

The Right Time

The Time Between The Testaments

Gal. 4:4 But when the time had fully come, God sent his Son

Major Events

464-424 BC - Artaxerxes I rules Persia. Age of Nehemiah.

334-323 BC - Alexander the Great conquers the East.

311 BC - Seleucus conquers Babylon. Beginning of the Seleucid dynasty.

260 BC (sometime between 284-246) - Hebrew Bible translated into Greek (called the “Septuagint” or “LXX”).

223-187 BC - Antiochus (III) the Great, Seleucid ruler of Syria.

198 BC - Antiochus III defeats Egypt, gains control of Palestine.

175-163 BC - Antiochus (IV) Epiphanes rules Syria-Palestine. Proscribes Judaism. Persecution of the orthodox Jews.

167 BC - Mattathias and his sons rebel against the Syrians. Beginning of the Maccabean Revolt.

166-160 BC - Leadership of Judas Maccabaeus.

160-142 BC - Jonathan, High Priest.

In 142-135 BC Simon was High Priest.

134-104 BC John Hyrcanus, son of Simon, was High Priest and King.

75-67 BC - Salome Alexandra ruler; Hyrcanus II was High Priest.

66-63 BC - Aristobulus II. Dynastic battle with Hyrcanus II.

63 BC - Pompey invaded Palestine. Roman rule began.

63-40 BC - Subject to Rome. Antipater exercised increasing power.

40-37 BC - Parthians conquer Jerusalem and establish Aristobulus II as High Priest and King.

37-4 BC - Herod the Great, son of Antipater, ruled as king and was subject to Rome.

Take Away:

1. It REALLY DOES, "All Belong To God". -Gal. 4:4
2. Who can HELP? Not the EMPIRE! -John 18:36
3. Live it the CROSSROADS. -Jer.7:23

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