OUTLINE OF GENESIS

**GENESIS (THE ORIGIN OF THE COVENANT PEOPLE)**

1. Creation (Ge 1:1 - Ge 2:3 ) - ? - ? Heaven & Earth

("In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth." - Ge 1:1)

A. God The Creator (Ge 1:1 - -- ) - ? - ? Heaven & Earth

B. His Work of Creation (Ge 1:2 - Ge 1:31) - ? - ? Heaven & Earth

C. His Rest From Creating (Ge 2:1 - Ge 2:3 ) - ? - ? Heaven & Earth

2. Generations of the Heavens & the Earth & of Plants & Herbs (Ge 2:4 - Ge 4:26) - ? - ? Earth

("These are the generations of the Heavens and the Earth when they were created in the day that the Lord God made the Earth and the Heavens, And every plant of the field before it was in the earth, and every herb of the field before it grew." - Ge 2:4-5)

A. Before the Formation of the Garden of Eden (Ge 2:4 - Ge 2:6 ) - ? - ? Earth

B. In the Garden of Eden (Ge 2:7 - Ge 3:24) - ? - ? Earth

C. After the Garden of Eden (Ge 4:1 - Ge 4:26) - ? - ? Earth

3. Generations of Adam (Ge 5:1 - Ge 6:8 ) - ? - ? East (Mesopotamia)

("This is the book of the Generations of Adam." - Ge 5:1)

A. Adam's Descendants From Seth to Noah (Ge 5:1 - Ge 5:32) - ? - ? East (Mesopotamia)

B. The Corruption of Adam's Descendants (Ge 6:1 - Ge 6:8 ) - ? - ? East (Mesopotamia)

4. Generations of Noah (Ge 6:9 - Ge 9:29) - ? - ? East (Mesopotamia)

("These are the generations of Noah" - Ge 6:9)

A. Noah Heeds God's Warning About the Coming Flood (Ge 6:9 - Ge 6:22) - ? - ? East (Mesopotamia)

B. Noah & Family Escape Destruction by the Flood (Ge 7:1 - Ge 8:19) - ? - ? East (Mesopotamia)

C. Noah & Seed Receive God's Covenant = No Other World-Wide Flood (Ge 8:20 - Ge 9:17) - ? - ? East (Mesopotamia)

D. Noah Gives Curses and Blessings After the Flood (Ge 9:18 - Ge 9:29) - ? - ? East (Mesopotamia)

5. Generations of the Sons of Noah (Ge 10:1 - Ge 11:9 ) - ? - ? East (Mesopotamia)

("Now these are the generations of the sons of Noah, Shem, Ham, and Japheth" - Ge 10:1)

A. The Descendants of Noah's Sons (Ge 10:1 - Ge 10:32) - ? - ? East (Mesopotamia)

B. The Scattering of Their Descendants at the Tower of Babel (Ge 11:1 - Ge 11:9 ) - ? - ? East (Mesopotamia)

6. Generations of Shem (Ge 11:10 - Ge 11:26) - ? - ? East (Mesopotamia)

("These are the generations of Shem" - Ge 11:10)

Note: Shem's line led directly to Abraham.

A. Shem's Pre-Babylonian Descendants (compare Ge 10:25 & 11:9) (Ge 11:10 - Ge 11:15) - ? - ? East (Mesopotamia)

B. Shem's Post-Babylonian Descendants (compare Ge 10:25 & 11:9) (Ge 11:16 - Ge 11:26) - ? - ? East (Mesopotamia)

7. Generations of Terah (Ge 11:27 - Ge 25:11) - 2296 - 1991 Canaan

("Now these are the generations of Terah" - Ge 11:27)

Note: "This generation centers around Terah rather than Abraham because both Abraham and Lot were important, and Lot's two sons, Moab and Ammon, were also quite important. The dates are from Terah's birth to Abraham's death."

A. The Extended Family in Ur (Terah, Abraham, Nahor, Haran, & Lot) (Ge 11:27 - Ge 11:30) - 2296 - 2093 Ur (2093 = ?)

B. The Narrower Family in Haran (Terah, Abraham, & Lot) (Ge 11:31 - Ge 11:32) - 2093 - 2091 Haran (2093 = ?)

C. The Still Narrower Family in Bethel (Abraham & Lot) (Ge 12:1 - Ge 13:18) - 2091 - 2082 Canaan

D. The Nuclear Family in Hebron (Abraham) (Ge 14:1 - Ge 25:11) - 2082 - 1991 Canaan

8. Generations of Ishmael (Ge 25:12 - Ge 25:18) - 2080 - 1943 Canaan

("Now these are the generations of Ishmael, Abraham's Son, whom Hagar the Egyptian, Sarah's handmaid, bare unto Abraham"

- Ge 25:12)

Note: The Ishmaelites dwelt in northern Arabia, had 12 princes, and were trade partners and allies with Edom and Egypt.

A. The 12 Princes of Ishmael (Ge 25:12 - Ge 25:17) - 2080 - 1943 Canaan

B. Their Dwelling Place (Havilah to Shur) (Ge 25:18 - -- ) - 1943 - > Canaan

9. Generations of Isaac (Ge 25:19 - Ge 35:29) - 2066 - 1886 Canaan

("And these are the generations of Isaac, Abraham's son" - Ge 25:19)

A. The Early Life of Jacob and Esau (Ge 25:19 - Ge 26:35) - 2066 - 1966 Canaan (Note Gap)

B. The Later Life of Jacob and Esau (Ge 27:1 - Ge 35:29) - 1929 - 1886 Canaan (Note Gap)

10. Generations of Esau Who is Edom (Ge 36:1 - Ge 36:8 ) - 2006 - 1909 Canaan

("Now these are the generations of Esau who is Edom" - Ge 36:1)

Note: This section tells about Esau & his first generation descendants before and just after their relocation to Mt. Seir (Edom)

A. Esau's Wives & Sons in Canaan (Ge 36:1 - Ge 36:5 ) - 2006 - 1909 Canaan

B. Esau & Family in Mt. Seir (Edom) (Ge 36:6 - Ge 36:8 ) - 1909 - >

11. Generations of Esau the Father of the Edomites in Mount Seir (Ge 36:9 - Ge 37:1 ) - 1909 - 1406 Canaan (1406 = ?)

("And these are the generations of Esau the father of the Edomites in Mount Seir" - (Ge 36:9)

Note: This section tells about Esau & his descendants after their relocation to Mt. Seir (Edom). It also tells about the people there with whom they interacted. The first & second generations seem to be covered for each group.

A. Esau in His Dwelling Place (Ge 36:9 - Ge 36:43) - 1909 - 1406 Canaan

1. The Sons & Dukes of the Sons of Esau (Ge 36:9 - Ge 36:19) - 1909 - 1869 Canaan (1869 = ?)

2. The Sons & Dukes of the Sons of Seir the Horite (Ge 36:20 - Ge 36:30) - 1909 - 1869 Canaan (1869 = ?)

3. The Kings in the Land of Edom (Ge 36:31 - Ge 36:39) - 1909 - 1869 Canaan (1869 = ?)

4. The Dukes of Esau (Ge 36:40 - Ge 36:43) - 1869 - 1406 Canaan (1869 = ?)

B. Jacob in his Dwelling Place (Ge 37:1 - -- ) - 1909 - > Canaan

12. Generations of Jacob (Ge 37:2 - Ex 6:13) - 1898 - 1446 Canaan & Egypt

("These are the generations of Jacob." - Ge 37:2)

[1st Generation: Covenant Deliverance **in** Egypt] (Ge 37:2 - Ge 50:26) - 1898 - 1805 Egypt

A. Joseph in Canaan (Ge 37:2 - Ge 37:36) - 1898 Canaan

B. Judah in Canaan (Ge 38:1 - Ge 38:30) - 1898 - 1876 Canaan

C. Joseph in Egypt (Ge 39:1 - Ge 45:28) - 1877 Egypt

D. Jacob to Egypt (Ge 46:1 - Ge 50:26) - 1876 - 1805 Egypt

{For Continuation of Section 12 See Exodus Outline}

Esau's Descendants (Ge 36:1-43, compare Ge 26:34; 28:9; & 1 Chronicles 1:35-54)

(Name variants are shown by brackets, parentheses, & slashes & are from the AV, RV, & Hebrew - See Davis Bible Dictionary, &c.)

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| Esau's  Wives | Ge 36:2,4 & 26:34  Adah [Bashemath]  the daughter of Elon  the Hittite | Ge 36:2 & 26:34  Aholibamah/Oholibamah [Judith]  the daughter of Anah [Beeri]  the daughter of Zibeon  the Hivite [Hittite] | Ge 36:3 & 28:9  Bashemath [Mahalath]  daughter of Ishmael  sister of Nebajoth |
| Esau's  Sons  or Other  Kin | Ge 36:4,10-11,15-16; & 1 Ch 1:35-36  Eliphaz  Sons of His Wife:  Teman (Duke Teman)  Omar (Duke Omar)  Zepho/Zephi (Duke Zepho)  Gatam (Duke Gatam)  Kenaz (Duke Kenaz)  ----- (Duke Korah) [ Ge 36:16]  Timnah/Timna (?) [1 Ch 1:36]  Son of Timnah/Timna, His  Concubine  Amalek (Duke Amalek) | Ge 36:5,14,18; & 1 Ch 1:35  Jeush (Duke Jeush)  Jaalam (Duke Jaalam)  Korah (Duke Korah) | Ge 36:4,13,17; & 1 Ch 1:35,37  Reuel  Nahath (Duke Nahath)  Zerah (Duke Zerah)  Shammah (Duke Shammah)  Mizzah (Duke Mizzah) |
| Seir's  Sons  or  Other  Kin | Ge 26:34; 36:2,20-30; & 1 Ch 1:38-42  Seir the Horite (Father = Hori - Ge 36:30)  Lotan (Duke Lotan)  Hori  Hemam/Homam  Timna (Lotan's sister) - Concubine  of Eliphaz, Esau's Son  Shobal (Duke Shobal)  Alvan/Alian  Manahath  Ebal  Shepho/Shephi  Onam  Zibeon (Duke Zibeon)  Ajah/Aiah  Anah  Anah/Beeri (Duke Anah)  Dishon  Aholibamah/Oholibamah (Daughter of Anah)  married Esau  Dishon (Duke Dishon)  Hemdan/Hamram/Amram  Eshban  Ithran  Cheran  Ezer/Ezar (Duke Ezer)  Bilhan  Zaavan/Zavan  Akan/Jakan  Dishan (Duke Dishan)  Uz  Aran |  |  |
| The  Kings  in  Edom | Ge 36:31-39; & 1 Ch 1:43-51  Bela son of Beor  of Dinhabah  Jobab son of Zerah  of Bozrah  Husham  of Temani/Temanites  Hadad son of Bedad  of Avith  Samlah  of Masrekah  Saul/Shaul  of Rehoboth by the river  Baalhanan son of Achbor  Hadar/Hadad  of Pau/Pai  (wife = Mehetabel  daughter of Matred  daughter of Mezahab) |  |  |
| The  Dukes  of  Esau | Ge:36:40-43; & 1 Ch 1:51-54  Duke Timnah  Duke Alvah/Aliah  Duke Jetheth  Duke Aholibamah/Oholibamah  Duke Elah  Duke Pinon  Duke Kenaz  Duke Teman  Duke Mibzar  Duke Magdiel  Duke Iram |  |  |