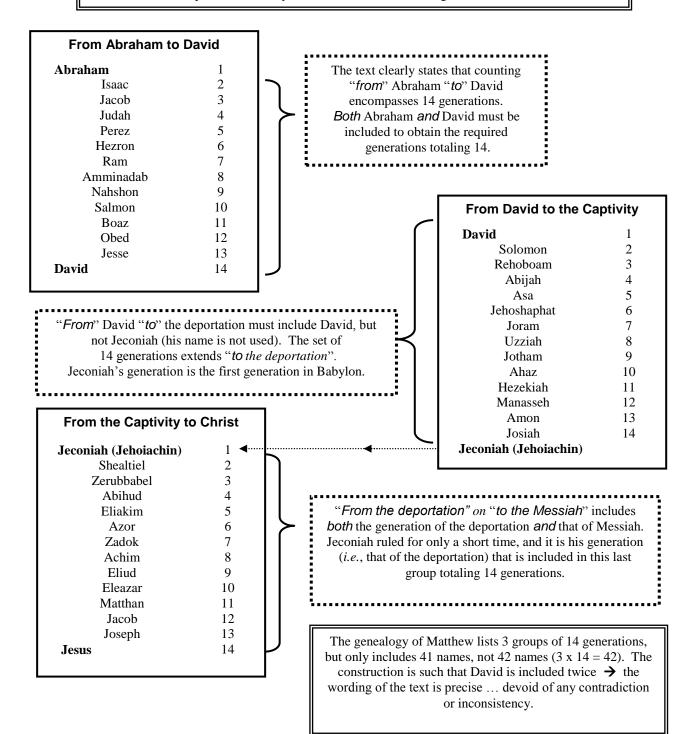
Summary Chronology of the Old Testament

Year An. Hom.	Year (Before Christ – Corrected) BCC	Year (Ptolemaic Dates) BCN	Dated Events and Comments	Important Time Intervals
0	4043 BCC 4042 BCC		Adam created; Fall and imposition of the Curse Adam age 1, even though he was a mature adult	
1656	2387 BCC		Noahic Deluge begins (Flood)	
1757 • 1996	2276 BCC 2037 BCc		Peleg born Babel Dispersion Peleg dies	
2008	2025 BCC		Abraham born	
2083	2100 BCC		Covenant Promise given to Abraham	. *************************************
•	•			430 years
2513	1530 BCC		Exodus Begins	. ======
3023	1020 BCC		Saul begins to reign as King of Israel	T
3063	980 BCC		David begins to reign as King of Israel	3030 to 3520 70 sabbath year
3143	900 BCC		Kingdom is divided.	(70 x 7 = 490 y) (see p. 63)
3406	637 BCC		Northern Kingdom is taken captive by Assyria	497 years.
3520	523 BCC	605 BC	Jerusalem invaded by Babylon the 1 st time Beginning of 70 exile in Babylon	. **
3528	515 BCC	597 BC	Jerusalem invaded by Babylon the 2 nd time	
3539	504 BCC	586 BC	Jerusalem destroyed at end of 3 rd invasion by Babylon	70 years
3587	456 BCC	538 BC	Babylon conquered by Medo-Persia	
3589	454 BCC	536 BC	Cyrus becomes sole king of Medo-Persia End of 70 year exile in Babylon Beginning of the first 69 weeks (483 years) of Daniel's prophecy	*
3637	406 BCC	488 BC	End of the first 7 weeks (49 years) of Daniel's prophecy of 70 weeks (of years) {End of the prophecy of Malachi and the OT}	483 years
• 4038 4039	5 BCC 4 BCC	5 BC 4 BC	Birth of Christ Christ age 1	69 wks.
4042 4043	1 BCC 1 AD	1 BC 1 AD	Christ age 4 Christ age 5	Of Daniel
4068	26 AD	26 AD	Christ age 30; begins public ministry	
4071	29 AD	29 AD	Christ age 33; crucified at Passover in 29 AD. Messiah is "cut off" End of the first 69 weeks (483 years) of Daniel's prophecy of 70 weeks	¥

The Birth of Christ: Relevant Genealogies and Chronologies

Matthew's Genealogy: from Abraham to Christ

"So all the generations from Abraham to David are fourteen generations; from David to the deportation to Babylon, fourteen generations; and from the deportation to Babylon to the Messiah, fourteen generations." *Matt. 1:17*



Genealogy and Chronology: Part 1 From Abraham to David to Christ

Name	gen	Dates An. Hom.
	#	(year of the era of man)
Adam created		Year Zero
Abraham	1	Born in 2008
Isaac	2	Born in 2108
Jacob	3	Born in 2168
Judah	4	
Perez	5	
Hezron	6	
Ram	7	
Amminadab	8	
Nahshon	9	
Salmon	10	
Boaz	11	
Obed	12	
Jesse	13	
David	14	Born in 3033
Solomon	15	
Rehoboam	16	
Abijah	17	
Asa	18	
Jehoshaphat	19	
Joram	20	
Uzziah	21	
Jotham	22	
Ahaz	23	
Hezekiah	24	
Manasseh	25 26	
Amon	26 27	
Josiah	27	Demonstration: 1:: 2520
Jeconiah Shooltiol	28	Deportation in 3528
Shealtiel Zerubbabel	29 20	
Abihud	30 31	
Eliakim	32	
Azor	33	
Zadok	33 34	
Achim	3 4 35	
Eliud	36	
Eleazar	30 37	
Matthan	38	
Jacob	39	
Joseph	40	
Jesus	41	Born in 4038
	r±	(corresponds to 5 BC)

Some Pertinent Facts

- Abraham lived to 175 yrs of age
 Abraham fathered children after age 137
- Isaac lived to 180 yrs of age
 Jacob born when Isaac was 60 yrs old
- Jacob lived to 147 yrs of age
 Joseph born when Jacob was 91 yrs old
 Benjamin born when Jacob was 92+ yrs old
- Joseph lived to 110 yrs of age
- Moses lived to 120 yrs of age
- Eli lived to 98 years of age

Time interval: 1025 yrs (3033 – 2008 = 1025) 13 generations covering 1025 yrs., yielding 79 yrs per generation

Time interval: 495 yrs (3528 – 3033 = 495) 14 generations covering 495 yrs., yielding 35 yrs per generation

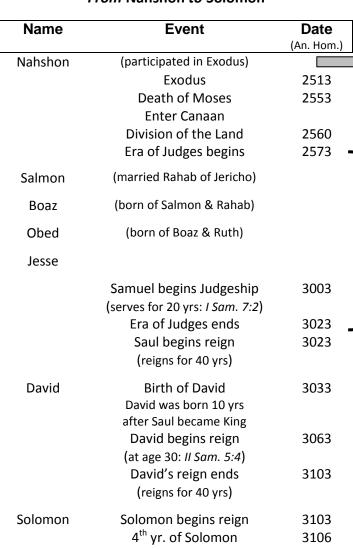
Time interval: 528 yrs (4038 – 3510 = 528) 13 generations covering 528 yrs., yielding 41 yrs per generation

Note: Jeconiah (Jehoiachin) was 18 yrs old when he began to reign, and reigned for 3 months before being deported to Babylon (cf., II Kings 24:8).

Hence, Jeconiah was born in 3510 An. Hom.

Genealogy and Chronology: Part 2 From Nahshon to Solomon





"Now the LORD spoke to Moses in the Wilderness of Sinai, in the tabernacle of meeting, on the 1st day of the 2nd month, in the 2nd year after they had come out of the land of Egypt saying: ... These are the names of the men who shall stand with you: ... from Judah, Nahshon the son of Amminadab" Num. 1:1 – 7

"... and Nahshon the son of Amminadab shall be the leader of the children of Judah." Num. 2:3

"The standard (banner) of the camp of the children of Judah set out first according to their armies; over their army was Nahshon the son of Amminadab." Num. 10:14 – 15

480 yrs

450 yrs

[from 2513 to 3106 (inclusive) corresponds to 594 years]

<u>Note</u>: Israel spent 114 yrs in servitude under foreign judges or usurpers of the office of judgeship

594 - 114 = 480

"Now it came about in the **480**th year after the sons of Israel came out of the land of Egypt, in the 4th year of Solomon's reign, ..." I Kings 6:1

Suppose Nahshon was 20 yrs old at the beginning of the Exodus → i.e., Nahshon was born in 2493 An. Hom.

Suppose Jesse lived until David was 20 yrs old (Jesse was alive when David defeated Goliath) → i.e., Jesse passed away in 3053 An. Hom.

Accepting these suppositions, there were 5 generations covering a period of 560 yrs (3053 − 2493 = 560) → an average lifespan of 112 yrs per generation.

"And about the time of 40 years suffered He their manners in the wilderness.

And when He had destroyed 7 nations in the land of Canaan, He divided their land to them by lot. And after that He gave unto them judges about the space of **450 years**, until Samuel the prophet. And afterward they desired a king: and God gave unto them Saul, ... by the space of 40 years."

Acts 13:18 – 21 (KJV)

Genealogy: *From* David *to* Christ Comparison of Genealogies recorded in Matthew's and Luke's Gospel

From "Annals of the World" by Bishop James Ussher

		Nahshon		
		Salmon		
		Boaz		
		Obed		
		Jesse		
	1	David	1	
Solomon	2	Solomon's reign began in 3103 An. Hom.	2	Nathan
Rehoboam	3		3	Mattatha
Abijah	4		4	Menna
Asa	5		5	Melea
Jehoshaphat	6		6	Eliakim
Joram	7		7	Jonam
Ahaziah	7		8	Joseph
Joash	\perp	Names not in Matthew	9	Judah
Amaziah			10	Simeon
Uzziah	8		11	Levi
Jotham	9		12	Matthat
Ahaz	10		13	Jorim
Hezekiah	11		14	Eliezer
Manasseh	12		15	Joshua
Amon	13		16	Er
Josiah	14		17	Elmadam
Jehoiakim			18	Cosam
Jeconiah (Jehoiachin)	15		19	Addi
Shealtiel	16		20	Melchi
Zerubbabel	17		21	Neri
Abiud	18		22	Shealtiel
Eliakim	19		23	Zerubbabel
Azor	20		24	Rhesa
Zadok	21		25	Joanan
Achim	22		26	Joda (Juda)
Eliud	23		27	Josech
Eleazar	24		28	Semein
Matthan	25		29	Mattathias
Jacob	26		30	Maath
Joseph	27		31	Naggai
Jesus (born of Mary)	28		32	Hesli
111111 (00111011)			33	Nahum
			34	Amos
			35	Mattathias
			26	Joseph
			27	Jannai
			28	Melchi
			29	Levi
			30	Matthat
			31	Heli (Eli)
			32	Mary
			33	Jesus, The Christ
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Genealogical and Chronological Data From Abraham to David

Name	gen#	Age at Death	Year An. Hom.	Chronological Data
Abraham	1	175 (Gen.25:7)	Birth 2008 Death 2183	Age at birth of Isaac: 100 yrs
Isaac	2	180 (Gen. 35:28-29)	Birth 2108 Death 2288	Age at birth of Jacob: 60 yrs (Gen. 25:26)
Jacob	3	147 (Gen. 47:28)	Birth 2168 Death 2315	Age at birth of Joseph: 91 yrs
Judah	4			
Perez	5			
Hezron	6			
Ram	7			
Amminadab	8			
Nahshon	9			
			2513	Exodus from Egypt
			2553	Enter Promised Land
Salmon	10			Married Rahab - of Jericho
Boaz	11			Mother's name is Rahab
Obed	12			
Jesse	13			
			3023	End of 450 yr. Period of Judges
David	14	70	Birth 3033 Death 3103	