

# The Timeline of the Bible

Based on the Biblical Historical Periods and Covenants

1. Early Life of Man	2. Patriarchal Life	3. Early Israelite Life	4. Israelite Monarchies	5. Messiah's Life With Israel	Calvary – Division of Old & New Covenants	6. Church's Beginnings	7. Church's Growth	8. Future of Israel & the Church
Gen. 1:1 - 11:26	Gen. 11:27 - 50:26 & Job	Exodus - 1 Sam. 7 & Ruth	1 Sam. 8 - Malachi	Matthew - John		Acts	Romans – Rev. 3	Rev. 4-22
<p>A. Creation of earth &amp; mankind</p> <p>B. Fall of mankind into sin</p> <p><i>1. ADAMIC COVENANT (?) 3:21; 4:1-5</i></p> <p>C. The great flood of Noah</p> <p><i>2. NOAHIC COVENANT 9:1-17</i></p> <p>D. The Tower of Babel</p>	<p>A. The choosing of Abram</p> <p><i>3. ABRAHAMIC COV. 12:1-3; 15:7-21</i></p> <p>B. Birth of Isaac, Jacob &amp; Israel</p> <p>C. The migration of Israel to Egypt</p> <p><i>4. ABE COV. ORDER: ABE-ISAAC-JACOB</i></p>	<p>A. Birth of Israel's deliverer – Moses</p> <p>B. The exodus of Israel</p> <p><i>5. MOSAIC (OLD) COVENANT</i></p> <p>C. 40 years of wilderness wanderings</p> <p>D. Claiming of the promised land</p> <p>E. Life under the rule of Judges</p>	<p>A. The anointing of Israel's 1<sup>st</sup> King</p> <p>B. The anointing of King David</p> <p><i>6. DAVIDIC COVENANT</i></p> <p>C. The building of God's temple</p> <p>D. The judgment of Israel – 722 BC</p> <p><i>7A. PROMISE OF A NEW COV.</i></p> <p>E. The judgment of Judah – 586 BC</p>	<p>A. The birth of the Messiah</p> <p>B. The teachings &amp; miracles of the Messiah</p> <p>C. The rejection of the Messiah</p> <p>D. The reality of the New Covenant</p> <p><i>7B. NEW COV. REALITY</i></p> <p>E. The resurrection of Jesus Christ</p>		<p>A. Pentecost – the birth of the church</p> <p><i>7C. THE NC PROMISE INITIATED</i></p> <p>B. Jerusalem &amp; Judea hear the gospel</p> <p>C. The calling of the Apostle Paul</p> <p>D. The Gentile nations hear the gospel</p> <p>E. Churches of Jew &amp; Gentile are born</p>	<p><i>7D. NEW COV. TEACHINGS CLARIFIED</i></p> <p>A. The fullness of the Gospel is explained</p> <p>B. The Church is distinguished from Israel</p> <p>C. Church directives are established</p> <p>D. Churches continue to grow &amp; spread</p> <p>E. Many false teachers of Christ arise</p>	<p>A. The unveiling of Jesus Christ</p> <p>B. The beginning of sorrows</p> <p>C. The great tribulation</p> <p>D. The restoration of Israel</p> <p>E. The final judgments of the world</p> <p>F. The restoration of all things</p> <p><i>8. COVS. OF PROMISE FULFILLED</i></p>
<p><b>Prominent People:</b></p> <p>Adam &amp; Eve Cain &amp; Abel Enoch Methuselah Noah &amp; his family Nimrod</p>	<p><b>Prominent People:</b></p> <p>Job Abraham &amp; Sarah Melchizedek Isaac &amp; Rebekah Jacob &amp; Esau Joseph &amp; brothers</p>	<p><b>Prominent People:</b></p> <p>Moses' parents Moses &amp; Joshua Aaron &amp; Miriam Enemies of Israel Judges of Israel Samuel &amp; Ruth</p>	<p><b>Prominent People:</b></p> <p>King Saul &amp; Jonathon King David King David's Successors Northern Kings Major Prophets Minor Prophets</p>	<p><b>Prominent People:</b></p> <p>Joseph &amp; Mary Jesus of Nazareth The 12 Disciples The Jewish people Jewish Leadership Gentile Leadership</p>	<p><b>Prominent People:</b></p> <p>Peter &amp; other Apostles Stephen the martyr Apostle Paul Barnabas &amp; Silas Timothy Luke (2 books)</p>	<p><b>Prominent People:</b></p> <p>Paul (13 letters)+1 ? John (5 letters) Peter (2 letters) James (1 letters) Jude (1 letter) Paul's many partners</p>	<p><b>Prominent People:</b></p> <p>The Lion of Judah's tribe The false trinity The Nation of Israel The 144,000 witnesses The 2 witnesses The 1,000s of martyrs</p>	
<p><b>Notes:</b></p> <p>Genesis 1-11, explains the beginnings; of creation, of sin &amp; its results, of God's initial judgments &amp; covenants. Mankind in general is given responsibility under God's covenant with Noah.</p>	<p><b>Notes:</b></p> <p>Genesis 12-50, describes the call of Abraham &amp; his descendants into an unconditional covenant relationship with God, based on God's gracious promises.</p>	<p><b>Notes:</b></p> <p>Israel is called out of Egypt into the Land of Promise. Israel receives the LAW, but fails as a people under Moses &amp; the judges. Victory under Joshua is the bright spot during this time period.</p>	<p><b>Notes:</b></p> <p>Israel gets a king. Saul fails and David is anointed the covenant king. After Solomon, Israel &amp; Judah split. The prophets note a future with all Israel united under David's true Son. Success is promised by the New Covenant.</p>	<p><b>Notes:</b></p> <p>The longed for Messiah enters His world. He establishes His teaching &amp; authority though many miracles. He is rejected by the leaders &amp; crucified. His death becomes the basis of the NC, His resurrection guarantees the future.</p>	<p><b>Notes:</b></p> <p>Messiah's church began at Pentecost (Jewish celebration of the LAW). Surprisingly Gentiles were called to Christ, first by Peter, than Paul. As Jesus said, the gospel began at Jerusalem &amp; spread abroad. Opposition grew &amp; hardship continued. Yet the church grew in number &amp; maturity.</p>	<p><b>Notes:</b></p> <p>As opposition &amp; false witnesses of Christ grew, the need arose for letters to be written to the churches to protect them from heresy. The letters were personal &amp; doctrinal; they spoke to the heart &amp; mind. It is church truth for us also.</p>	<p><b>Notes:</b></p> <p>Revelation is the unveiling of Jesus Christ. It describes God's orderly restoration of all things. All problems from Satan to mankind are righted by Christ. The letter is filled with OT illusions from Gen.-Mal. The saint's future is certain &amp; rejoices in that hope.</p>	