

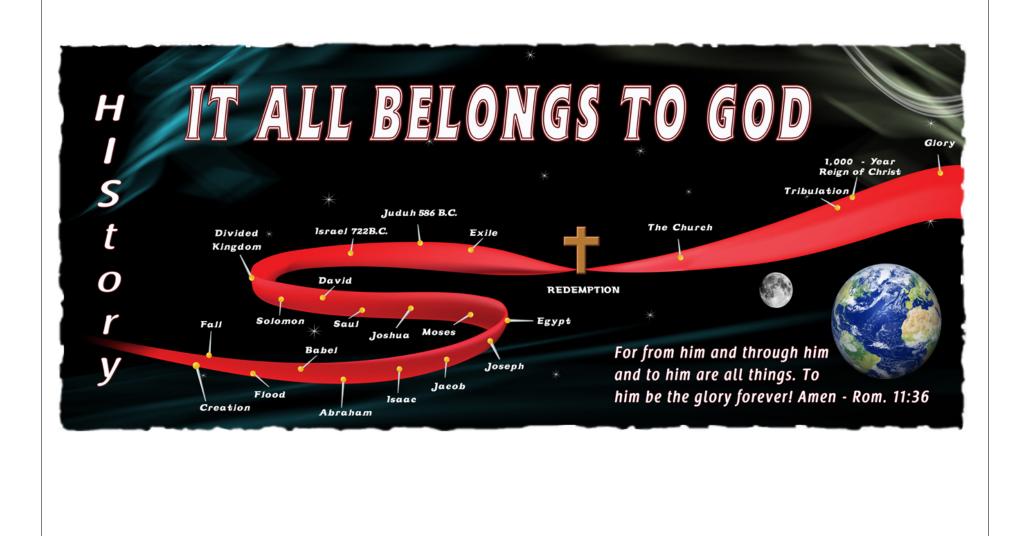


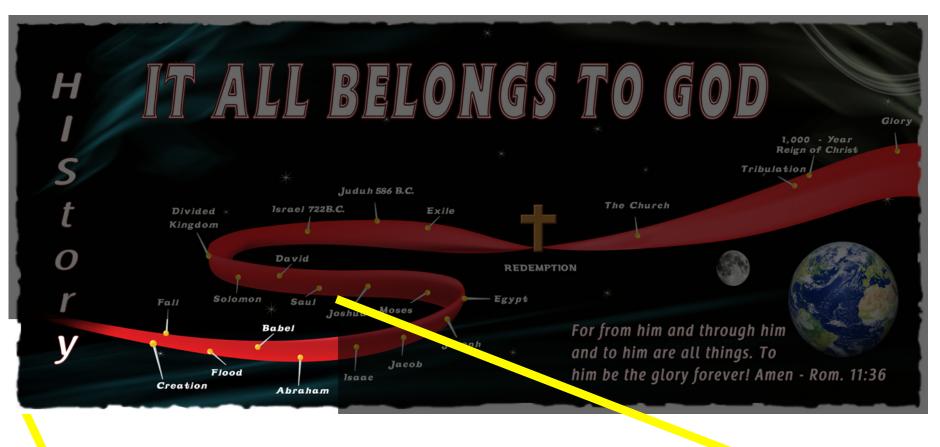
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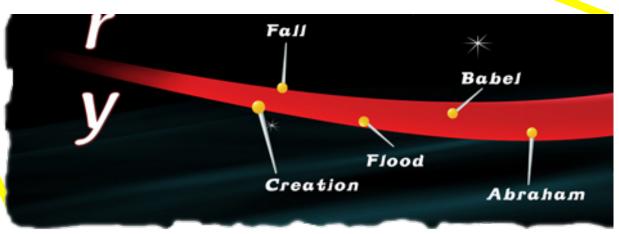
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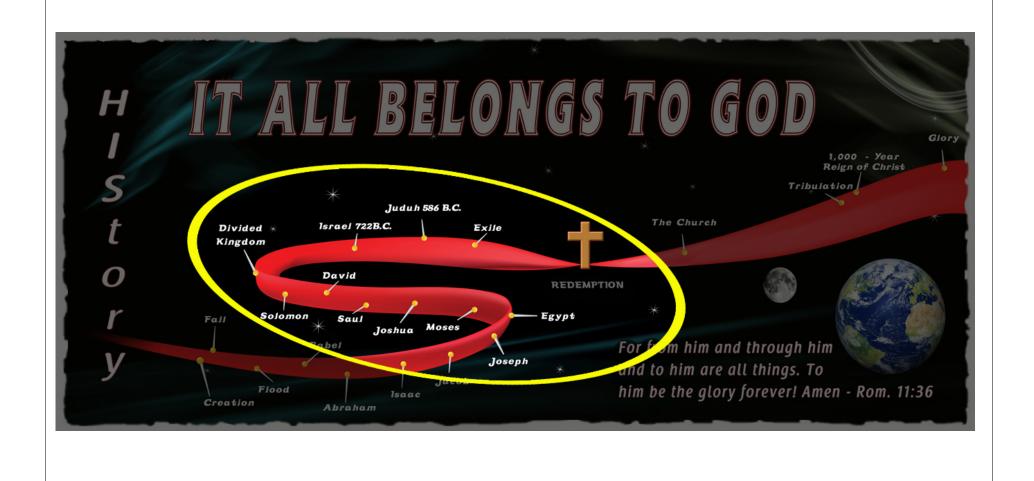
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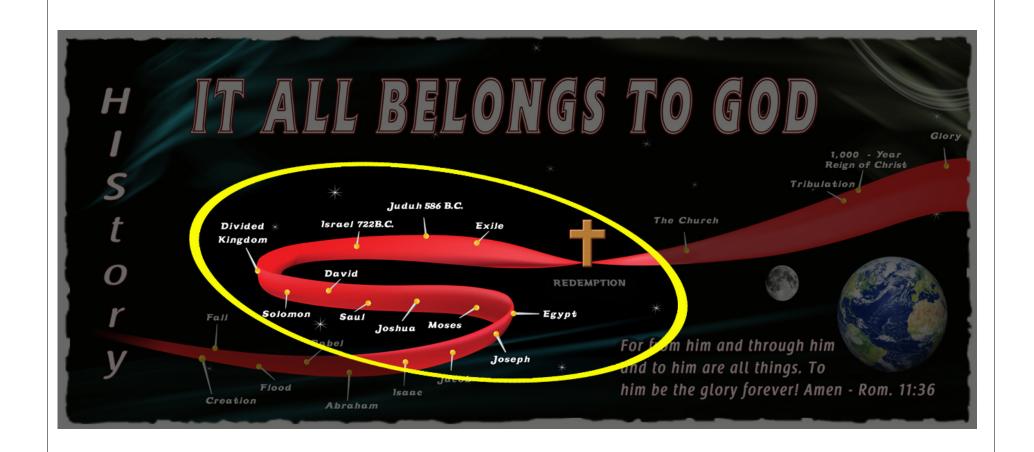
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# God's People

Lev. 26:12 I will walk among you and be your God, and you will be my people.

#### Abraham - Father of faith.

Rom. 4:17 As it is written: "I have made you a father of many nations." He is our father in the sight of God, in whom he believed

Abraham - Father of faith. Isaac / Ishmael Jacob (Israel) Joseph **Egyptian Captivity** 

#### Moses - A life of learning.

Ex. 3:11-12 But Moses said to God, "Who am I, that I should go to Pharaoh and bring the Israelites out of Egypt?" <sup>12</sup> And God said, "I will be with you."

### Joshua - <u>Courageous but not</u> <u>complete.</u>

Joshua 1:9 Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be terrified; do not be discouraged, for the LORD your God will be with you wherever you go."

Joshua 17:13 However, when the Israelites grew stronger, they subjected the Canaanites to forced labor but did not drive them out completely.

#### Judges - Regional rulers.

Judges 2:6 After Joshua had dismissed the Israelites, they went to take possession of the land, each to his own inheritance.

#### Saul - Looks can be deceiving.

1Sam. 9:2 He had a son named Saul, an impressive young man without equal among the Israelites—a head taller than any of the others.

# David - A man after God's own heart.

1Sam. 13:14 the LORD has sought out a man after his own heart and appointed him leader of his people

#### Solomon - Wise but wooed.

1Kings 4:29 God gave Solomon wisdom and very great insight, and a breadth of understanding as measureless as the sand on the seashore.

1Kings 11:3 He had seven hundred wives of royal birth and three hundred concubines, and his wives led him astray.

## Divided Kingdom - <u>Fractured</u> Family.

2Kings 17:15 They rejected his decrees and the covenant he had made with their fathers and the warnings he had given them. They followed worthless idols and themselves became worthless. They imitated the nations around them although the LORD had ordered them, "Do not do as they do," and they did the things the LORD had forbidden them to do.

2Kings 17:19 and even Judah did not keep the commands of the LORD their God. They followed the practices Israel had introduced.

#### Prophets - Gracious Warnings.

Jeremiah 11:7 From the time I brought your forefathers up from Egypt until today, I warned them again and again, saying, "Obey me."

#### Exile - Are you done with us?

Jer. 32:37 I will surely gather them from all the lands where I banish them in my furious anger and great wrath; I will bring them back to this place and let them live in safety.

Ezek. 29:14 I will bring them back from captivity and return them to Upper Egypt, the land of their ancestry. There they will be a lowly kingdom.

Zech. 8:8 I will bring them back to live in Jerusalem; they will be my people, and I will be faithful and righteous to them as their God."

# Restoration - We are back! - a new start.

Ezra 8:35 Then the exiles who had returned from captivity sacrificed burnt offerings to the God of Israel

### Time Between Testaments - Minor Territory - Big Ambitions.

Alexander the Great
Ptolemies / Seleucids
Greek - Hellenization
Mattathias & 5 sons - Revolt

## Jesus - Exemplifies a God honoring life!

John 5:19 Jesus gave them this answer: "I tell you the truth, the Son can do nothing by himself; he can do only what he sees his Father doing, because whatever the Father does the Son also does.

John 6:38 For I have come down from heaven not to do my will but to do the will of him who sent me.

# Take Away:

- 1. The story reveals a lot about God and us.
- 2. God is Faithful.
- 3. Jesus shows us what Israel doesn't He models Dependent / In Sync Living.