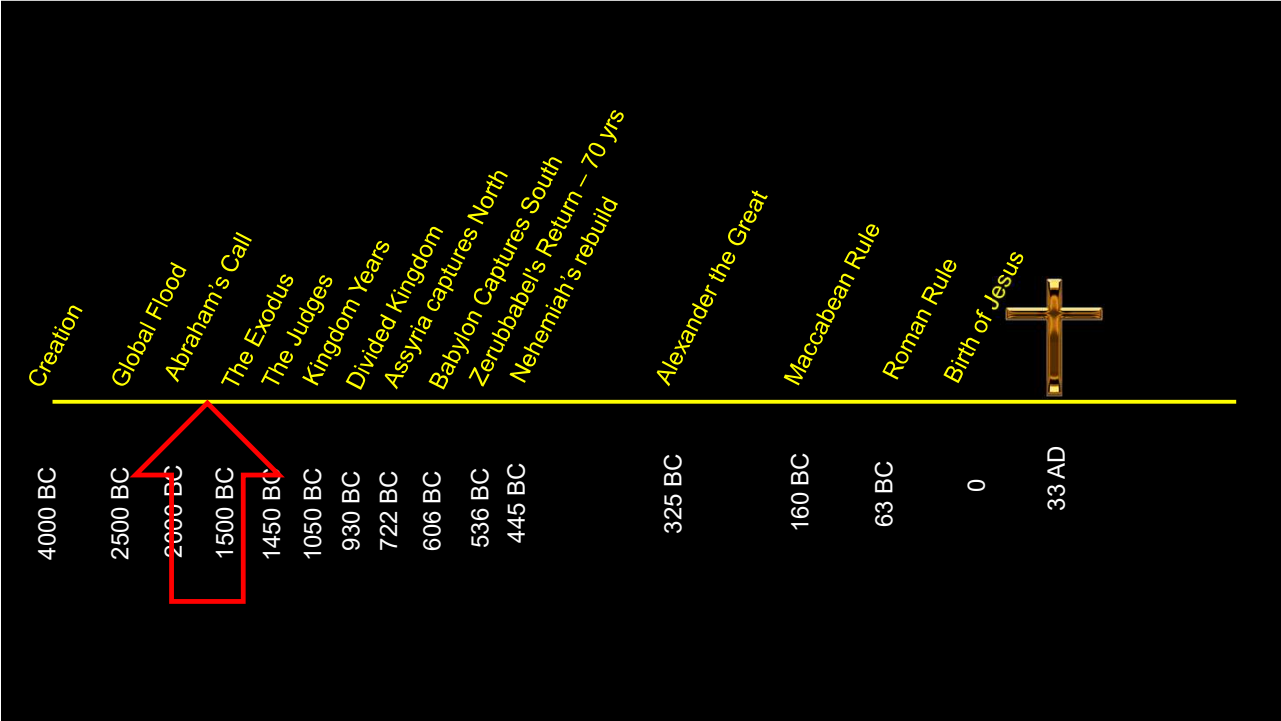


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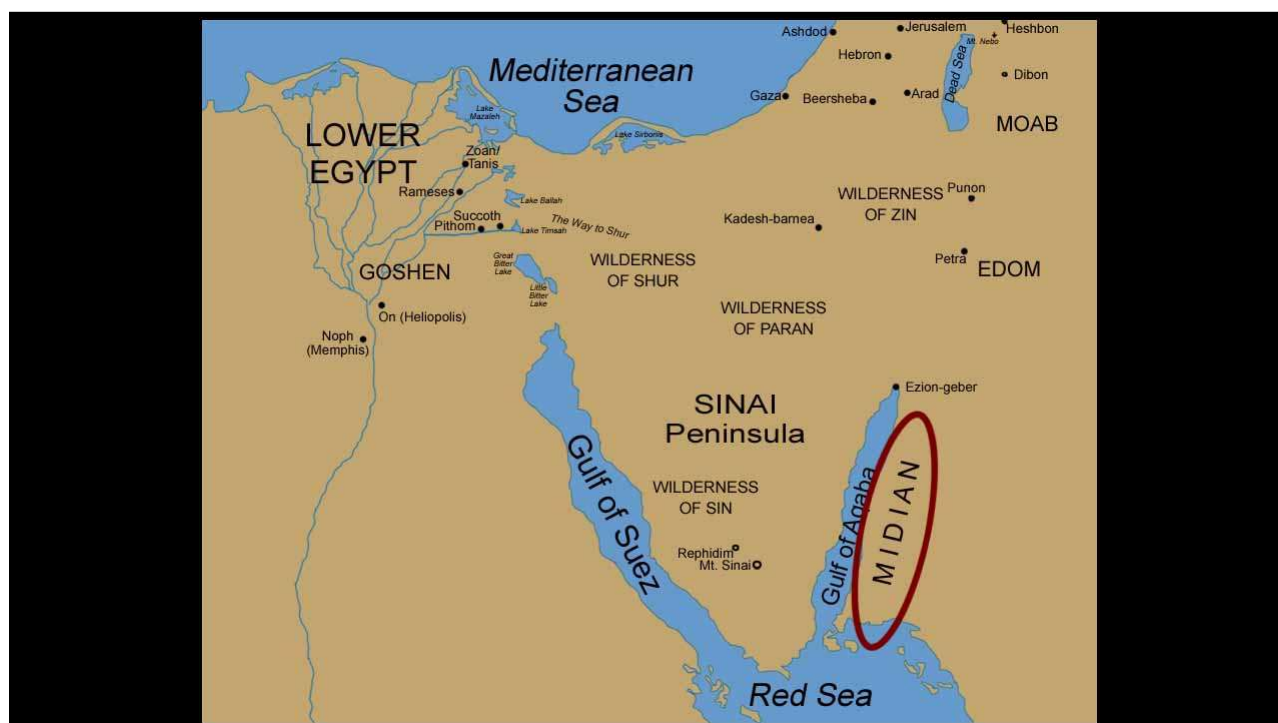
Ex 1:8-14

Now there arose up a new king over Egypt, which knew not Joseph...Therefore they did set over them taskmasters to **afflict them with their burdens**...And the Egyptians made the children of Israel to serve with rigour: And **they made their lives bitter with hard bondage**, in mortar, and in brick, and in all manner of service in the field: all their service, wherein they made them serve, was with rigour.

Ex 2:23-24

And it came to pass in process of time, that the king of Egypt died: and **the children of Israel sighed by reason of the bondage, and they cried, and their cry came up unto God by reason of the bondage**. And God heard their groaning, and God remembered his covenant with Abraham, with Isaac, and with Jacob.

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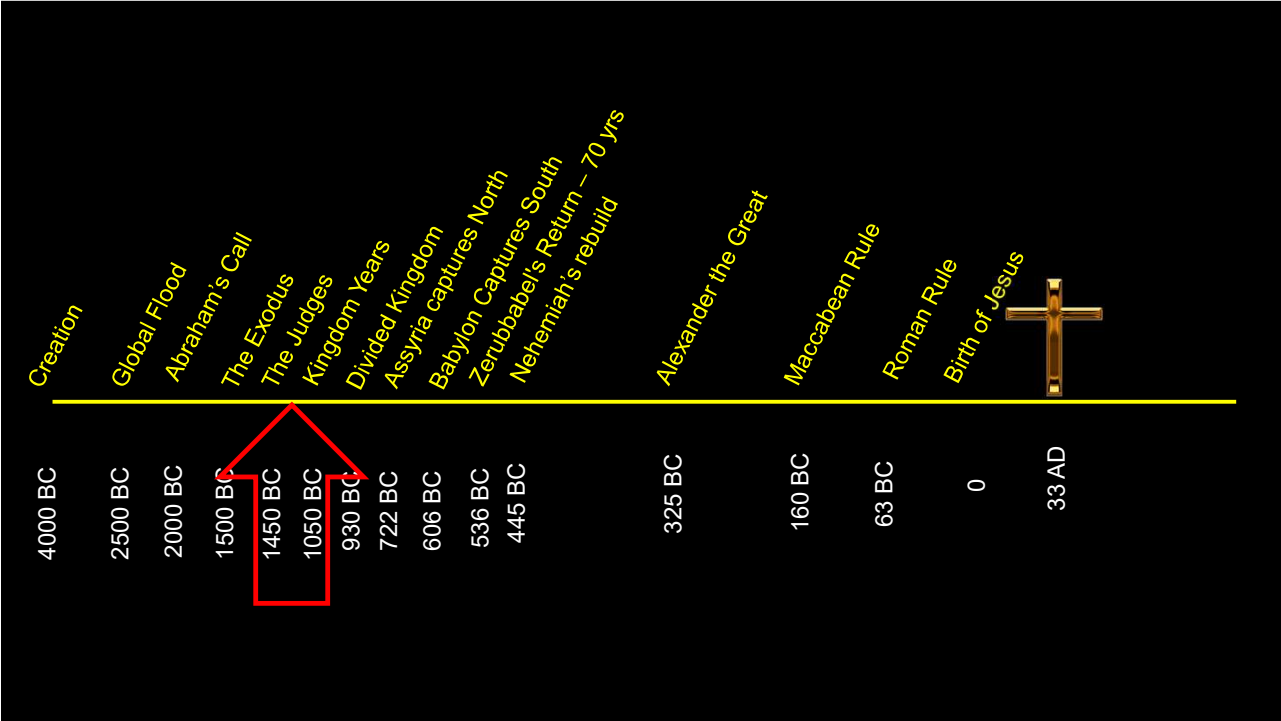


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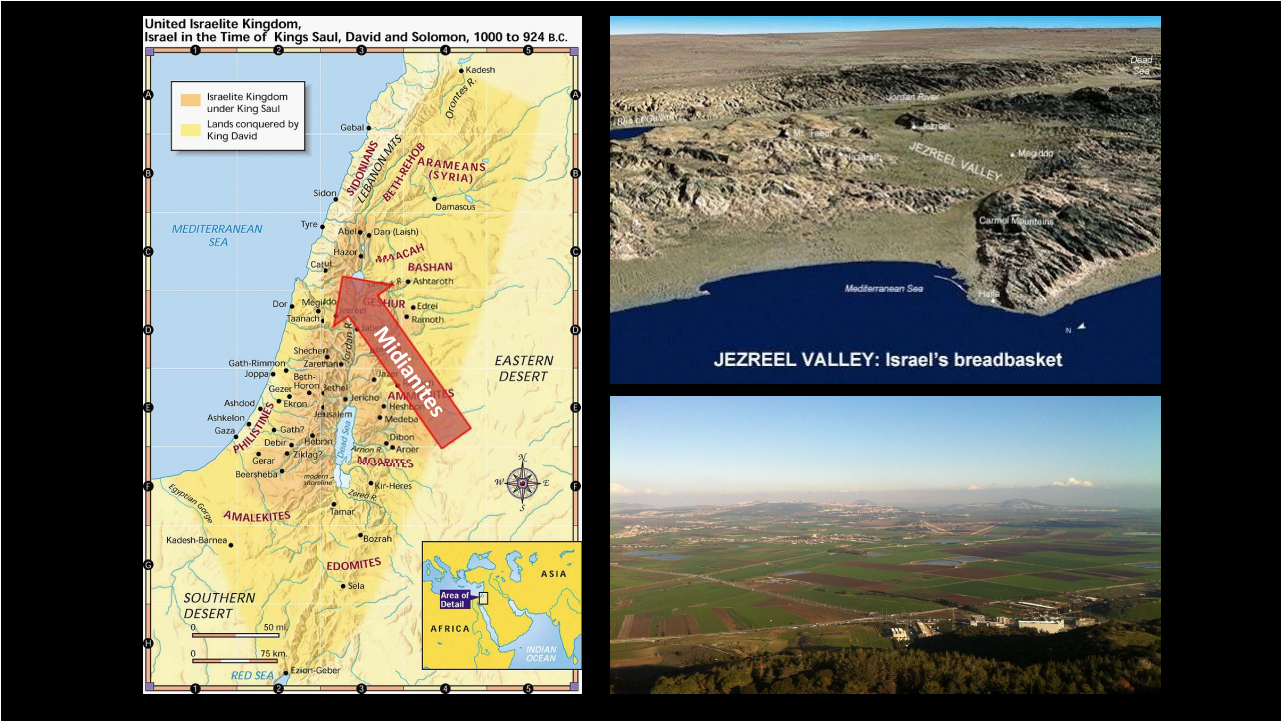


- **Ex 3:11** And Moses said unto God, **Who am I**, that I should go unto Pharaoh, and that I should bring forth the children of Israel out of Egypt?
- **Ex 4:1** And Moses answered and said, But, behold, **they will not believe me, nor hearken unto my voice**: for they will say, The Lord hath not appeared unto thee.
- **Ex 4:10** And Moses said unto the Lord, O my Lord, I am not eloquent, neither heretofore, nor since thou hast spoken unto thy servant: but **I am slow of speech**, and of a slow tongue.


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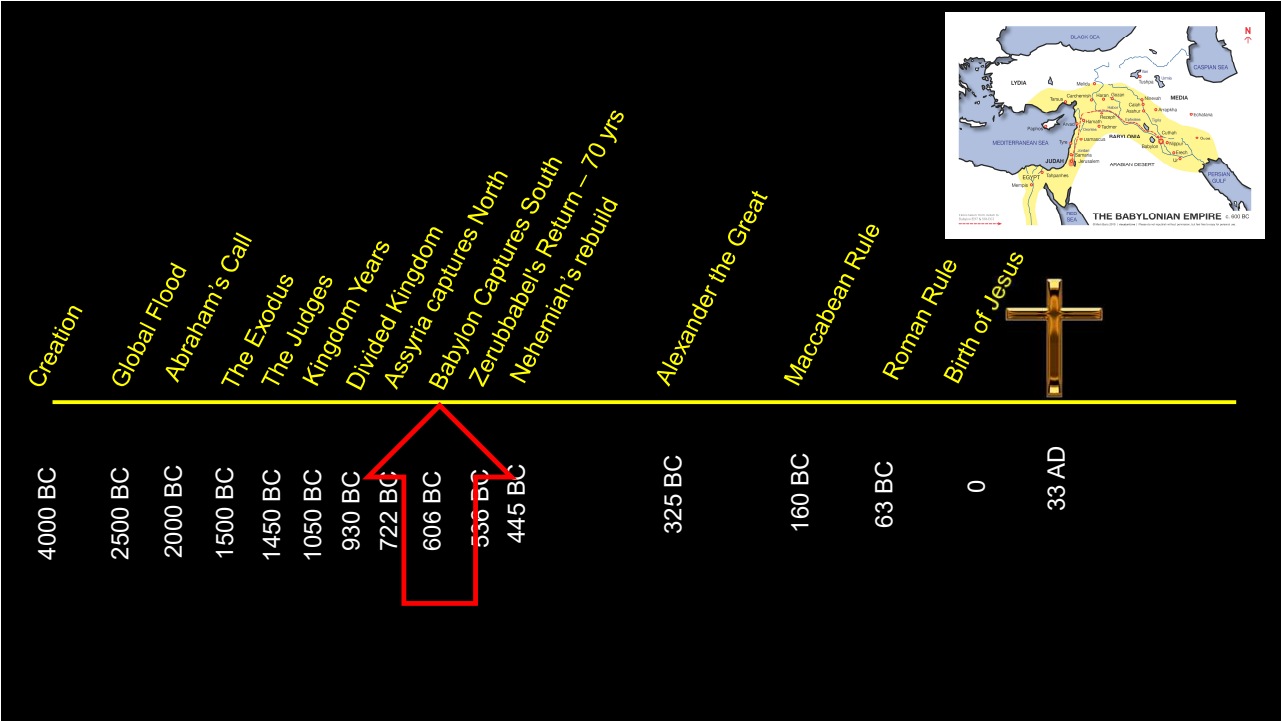
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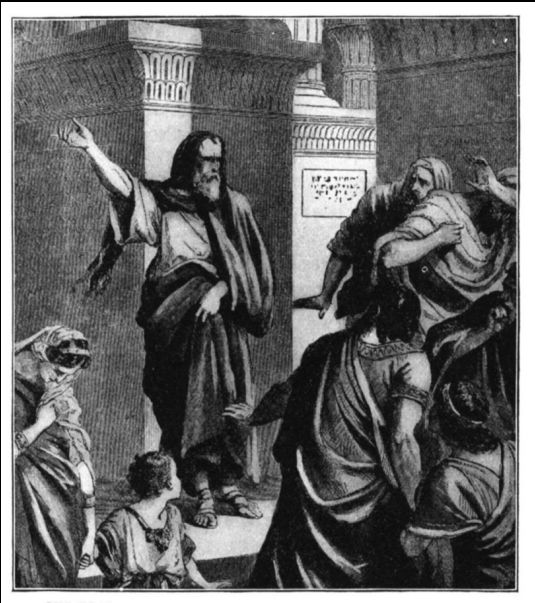
Judges 6:15

Oh my Lord, wherewith shall I save Israel? behold, my family is poor in Manasseh, and I am the least in my father's house.

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Jeremiah1:6

*Then said I, Ah, Lord God!
behold, I cannot speak: for
I am a child.*

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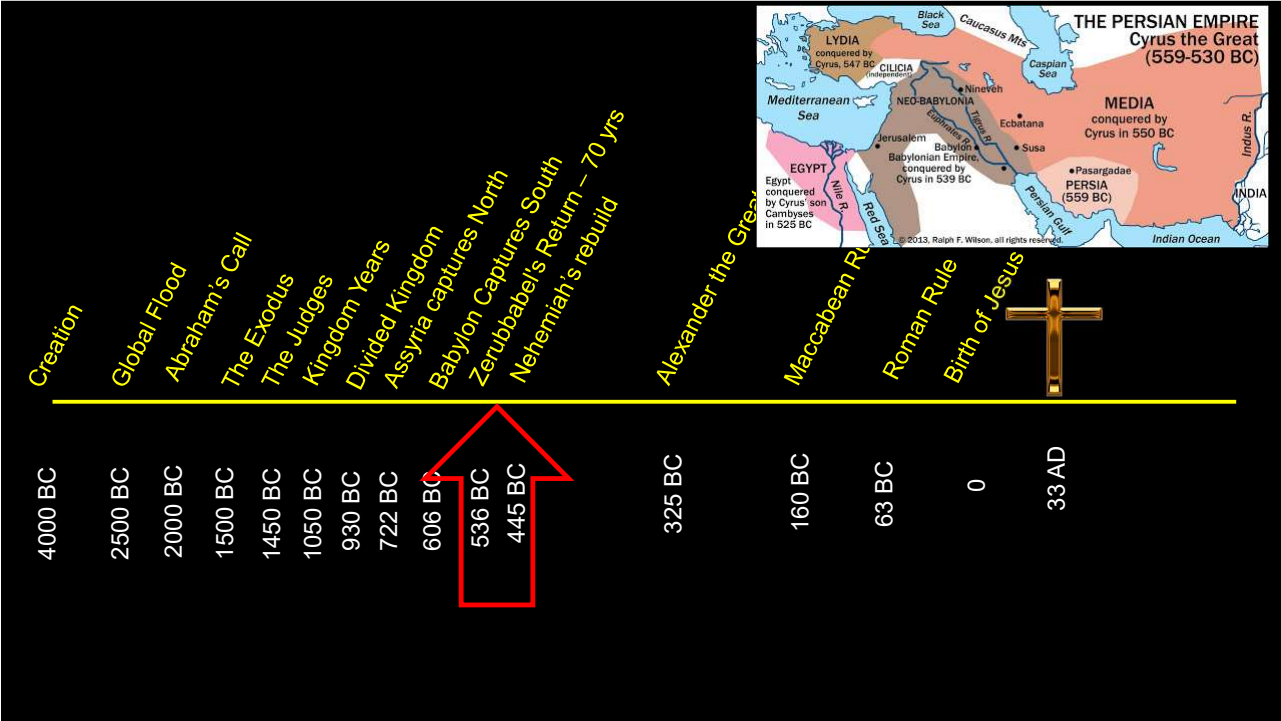
Ezekiel taken captive in 597 BC and taken to a Jewish refugee camp called Tel Aviv in Babylon.



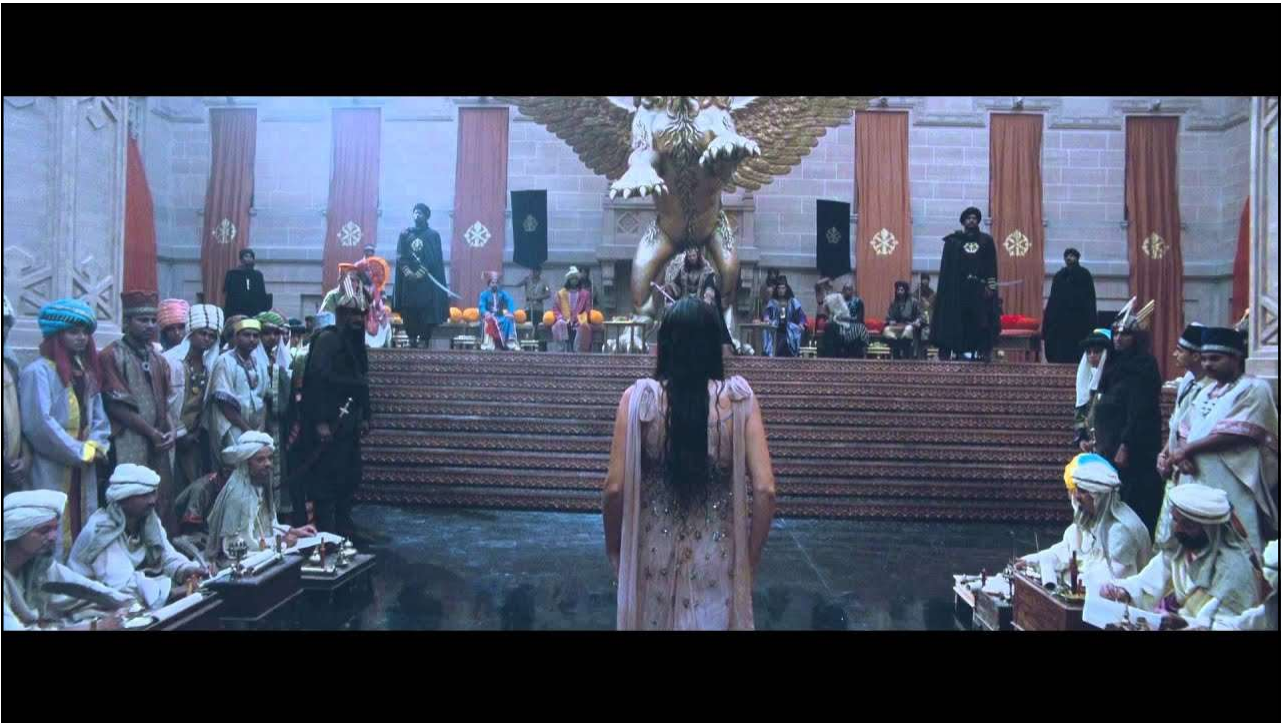
Ezekiel 3:14

*So the spirit lifted me up,
and took me away, and I
went in bitterness, in
the heat of my spirit;
but the hand of the Lord
was strong upon me.*

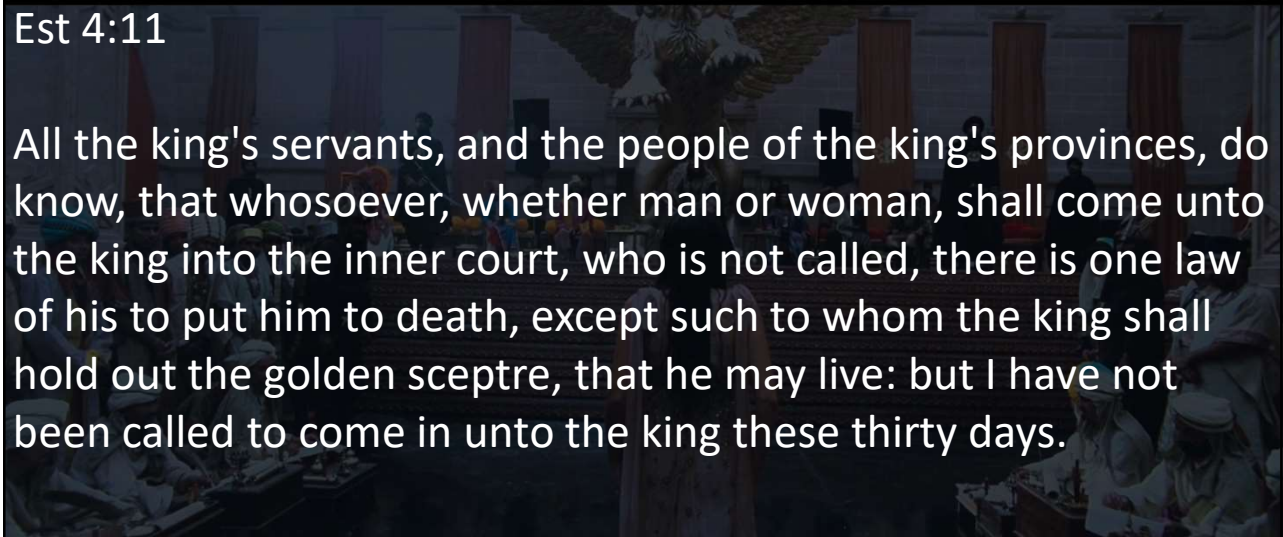
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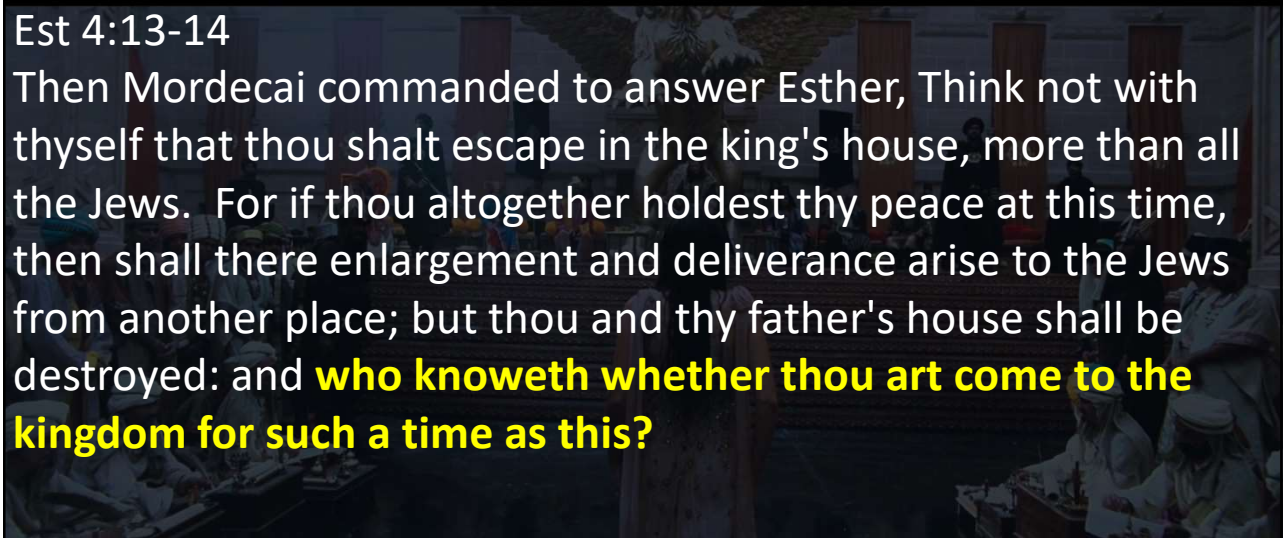
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Est 4:11

All the king's servants, and the people of the king's provinces, do know, that whosoever, whether man or woman, shall come unto the king into the inner court, who is not called, there is one law of his to put him to death, except such to whom the king shall hold out the golden sceptre, that he may live: but I have not been called to come in unto the king these thirty days.

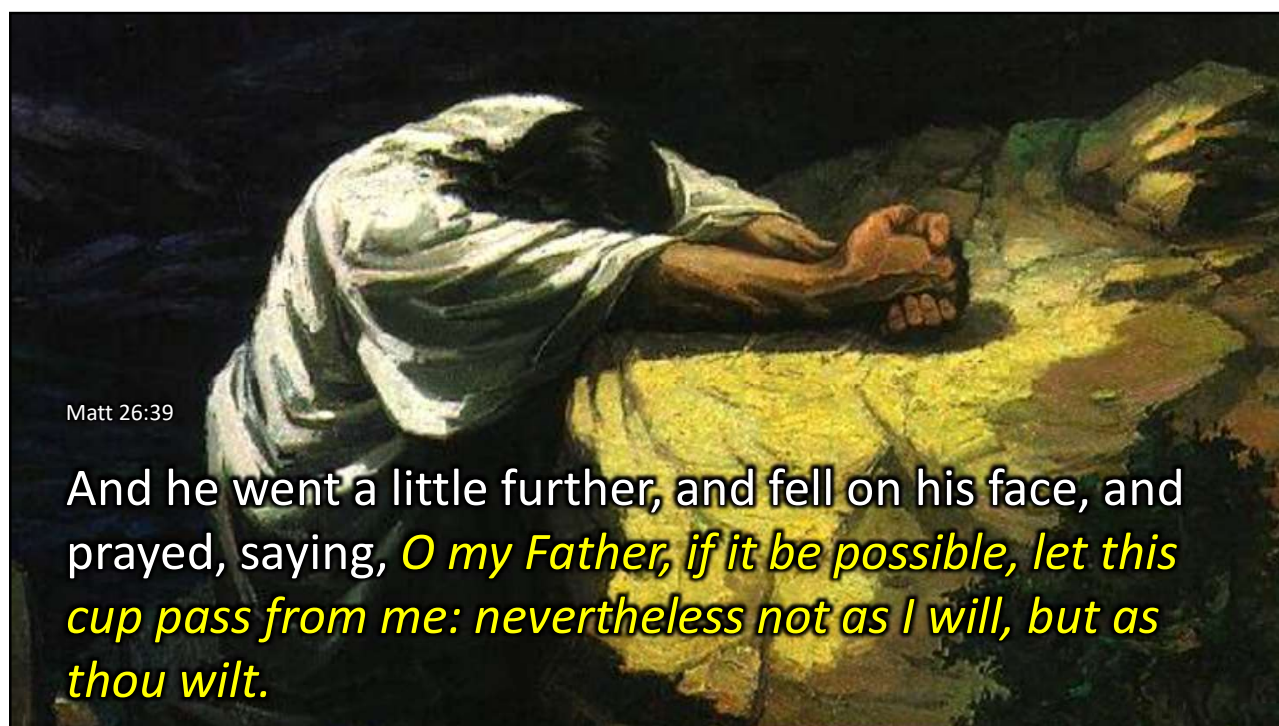
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Est 4:13-14

Then Mordecai commanded to answer Esther, Think not with thyself that thou shalt escape in the king's house, more than all the Jews. For if thou altogether holdest thy peace at this time, then shall there enlargement and deliverance arise to the Jews from another place; but thou and thy father's house shall be destroyed: and **who knoweth whether thou art come to the kingdom for such a time as this?**

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Num 11:14-15

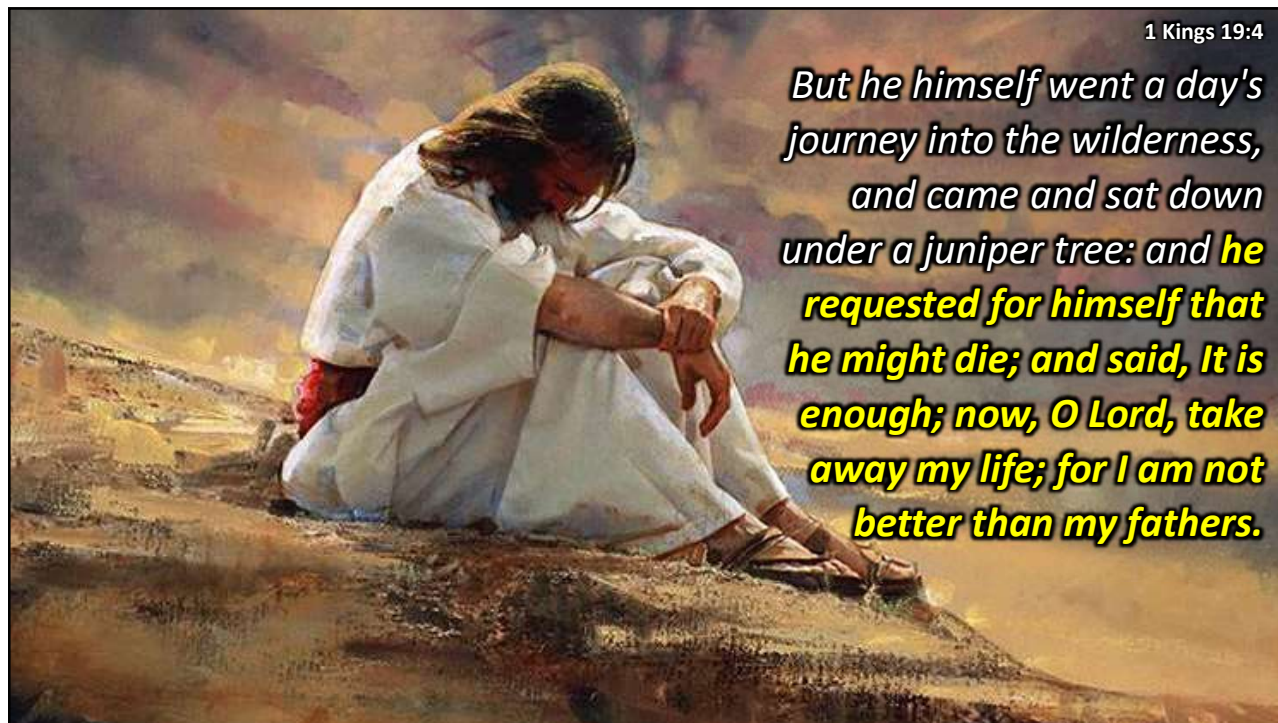
I am not able to bear all this people alone, because it is too heavy for me. And if thou deal thus with me, kill me, I pray thee, out of hand, if I have found favour in thy sight; and let me not see my wretchedness.



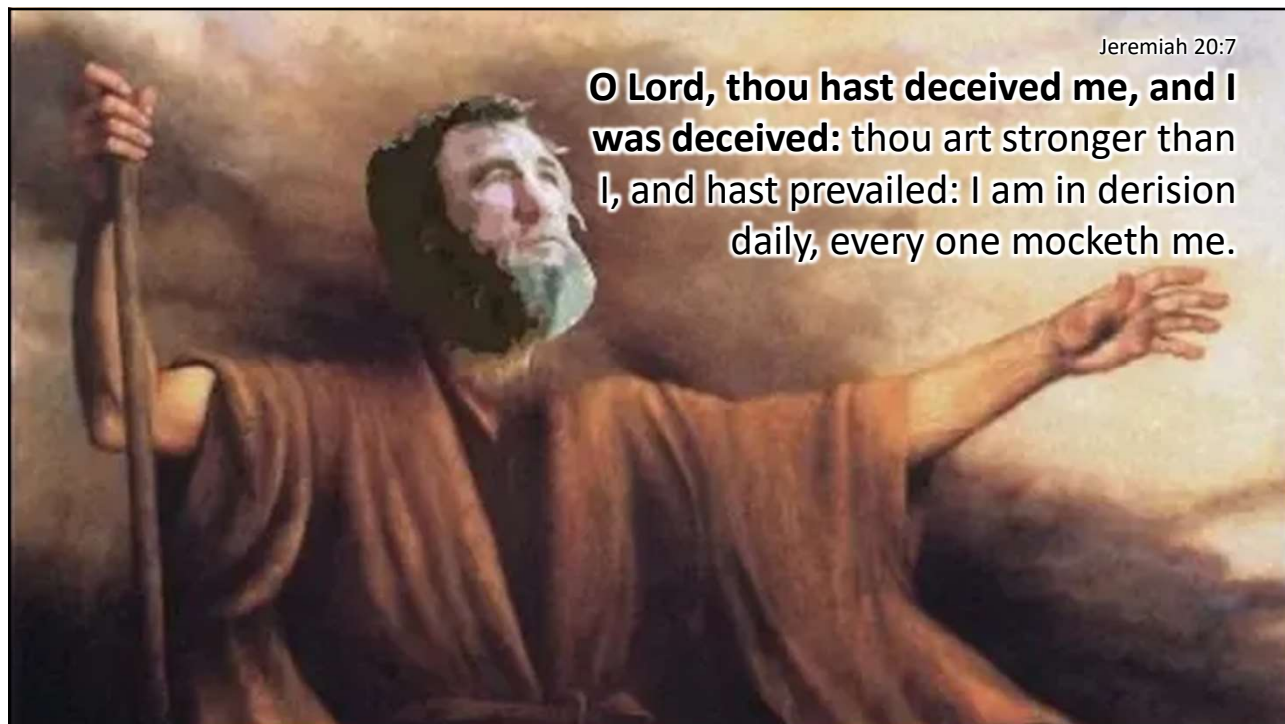
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1 Kings 19:4

But he himself went a day's journey into the wilderness, and came and sat down under a juniper tree: and he requested for himself that he might die; and said, It is enough; now, O Lord, take away my life; for I am not better than my fathers.




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God doesn't send us alone

- **Ex 3:11-12** And Moses said unto God, Who am I, that I should go unto Pharaoh, and that I should bring forth the children of Israel out of Egypt? And he said, *Certainly I will be with thee.*
- **Jer 1:19** And they shall fight against thee; but they shall not prevail against thee; *for I am with thee, saith the Lord, to deliver thee.*
- **Ezek 1:3** The word of the Lord came expressly unto Ezekiel the priest...*and the hand of the Lord was there upon him* (in His grip).
- **Matthew 28:19** *Lo, I am with you always*

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1 Cor 10:13

There hath no temptation taken you but such as is common to man: but God is faithful, who will not suffer you to be tempted above that ye are able; but will **with the temptation** also make a way to escape, that ye may be able to bear it.

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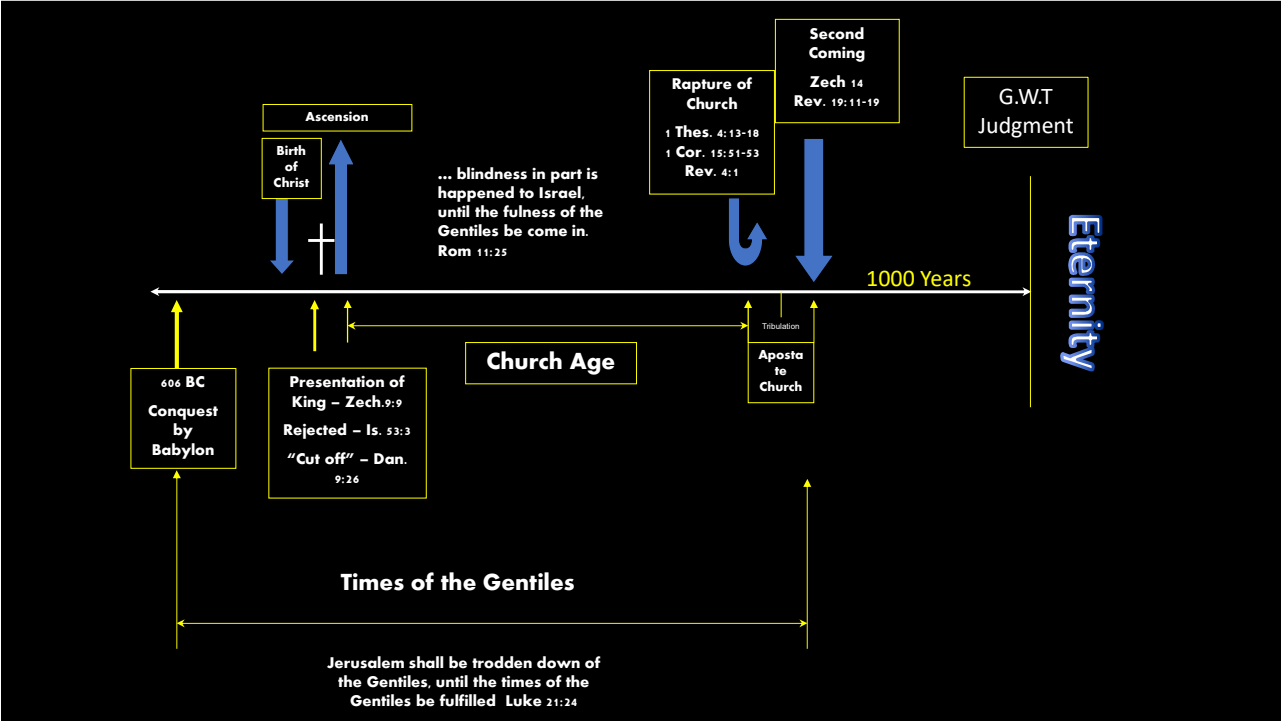
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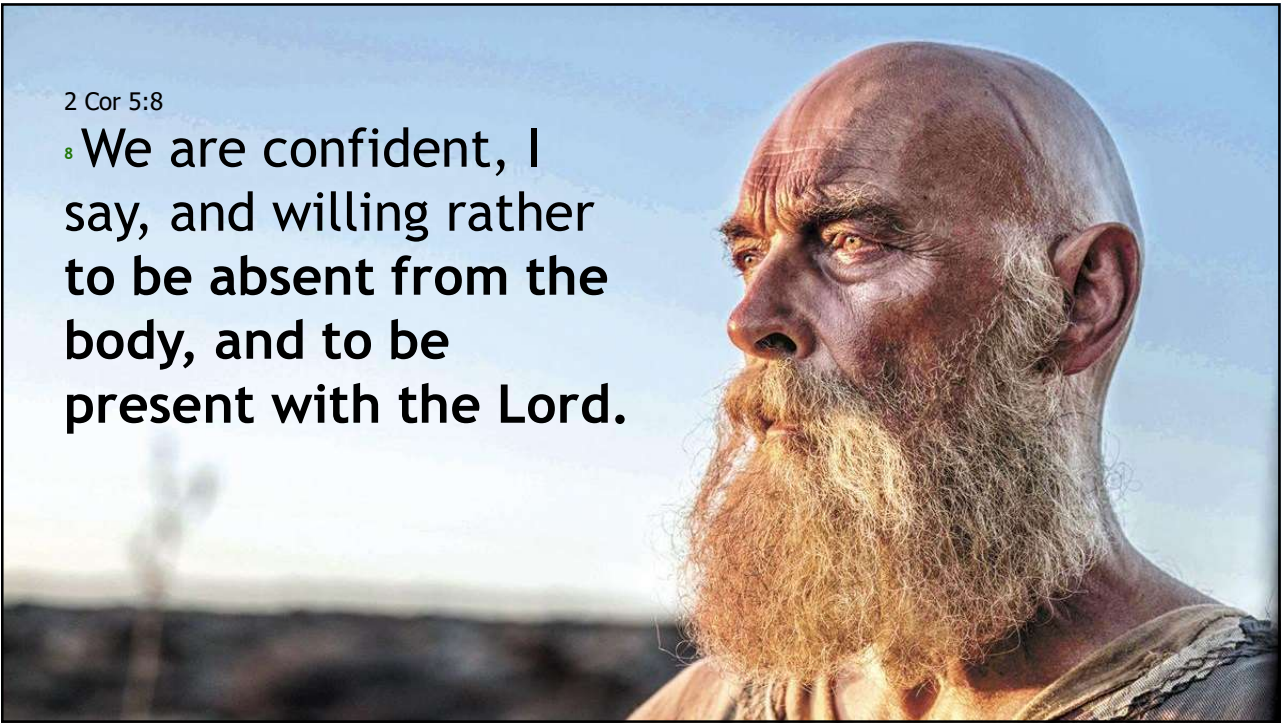
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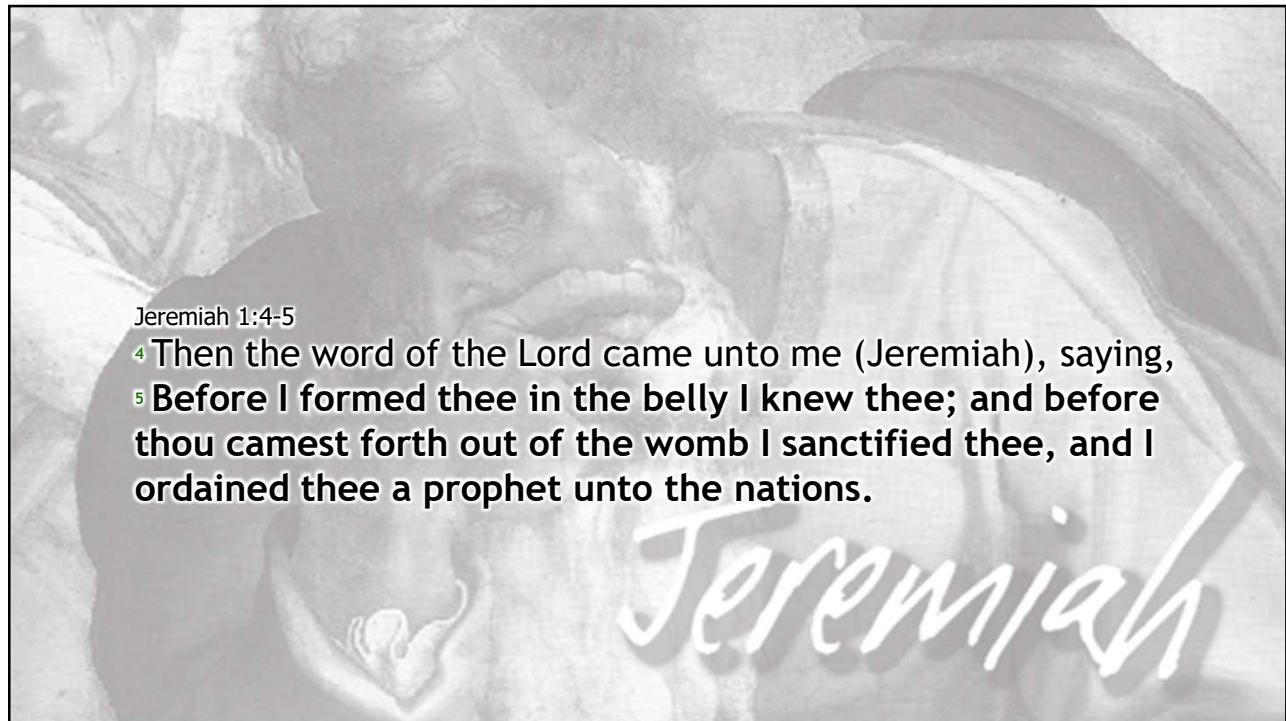
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Jeremiah 1:4-5

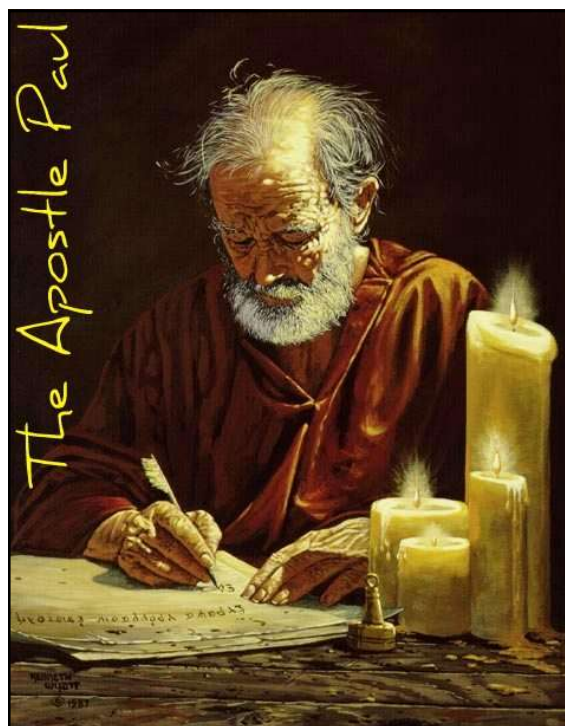
⁴ Then the word of the Lord came unto me (Jeremiah), saying,
⁵ **Before I formed thee in the belly I knew thee; and before thou camest forth out of the womb I sanctified thee, and I ordained thee a prophet unto the nations.**

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2 Tim 4:1-8

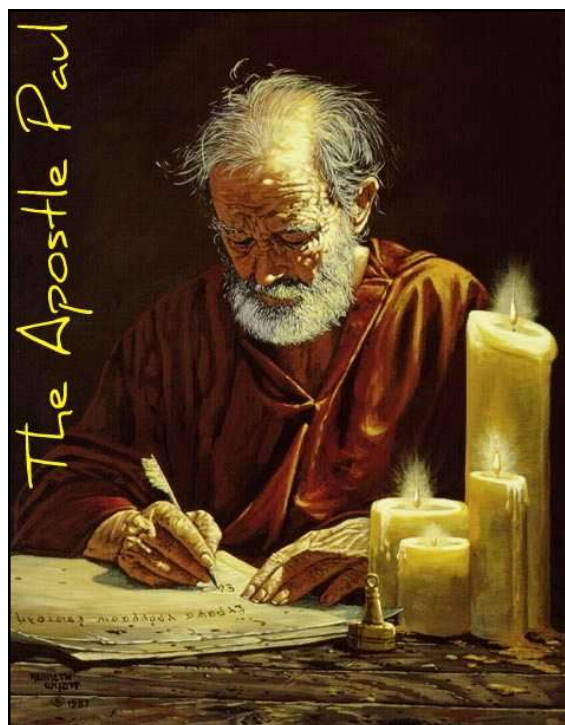
I charge thee therefore before God, and the Lord Jesus Christ, who shall judge the quick and the dead at his appearing and his kingdom;

2 Preach the word; be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort with all longsuffering and doctrine.

3 For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but after their own lusts shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears;

4 And they shall turn away their ears from the truth, and shall be turned unto fables.

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2 Tim 4:1-8

5 But watch thou in all things, endure afflictions, do the work of an evangelist, make full proof of thy ministry.

6 For I am now ready to be offered, and **the time of my departure is at hand.**

7 I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith:

8 Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day: and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his

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