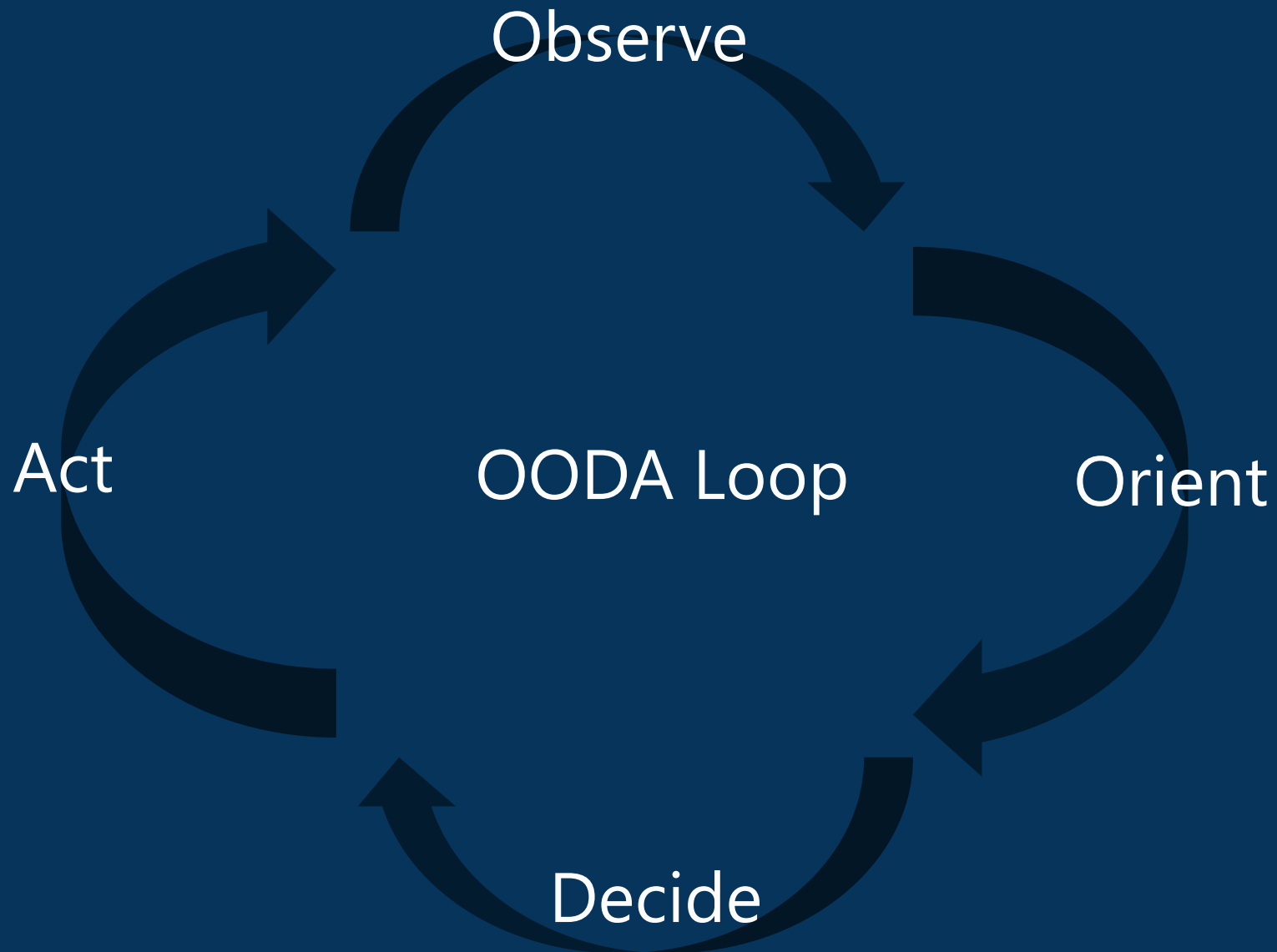


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| Class 1 8 Sept | Kingdom Revolution Begins: "Let light be..." Genesis begins and Revelation Ends | Creation, First 11 chpts of Gen, Gen Rev Comparison |
| Class 2 15 Sept | Revolution in the Great Flood – (Noah names) | Names Adam to Noah |
| Class 3 22 Sept | Dallas trip | Maybe Video or Alternate day |
| Class 4 | Revolution reveals a Nation- Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, Joseph, Judah | What's your name? |
| Class 5 | Revolution of Feasts of Israel | Moses, Exodus, Law |
| Class 6 | Revolution unveils a Gentile Bride | Ruth and Rev 5 |
| Class 7 | Revolution enthrones a Revolutionary | Worshipper Warrior |
| Class 8 | Revolution in Captivity – Daniel – Times of Gentiles Begins | 69 weeks, Gentile Kings |
| Class 9 | Revolution of the Coming Prince | 70 th Week, Maccabees to Mishnah – 400 years of silence that were not silent |
| Class 10 | Roundtable with Shephards and Wives | Discussion of Kingdom of God Revolution in OT |

Problem in Decision Making



Only 3 Groups of People

- Those that *perished in* the Flood
- Those that were *preserved through* the Flood
- Those that were *removed prior to* the Flood

After the Flood

- Noah 600 years old when Flood Waters came
 - **Gen 9:28** And Noah lived after the flood three hundred and fifty years.
 - **Gen 9:29** So all the days of Noah were nine hundred and fifty years; and he died.
- Shem
 - Gen 11:10 This *is* the genealogy of Shem: Shem *was* one hundred years old, and begot Arphaxad two years after the flood.
 - **Gen 11:11** After he begot Arphaxad, Shem lived five hundred years, and begot sons and daughters.

*According to Jasher and Jubilees, Noah and Shem began
Academy of the Talmudim*

Lines of Patriarchs

- Abram born 307 Years after Flood
- Noah had another 43 years of life
- Shem had another 193 years of life
- Did these men interact? Teach the younger Generations?
- According to Jasher and Jubilees
 - Abram lived with Noah and Shem from 10 to 47 learning ways of the Lord
 - After Isaac sacrificed, Isaac went to Shem's house to learn ways of the Lord
 - Jacob went to Shem's house... Esau refused to go
- Written word of Adam, Noah, Enoch, Shem
 - Passed to Abram... Isaac... Jacob... Joseph... Who added their accounts... copied and maintained to day of Moses
 - Taken back into land by Joshua

Kingdom of God Revolution from Noah to Moses

The Table of Nations

Genesis 10

- 70 Families
 - Entered Egypt Gen 46:10
 - Bounds set Deut 32:7, 8

- 70 Nations from Noah
 - Ham
 - Shem
 - Japheth

Japheth

- Japheth
 - Iapatos... Father of the Greeks
 - Iyapeti... Father of the Aryans in India
- **Gomer:** (Herodotus, Plutarch, et al):
 - Cimmerians settled along the Danube and Rhine.
 - **Ashkenaz:** Germany.
 - **Riphath:** (Josephus: Paphlagonians; "Europe" from Riphath.
 - **Togarmah:** Armenians. Turkey, Turkestan
- **Magog:** "Scythians" (Critical to understanding Ezekiel 38 & 39)
 - Hesiod, Greek didactic poet, 8th cent. B.C.
 - Herodotus, "The Father of History", 5th cent. B.C.
- **Madai:** Medes; Kurds, et al.
 - Emerged about 10th cent. BC; coalition with Persia, 7th century BC.
- **Javan:** Ionia; Greece
 - **Tarshish:** British Isles?
- **Tiras:** Pelasgians of the Aegean; the Etruscans of Italy

Ham

- **Mizraim:** Upper & Lower Egypt
 - Philistines ("Palestinians" not sons of Ishmael)
- **Cush:** Ethiopia, Kassites, E. of Assyria
(Settled S. of the 2nd cataract of the Nile)
 - **Nimrud:** Bab-El, Erech, Accad, Calneh
- **Phut:** (Settled W. of Egypt) Ethiopia, N. Africa
- **Canaan:** Sidon to Gaza, Sodom, & Gomorrah
 - **Khittae** ("Cathay")
 - **Sinites** (Sino = China)

Shem

- **Elam:** Persia (Iran)
- **Asshur**
- **Arphaxad**
 - Salah
 - Eber
 - Peleg ("earth divided")
 - Joktan
- **Lud**
- **Aram**



The Tower of Bab-El

Genesis 11

- One Language: Hebrew?
- Godless Confederacy: 1st World Dictator
 - Nimrud – (“We will rebel”)
- Plain of Shinar: Bab-El “Tower to Heaven”
 - Astrological Temple
 - Zodiac corrupted
- Tale of Two Cities
 - Babylon – the City of Man
 - Jerusalem – the City of God
- First Socialist Experiment – lasted 80 years
- Revelation prophetically details return to Roots

Fascinating Terms

- Jasher calls Tigris and Euphrates river valley after the flood... Middle Earth
- Gilgamesh is Nimrud – a Giant
- Melchezidek is Shem
- In Jasher, Esau killed Gilgamesh

Babel

- The building of the Tower of Babel and the Confusion of Tongues (languages) in ancient Babylon is mentioned rather briefly in Genesis Chapters 10 and 11.
- Genesis 10 is the so-called "Table of Nations"--a list of 70 names of Noah's descendants through Shem, Ham, and Japheth.
- The list is probably not complete, but we are given a good picture of the division of our race into three branches each having been given special giftedness and unique qualities by God, highlighting the spiritual, intellectual and physical sides of man as he was created in the image of God.
- Genesis 10:6-12 includes a parenthetical section on one of the sons of grandsons Ham, Nimrud the son of Cush.
- Research based on the following:
 - <http://www.idolphin.org/babel.html>
 - <https://www.khouse.org/articles/2004/523/print/>

Nimrud – First Post-Flood World Dictator

- Nimrud's name is from the verb "let us revolt."
- Said to be a mighty hunter (gibbor tsayidh) in the sight of the Lord, but the language has a dark meaning.
 - Hunts not animals, but rather the souls of men
 - Known in History as Gilgamesh – King of Kings
- Becomes a tyrant or despot leading an organized rebellion against the rule of Yahweh.
- Two Kinds of people
 - Rulers (Commissars)
 - Slaves (Proletariat)
- **No property except that owned by the state**
- Gen 11: 3
 - Brick – leb-ay-naw in Hebrew... Also translated to 'Tyranny' in Hebrew
 - Mortar – Kho-mer – in Hebrew... Also translated 'Materialism' in Hebrew

Bab-El under Nimrud (First World Dictator) was humanity's first Socialist Experiment

Personal Note

- New Translations of New Testament changes language
 - Points at Early Church being Socialist
 - Justifies Social Gospel and Social Justice
 - One translator spoke of wanting to translate Koinonia to Communism (Koinonia means Communion)
- Socialism holds all property in common
- Jesus' conclusion at end of Parable of Talents
 - To he who has shall more be given but he who does not have, it will be taken away – Matt 25: 29
 - This is not a socialist outcome

*Biggest Problem with Neo-Historical re-explanation of Church being Socialist...
There are no cheerful givers because all is lost to the state or organization*

Nimrud's Babylon

- Chapter 11 resumes the account of Nimrud's Babylon:
 - "Babel" is composed of two words
 - "Bab" meaning "gate"
 - "El," "god."
- Hence, "the gate of god." A related word in Hebrew, "balal" means "confusion."
- Nimrud began to build his cities within a hundred years of the Flood.
 - The confusion of tongues is usually thought to have occurred during the days of Peleg (Gen. 10:25).
 - In his days (Peleg) the earth was divided
 - Peleg in Hebrew means Earthquake
 - Pangea broken into continents we have today
 - The chronology one derives from most English Bibles, which are translated from the Masoretic Hebrew text, places the time of Peleg only about 100 years after the Flood.
 - The world population at the time of the Dispersion at Babel may have been of the order of tens of thousands of persons.

From Babel to Babylon

- Babylon becomes, in history, the fountainhead of false religion in the Post-Flood world.
- The city Babylon and Iraq figure in Biblical prophecies connected with the end of the age.
- "Mystery Babylon" is an even more prevalent theme in Bible prophecy.
- Revelation 17-18 depicts God's final judgment of world religion plus world commerce and trade since these man-made systems have sprung from the source rebellion of Nimrud and Babel.

Sidewalk Sunday School Misinformation

- Don't be misled by confusing the *Fall* of Babylon in history with the *Destruction* of Babylon, as prophesied in the Bible.
 - Many Bible handbooks, dictionaries, and commentaries give you the impression that Babylon was "destroyed" in 539 B.C.
 - Important to realize that when Cyrus the Great captured Babylon he was able to take it over *without a battle* .
 - This feat is celebrated in the famed Cylinder of Cyrus that is featured in the British Museum in London
- Babylon served as a secondary capital of the Persian Empire for two centuries until Alexander the Great conquered the Persians in 325 B.C.
 - He made it his capital; in fact, he died there.
 - Four of his generals then divided up the empire
 - Babylon gradually atrophied over the centuries.
 - Yet, when Robert Koldewey, the German archaeologist, excavated it at the end of the 19th century, he was able to hire local residents to assist him.

The Woman labelled 'Wickedness' in Revelation

- This vision seems to portray the woman, labeled "wickedness"
- Perhaps the same woman portrayed in Revelation 17 as the "Mother of Harlots"
- Relocated to where it all began: the plain of Shinar, the original location of Babylon and its sinister occultic religion.
- It would seem that it is located there to again rise to power and to receive God's final judgment...
- At Babel... Nimrud's Capital... Gilgamesh ruled humanity



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Empires of the Ancient Near East



- New Kingdom Egypt 1450 BCE
- Hittite Empire 1450 BCE
- Assyrian Empire 625 BCE
- Persian Empire 500 BCE

The Scarlet Thread weaves....

...Into a Nation

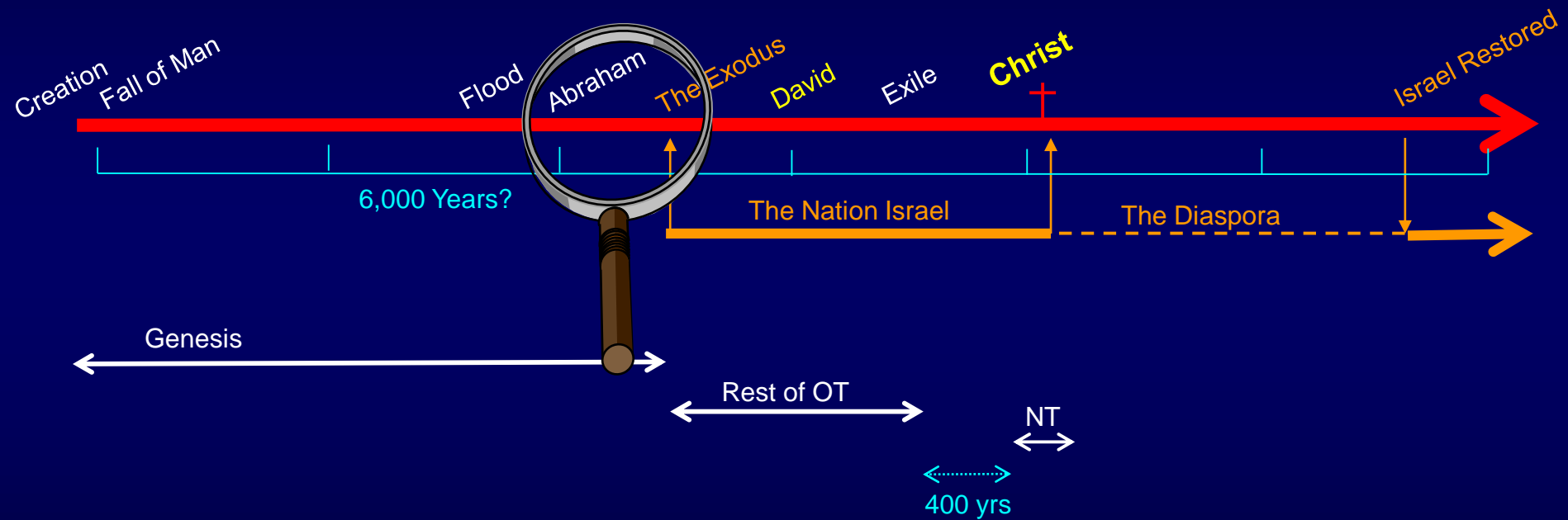
Genesis 12 - 50

Genesis

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| Genesis 1, 2 | Creation |
| Genesis 3 | Fall of Man |
| Genesis 4 | Cain & Abel |
| Genesis 5 | Genealogy of Noah |
| Genesis 6-9 | Flood of Noah |
| Genesis 10-11 | Tower of Babel |
| Genesis 12-20 | Abraham |
| Genesis 21-26 | Isaac |
| Genesis 27-36 | Jacob |
| Genesis 37-50 | Joseph |



The Panorama of History



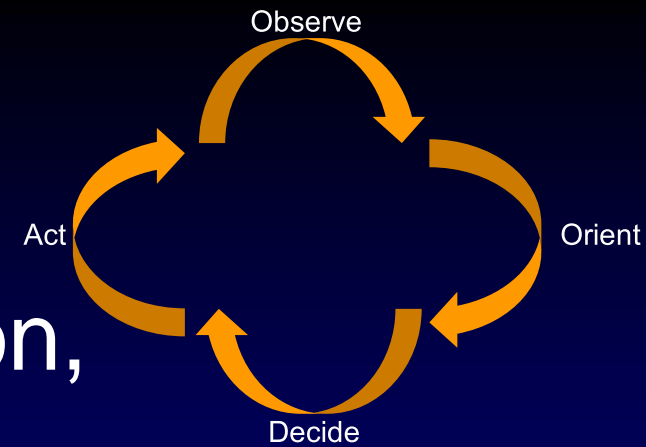
Call of Abram

Genesis 12

*Now the LORD had said unto Abram, Get thee out of thy country,
and from thy kindred,
and from thy father's house,
unto a land that I will shew thee:*

Genesis 12:1

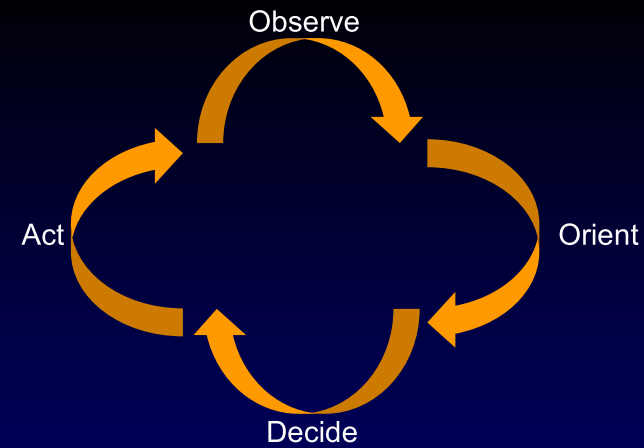
7 “I Wills”



1. And I will make of thee a great nation,
2. and I will bless thee,
3. and make thy name great;
4. and thou shalt be a blessing:
5. And I will bless them that bless thee,
6. and curse him that curseth thee:
7. and *in thee shall all families of the earth be blessed.*

Genesis 12:2-3

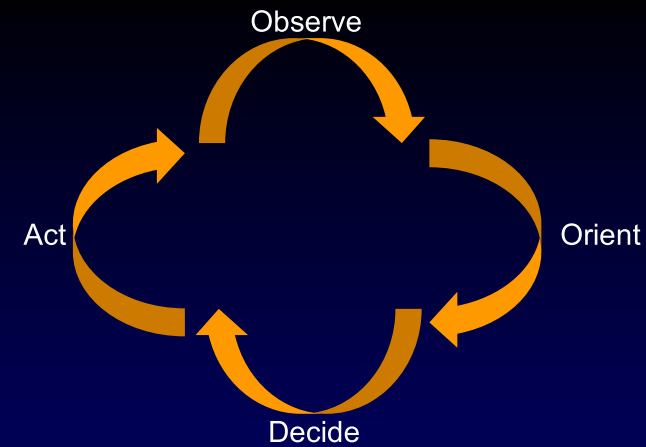
Three Major Promises



- **God's Covenant with Abraham**
 - In his seed all nations shall be blessed
- **God's Covenant with the Nation Israel**
 - If they faithfully served Him they'd prosper
 - If they forsook Him they would be destroyed
- **God's Covenant with David**
 - His family would produce the Messiah who would reign over God's people forever

The Battle of 9 Kings

Genesis 14



Shemites

Amraphel king of Shinar
Arioch king of Ellasar
Chedorlaomer king of Elam
Tidal king of nations;

Hamites

Bera king of Sodom
Birsha king of Gomorrah
Shinab king of Admah
Shemeber king of Zeboiim
King of Bela (Zoar)

- Served Chedorlaomer 12 years; 13 year rebelled
- Chedorlaomer defeated and spoiled the rebels
- Took Lot, Abram's nephew, captive from Sodom

The Slaughter of the Kings

- Abram's army (318 trained servants) rescues Lot, and the people of Sodom
- **Melchizedek**, King & Priest of Salem
 - Receives Abram's tithes
 - Administers Bread and Wine
 - Allusions: Psalm 110; Hebrews 5, 6, 7
 - Called 'Shem' in Jasher and Jubilees

Unconditional Covenant

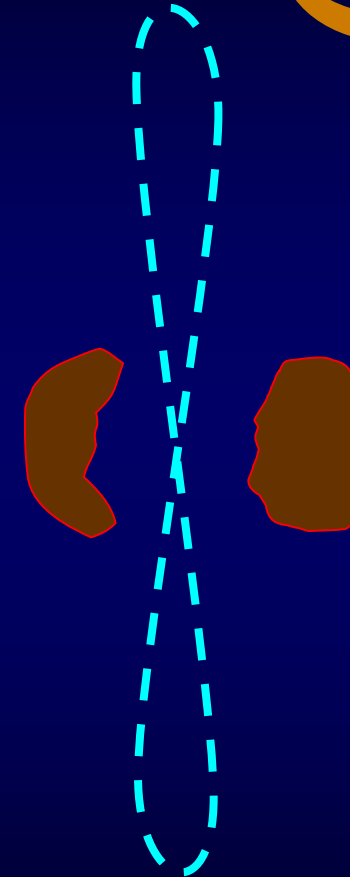
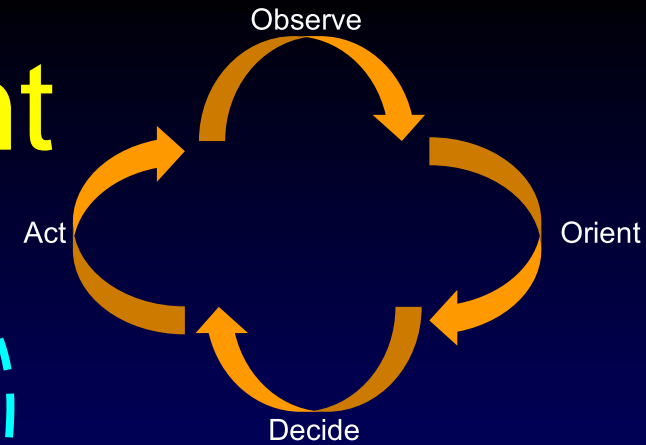
Genesis 15

A divinely ordered ritual:

barath, “To cut a covenant”

(Participants would divide a sacrifice, and together, in a figure “8,” would repeat the terms of the covenant)

Here God goes it alone;
It is *unconditional*.



Abrahamic Covenant

- Commitment of the Land to his descendants
“from the river of Egypt to the great river, the River Euphrates”
- Jasher calls this ‘Middle Earth’... As does Tolkien
- Will be estranged for 400 years
- But will return with great possessions

The Terms of the Covenant

- Declared eternal and unconditional
- Re-confirmed by an oath: [Gen 22:15-18](#)
- Confirmed to Isaac and to Jacob: [Gen 26:2-5](#)
– *(despite their acts of disobedience);*
- NT declares it immutable: [Heb 6:13-18](#)

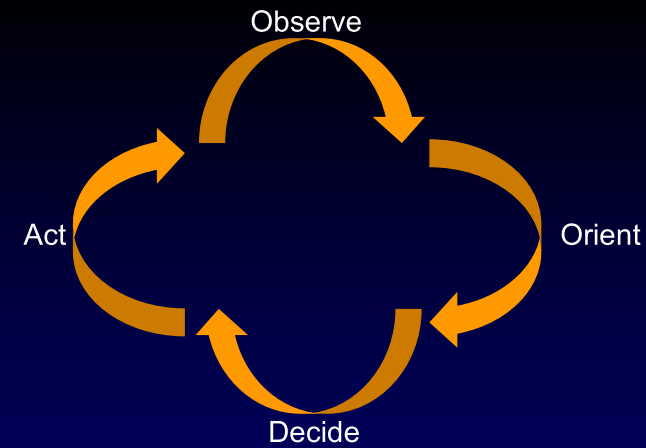
Abram → Abraham

Genesis 17

- Changed his Name to Abraham
- Confirmed His Covenant:
 “Father of Many Nations”
- Instituted Circumcision as a sign
- Also changed *Sarai* to *Sarah*
- Promised him a son

Names Changed

Genesis 17



אַבְרָם

Abram

שָׂרַי

Sarai

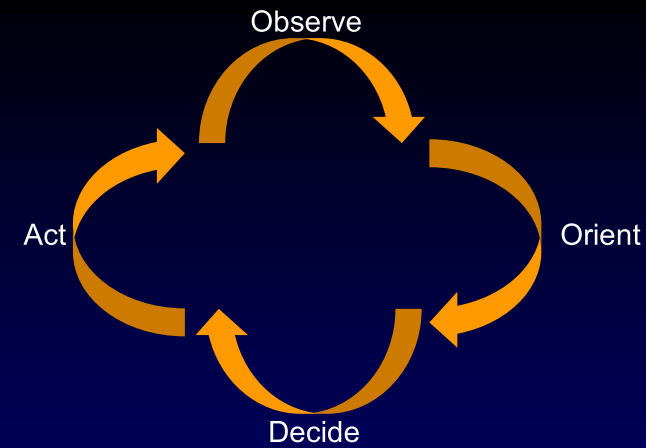
אַבְרָהָם

Abraham

שָׂרָה

Sarah

Circumcision



- Why on the 8th day?
- Clotting agents optimized:
 - Vitamin K not formed until the 5th – 7th day
 - Prothrombin below normal until the 8th day when it peaks to 110% of normal
- *How did Moses know?*

Papyrus Ebers

1332 BC

- Embedded splinter?
 - Apply worm's blood & ass's dung.
- Loosing Hair?
 - Apply 6 fats
 - Horse
 - Hippopotamus
 - Crocodile
 - Cat
 - Snake
 - Ibex
- Turning Gray?
 - Anoint with blood of black calf which has been boiled in oil or fat of rattlesnake

Other Remedies:

- Lizard's blood
- Swine's teeth
- Putrid meat
- Moisture from pig's ears
- Milk goose grease
- Asses' hooves
- Animal fats
- Excreta from animals
 - Human
 - Donkeys
 - Antelopes
 - Dogs
 - Cats
 - Flies

Oaks of Mamre

Genesis 18

- Three “men” visit: the Lord and 2 angels
- Three measures of meal ...
- A son from Sarah confirmed
- Abraham “negotiates” ...

50?

45?

30?

20?

10?

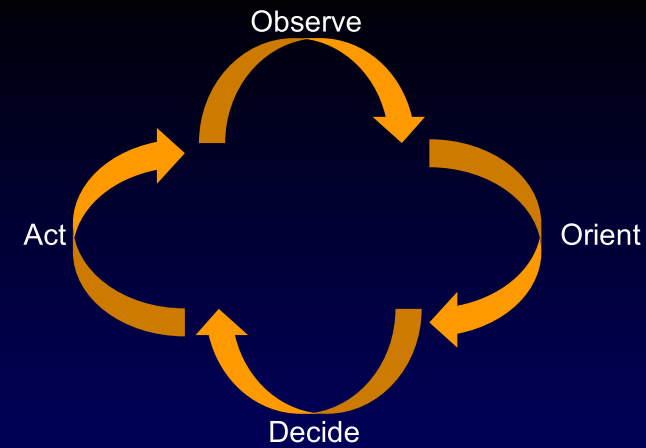
Sodom & Gomorrah

Genesis 19

- Two angels visit Lot
- The men of the city seek the visitors
 - Lot offers his virgin daughters instead
 - The angels blind the attackers
- Lot's family evacuated
 - *As a prerequisite* condition to judgment
- *Jesus likened His return to these days! (because he was there)*

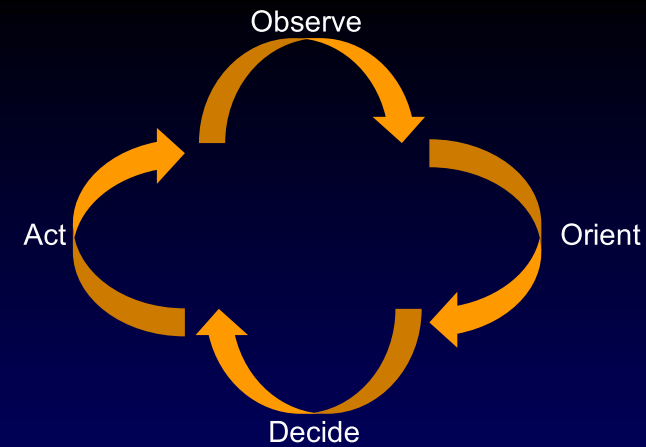
Luke 17:29

Lot's Walk



- **Lifted up his eyes (Gen 13: 10)**
 - Walked by sight rather than by faith
- **Chose for himself**
 - Placed self first
- **Separated himself (Gen 13: 11) / Abraham dwelt in Hebron**
 - Stepped away from faith family
- **Dwelt in the cities of the plain**
 - Lived with Evil
- **Pitched his tent toward Sodom (Gen 13: 12)**
 - Pointed his family toward the world
 - Gen 19: 15 – 17
 - 19: 26 – Wife became a pillar of salt
 - Was this a simple, innocent glance backwards?
 - Abraham saves lot the first time (Gen 14: 10 – 12)
- **Sat in the Gate (Gen 19: 1)**
 - Lot's attempts at a righteous life met with contempt (19: 9)
 - Lost his testimony (19: 14)
 - Last OT mention – in a dark cave in misery (19: 30)
- **2 Peter 2: 7 – 8 Believers should take great solace from this verse and what it says about Lot!**

Flesh vs. Spirit



- Abraham 430 years *before* the Law
 - Promises preceded the Law: cannot be disannulled
 - Galatians 3:17
- Ishmael vs. Isaac
 - Two sons of two principles: Flesh; Spirit
 - Ishmael: of the flesh, in unbelief
 - “The son of the bondwoman will not be heir...”
 - Isaac: of promise, in response to faith
 - The Ultimate Triumph of Faith: the offering of Isaac
 - Galatians 4:21-32



Genesis 22

And He said, Take now thy son, thine only son Isaac, whom thou lovest, and get thee into the land of Moriah; and offer him there for a burnt offering upon one of the mountains which I will tell thee of.

And Abraham rose up early in the morning, and saddled his ass, and took two of his young men with him, and Isaac his son, and clave the wood for the burnt offering, and rose up, and went unto the place of which God had told him.

Then on the third day Abraham lifted up his eyes, and saw the place afar off.

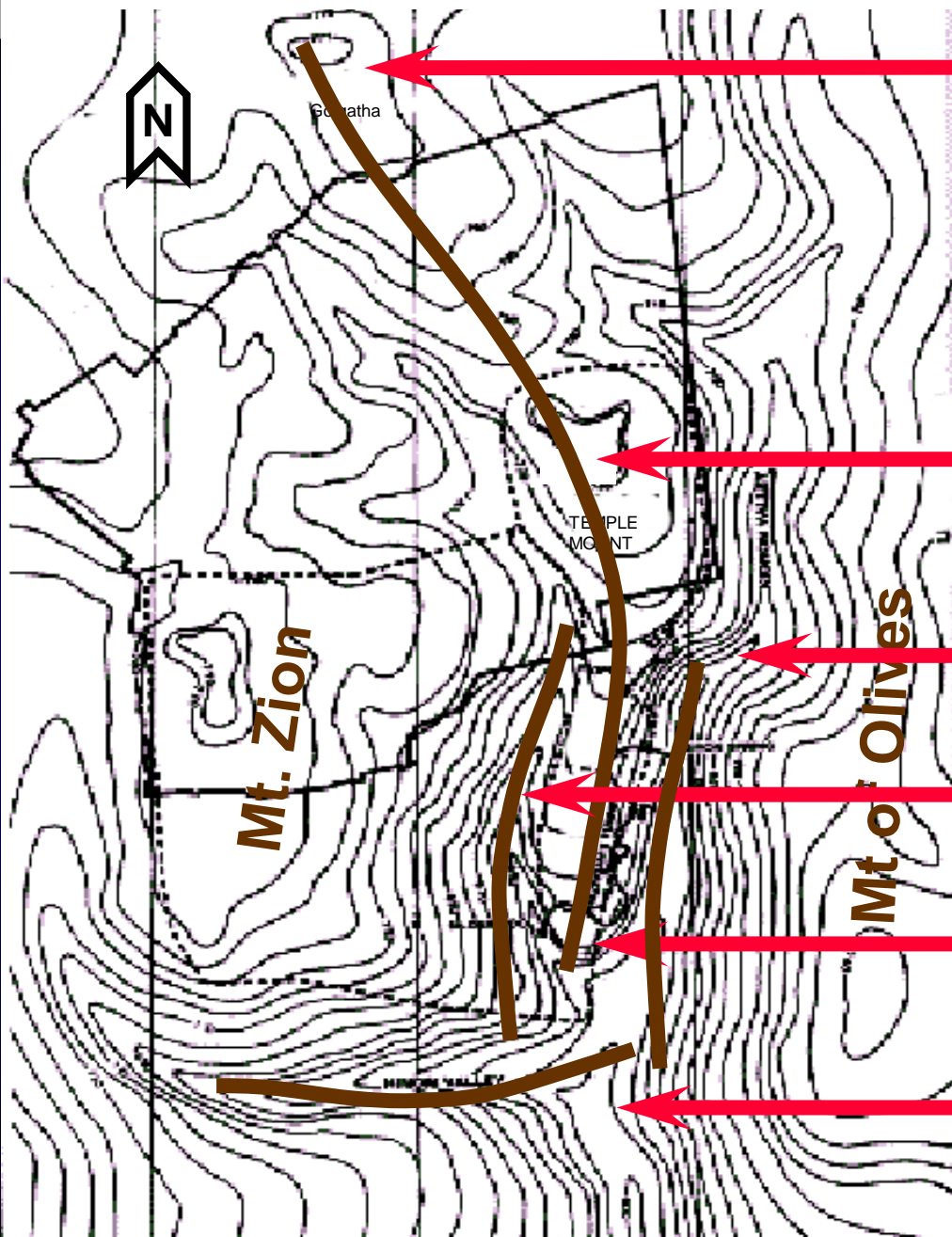
And Abraham said unto his young men, Abide ye here with the ass; and I and the lad will go yonder and worship, and come again to you.

And Abraham took the wood of the burnt offering, and laid it upon Isaac his son; and he took the fire in his hand, and a knife; and they went both of them together.

And Isaac spake unto Abraham his father, and said, My father: and he said, Here am I, my son. And he said, Behold the fire and the wood: but where is the lamb for a burnt offering?

*And Abraham said, My son, **God will provide himself a lamb for a burnt offering:** so they went both of them together.*

Topology of Mount Moriah



Peak: Akedah

**Threshing Floor
of Arunah**

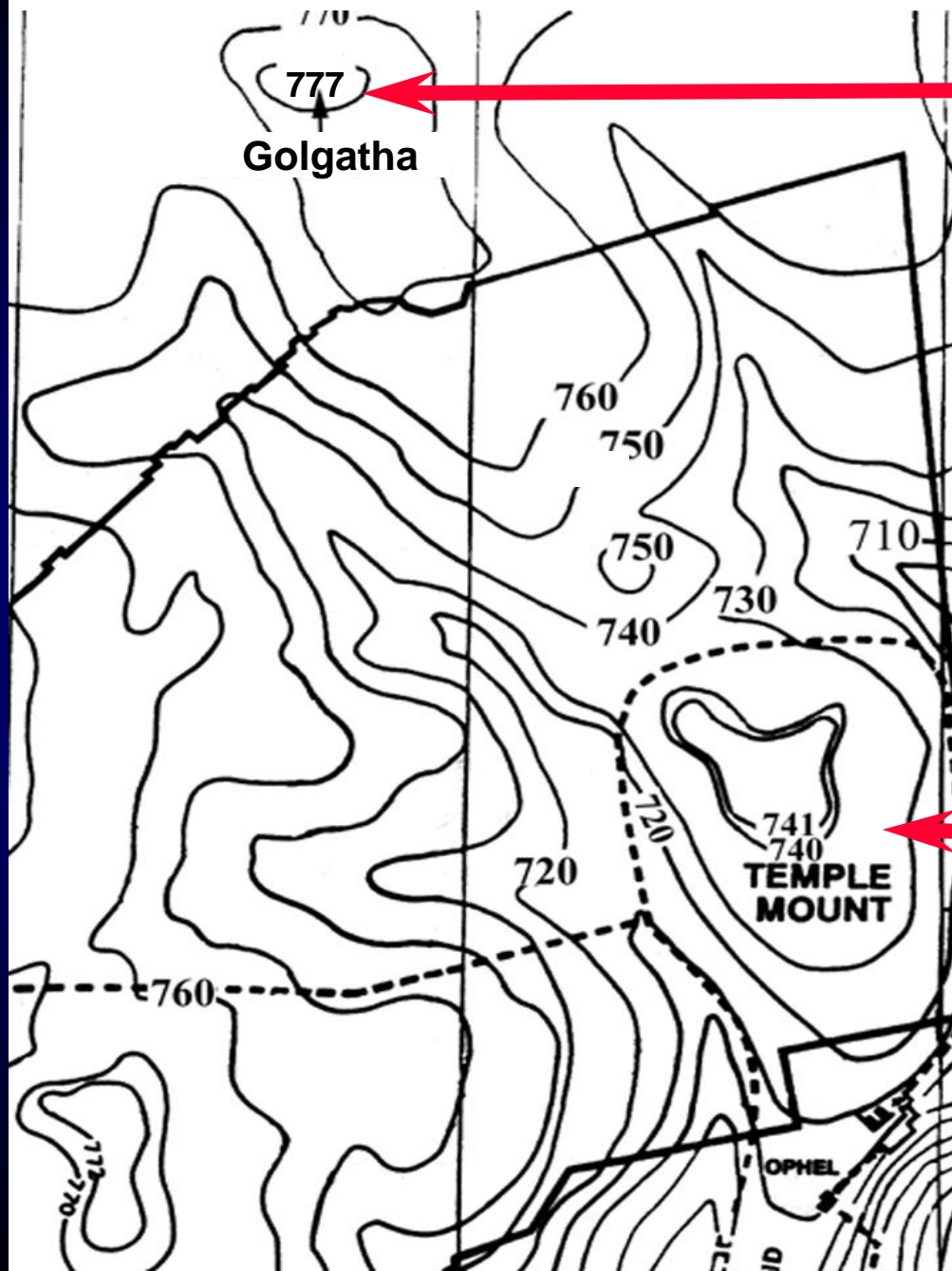
Kidron Valley

Tyropean Valley

Salem (Ophel)

Hinom Valley

Topology of Mount Moriah



Peak: Akedah

**Threshing Floor
of Arunah**

Prophetic Enactment

And Abraham called the name of that place Jehovah-Jireh: as it is said to this day, In the mount of the LORD it shall be seen.

Genesis 22:14

A Bride for Isaac

Genesis 24

- Abraham commissions Eleazer to gather a bride for Isaac.
- Eleazar qualifies her by a well;
- She agrees to marry the bridegroom;
 - (unseen...)
 - Eleazer means - Helper
- He gives her gifts...
- She joins her bridegroom at the well of *Lahai-Roi*.

Who Left the Mount?

*So Abraham returned unto his young men,
and they rose up and went together to
Beersheba; and Abraham dwelt at
Beersheba.*

Genesis 22:19

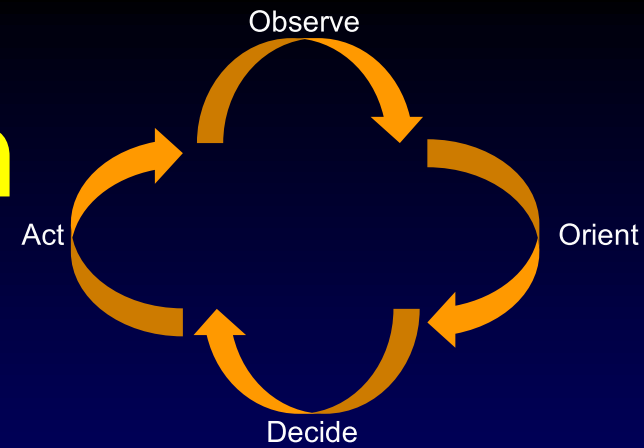
Where's Isaac?

Where's Isaac?

Isaac is personally “edited out of the record” until he is united with his bride by the well of *LaHai Roi*,
...two chapters later.

(The well of *LaHai Roi*: “the well of Living Water,” or “Living One.”)

One Integrated Design



The New Testament

is in the Old Testament concealed;

The Old Testament

is in the New Testament revealed.

Augustine

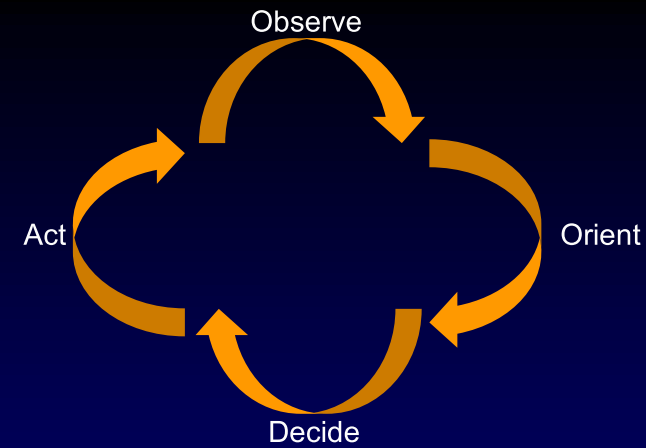
Esau and Jacob

- *And the LORD said unto her, Two nations are in thy womb, and two manner of people shall be separated from thy bowels; and the one people shall be stronger than the other people; and the elder shall serve the younger.*

Genesis 25:23

- Esau: the firstborn
- Jacob:
 - Purchases the Birthright from Esau
 - Obtains Jacob's blessing thru deceit

Wrestling to the End of Self (What's your Name?)



Gen 29: Jacob cheated by Laban

Gen 30: 12 Tribes born

Gen 31: Jacob returns to the Land

Gen 32: Jacob wrestles; renamed Israel

Gen 33: Jacob reconciled to Esau

Gen 34: Sin the family; Dinah revenged

Gen 35: Israel returns to Bethel;
Benjamin born; Rachel dies

Succession?

- **Reuben**,
 - natural heir, disavowed because of illicit relation with father's concubine
- **Simeon** and **Levi**
 - because of their crime at Shechem
- **Judah** next in line
- **Joseph**
 - favored as firstborn from Rachel, Jacob's favorite

The Career of Joseph

Genesis 37-50

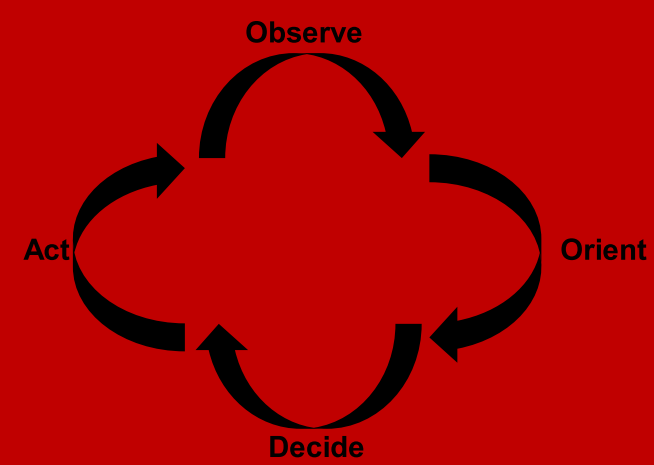
- Joseph, favored: Firstborn of Rachel,
 - Coat “of many colors”
 - Dreams of ascendancy
 - Sheaves
 - Sun, Moon, Stars
- Sold into slavery by his brothers
- Imprisoned by Potiphar
- Interprets dreams
 - Butler
 - Baker

The Ascendancy of Joseph

- Pharaoh's Dreams
 - 7 Fat Cows, 7 Lean Cows
 - 7 Plump Heads of Grain, 7 Thin Heads
- Joseph called to interpret
- Joseph appointed Prime Minister of Egypt
- Famine brings his brothers to beg for food
 - Keeps Simeon as a hostage for Benjamin
 - 2nd Visit: Benjamin with them
- Jacob and the family migrate to Egypt

Judah –

A story in Scarlet



Leah's Sons

- Gen 29:32 So Leah conceived and bore a son, and she called his name Reuben; for she said, "The LORD has surely looked on my affliction. Now therefore, my husband will love me."
- Gen 29:33 Then she conceived again and bore a son, and said, "Because the LORD has heard that I *am* unloved, He has therefore given me this *son* also." And she called his name Simeon.
- Gen 29:34 She conceived again and bore a son, and said, "Now this time my husband will become attached to me, because I have borne him three sons." Therefore his name was called Levi.
- **Gen 29:35** And she conceived again and bore a son, and said, "Now I will praise the LORD." Therefore she called his name Judah. Then she stopped bearing.

Special Nature of Leah

- Reuben blew it
- Simeon and Levi – Murderers
- **Gen 34:25** Now it came to pass on the third day, when they were in pain, that two of the sons of Jacob, Simeon and Levi, Dinah's brothers, each took his sword and came boldly upon the city and killed all the males.
- Gen 34:26 And they killed Hamor and Shechem his son with the edge of the sword, and took Dinah from Shechem's house, and went out.
- Yet, Levi... Father of the Priests
- Judah – Fornicator, Violent man... Father of Kings

Who betrayed Joseph First?

- **Gen 37:26** So Judah said to his brothers, "What profit *is there* if we kill our brother and conceal his blood?"
- **Gen 37:27** Come and let us sell him to the Ishmaelites, and let not our hand be upon him, for he *is our brother and our flesh.*" And his brothers listened.
- Though all initially wanted to kill the kid, Judah turned things into profit

Judah's Family

- Gen_38:1 It came to pass at that time that Judah departed from his brothers, and visited a certain Adullamite whose name was Hirah.
 - Adullamite – Not from Shem but from Ham
 - Removed from lineage – like Esau
- Gen_38:2 And Judah saw there a daughter of a certain Canaanite whose name was Shua, and he married her and went in to her.
- Gen_38:7 But Er, Judah's firstborn, was wicked in the sight of the LORD, and the LORD killed him.
- Gen 38:9 But Onan knew that the heir would not be his; and it came to pass, when he went in to his brother's wife, that he emitted on the ground, lest he should give an heir to his brother.
- Gen 38:10 And the thing which he did displeased the LORD; therefore He killed him also.
- Gen 38:11 Then Judah said to Tamar his daughter-in-law, "Remain a widow in your father's house till my son Shelah is grown." For he said, "Lest he also die like his brothers." And Tamar went and dwelt in her father's house.
- **Gen 38:12** Now in the process of time the daughter of Shua, Judah's wife, died; and Judah was comforted, and went up to his sheepshearers at Timnah, he and his friend Hirah the Adullamite.

Judah's Second Temptation

- **Gen 38:14** So she took off her widow's garments, covered *herself* with a veil and wrapped herself, and sat in an open place which *was* on the way to Timnah; for she saw that Shelah was grown, and she was not given to him as a wife.
- Gen 38:15 When Judah saw her, he thought she *was* a harlot, because she had covered her face.
- Gen 38:16 Then he turned to her by the way, and said, "Please let me come in to you"; for he did not know that she *was* his daughter-in-law. So she said, "What will you give me, that you may come in to me?"
- Gen 38:17 And he said, "I will send a young goat from the flock." So she said, "Will you give *me* a pledge till you send *it*?"
- Gen 38:18 Then he said, "What pledge shall I give you?" So she said, "Your signet and cord, and your staff that *is* in your hand." Then he gave *them* to her, and went in to her, and she conceived by him.

Judah's Third Temptation

- Gen 38:24 And it came to pass, about three months after, that Judah was told, saying, "Tamar your daughter-in-law has played the harlot; furthermore she *is* with child by harlotry." So Judah said, "Bring her out and let her be burned!"
- Gen 38:25 When she *was* brought out, she sent to her father-in-law, saying, "By the man to whom these belong, I *am* with child." And she said, "Please determine whose these *are*—the signet and cord, and staff."
 - Judah could have hidden his shame in her execution
- **Gen 38:26** So Judah acknowledged *them* and said, "She has been more righteous than I, because I did not give her to Shelah my son." And he never knew her again.
- Gen 38:27 Now it came to pass, at the time for giving birth, that behold, twins *were* in her womb.
- Gen 38:28 And so it was, when she was giving birth, that *the one* put out *his* hand; and the midwife took a scarlet *thread* and bound it on his hand, saying, "This one came out first."
- Gen 38:29 Then it happened, as he drew back his hand, that his brother came out unexpectedly; and she said, "How did you break through? *This* breach *be* upon you!" Therefore his name was called Perez.
- Gen 38:30 Afterward his brother came out who had the scarlet *thread* on his hand. And his name was called Zerah.

Judah Chose Life

God Glorified Himself in Judah

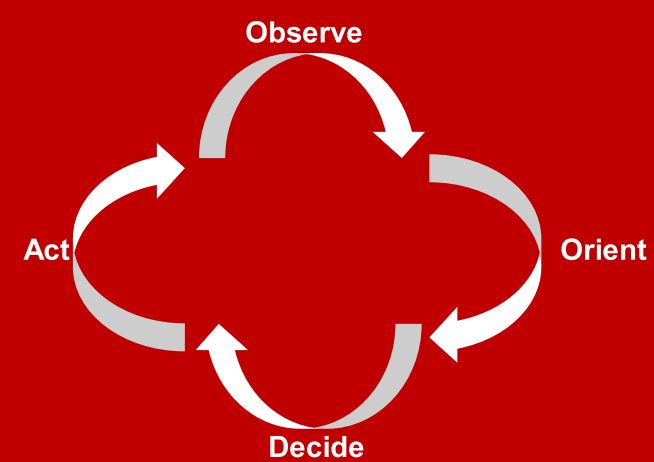
- Gen 44:18 Then Judah came near to him and said: "O my lord, please let your servant speak a word in my lord's hearing, and do not let your anger burn against your servant; for you *are* even like Pharaoh.
- Gen 44:19 My lord asked his servants, saying, 'Have you a father or a brother?'
- Gen 44:20 And we said to my lord, 'We have a father, an old man, and a child of *his* old age, *who is* young; his brother is dead, and he alone is left of his mother's children, and his father loves him.'
 - Explains Joseph's Deception
 - Feared his little brother would be treated like he was
- Gen 44:30 "Now therefore, when I come to your servant my father, and the lad *is* not with us, since his life is bound up in the lad's life,
- Gen 44:31 it will happen, when he sees that the lad *is* not *with us*, that he will die. So your servants will bring down the gray hair of your servant our father with sorrow to the grave.
- Gen 44:32 For your servant became surety for the lad to my father, saying, 'If I do not bring him *back* to you, then I shall bear the blame before my father forever.'
- Gen 44:33 Now therefore, please let your servant remain instead of the lad as a slave to my lord, and let the lad go up with his brothers.

Judah's Blessing from Israel

- Gen 49:8 "Judah, you *are he* whom your brothers shall praise; Your hand *shall be* on the neck of your enemies; Your father's children shall bow down before you.
- Gen 49:9 Judah *is* a lion's whelp; From the prey, my son, you have gone up. He bows down, he lies down as a lion; And as a lion, who shall rouse him?
- Gen 49:10 The scepter shall not depart from Judah, Nor a lawgiver from between his feet, Until Shiloh comes; And to Him *shall be* the obedience of the people.
- Gen 49:11 Binding his donkey to the vine, And his donkey's colt to the choice vine, He washed his garments in wine, And his clothes in the blood of grapes.
- Gen 49:12 His eyes *are* darker than wine, And his teeth whiter than milk.
- **Shiloh – THE Ruler**
- **When Judah lost the ability to execute men – Romans took it away – a four year old boy in Nazareth was growing up in the shadow of the Valley of Megiddo.**

Judah's Summary

- Chose Life
- Acted as a type of Christ to his little Brother
- Deu_23:2 "One of illegitimate birth shall not enter the assembly of the LORD; even to the tenth generation none of his *descendants* shall enter the assembly of the LORD.
- Ten Generations... Perez to... King David the Tenth Generation from Judah
- The Kingdom of God Revolution



Genesis 49

The scepter shall not depart from Judah, Nor a lawgiver from between his feet, Until Shiloh [Messiah] comes; And to Him shall be the obedience of the people.

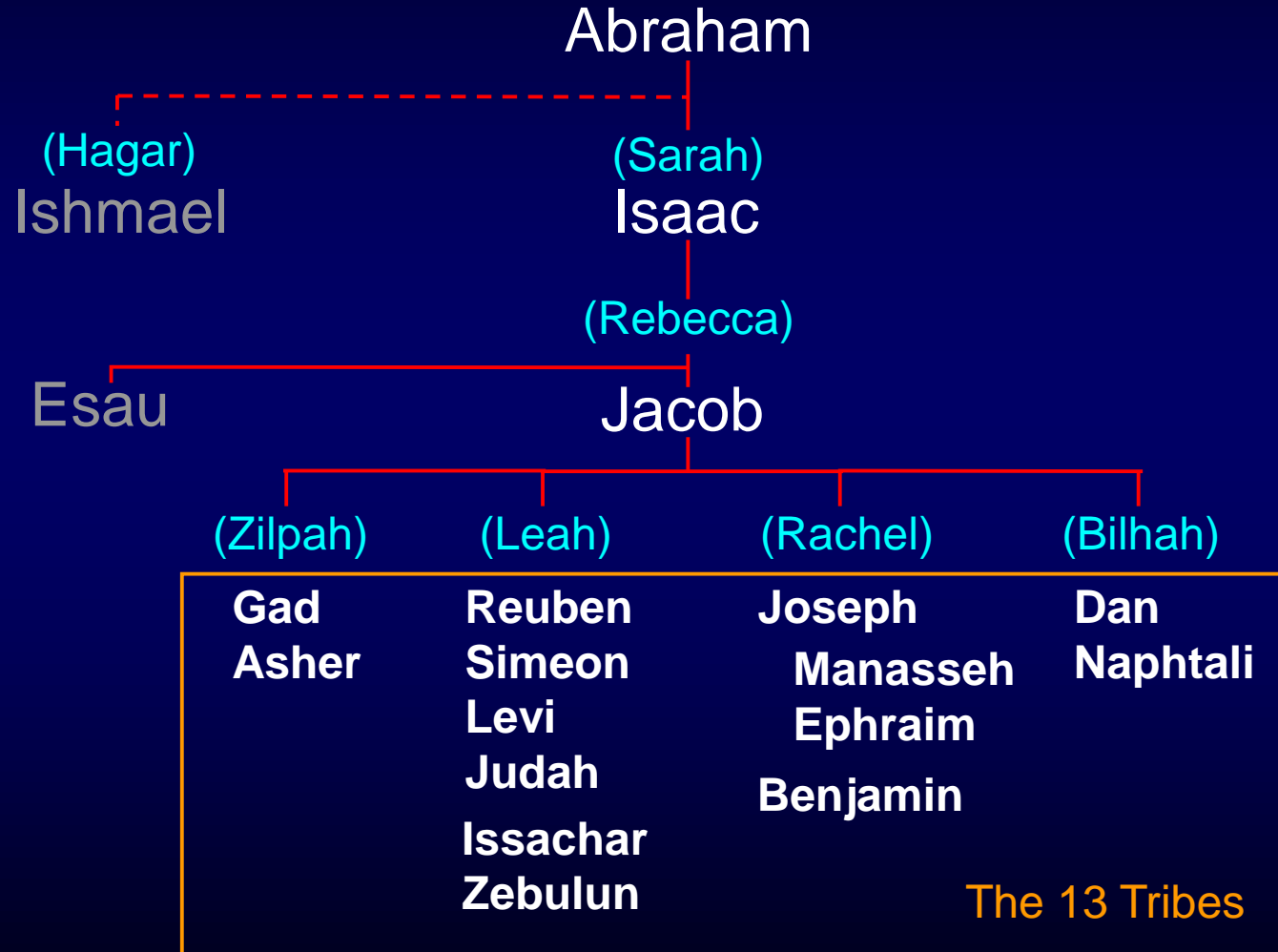
Genesis 49:10

7 AD: Roman Procurator Caponius removed legal powers of the Sanhedrin

“Woe unto us for the scepter has departed from Judah and the Messiah has not come!”

Babylonian Talmud, 4,37

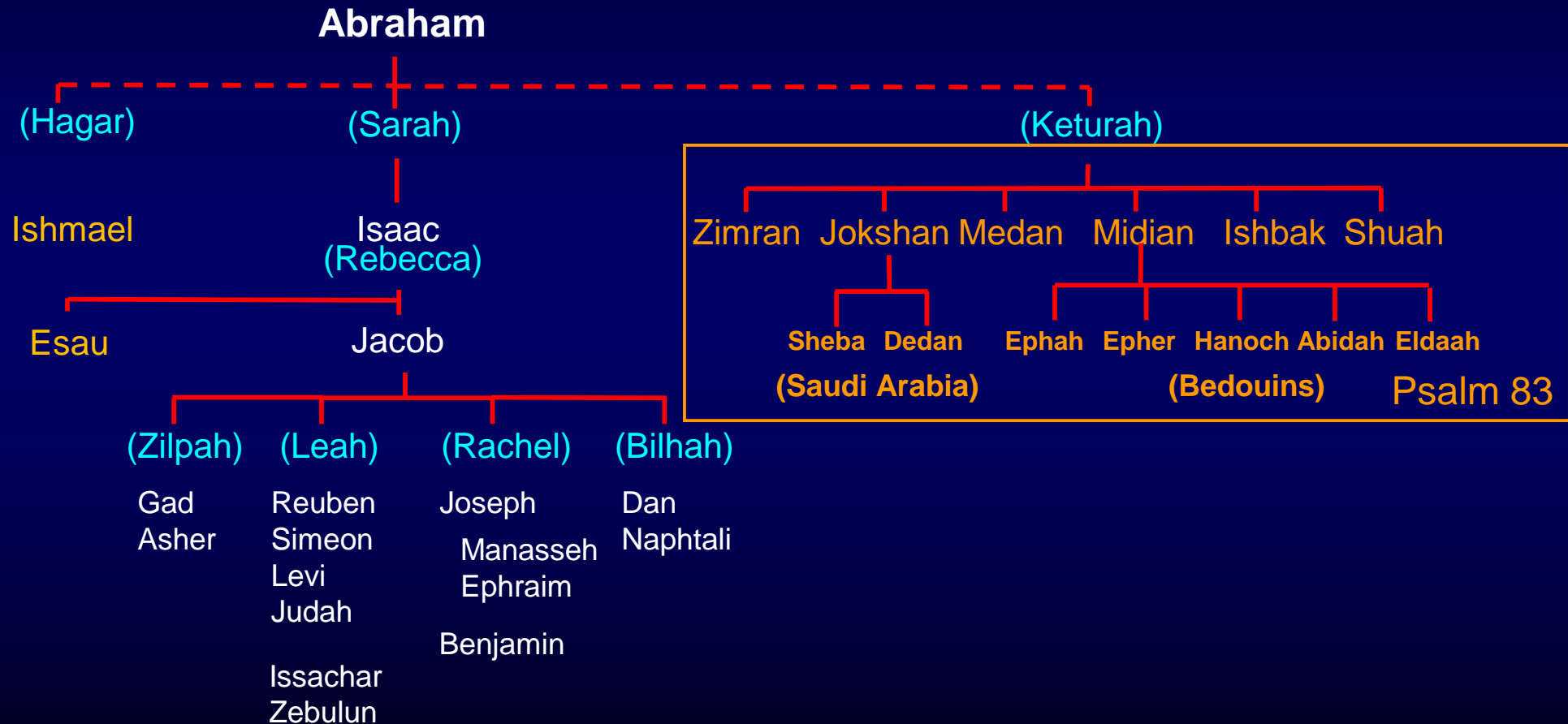
The Patriarchs



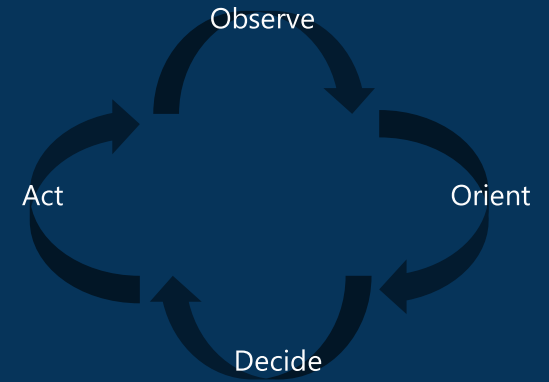
Alphabet of 13 Tribes

- Listed over 20 times in scripture but always with one tribe missing for one reason or another
- When in Military order, Levi is missing
- When speaking of all Israel, Joseph is listed but two sons are not.
- In another place, Dan is missing but for reasons we will get into later
- This method is consistent from Genesis to Revelation!

The Descendants of Abraham



Application Challenge



- Who am I? (**OBSERVE**)
- What is my Name? (**ORIENT**)
- Where do I come from? (**ORIENT**)
- Where am I Going? (**DECIDE and ACT**)

Rev 2: 17

"He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To him who overcomes I will give some of the hidden manna to eat. And I will give him a white stone, and on the stone a new name written which no one knows except him who receives it."

Empires of the Ancient Near East

