

P.T. BIBLE SURVEY

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- ⦿ Who wrote it?
 - Unknown, but possibly Ezra.
 - Scholars refer to the author as “the Chronicler”.

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◉ Timing of Events:

- From 1010 to 971 B.C.
- Same time period as 2 Samuel
- Covers 40 years plus.

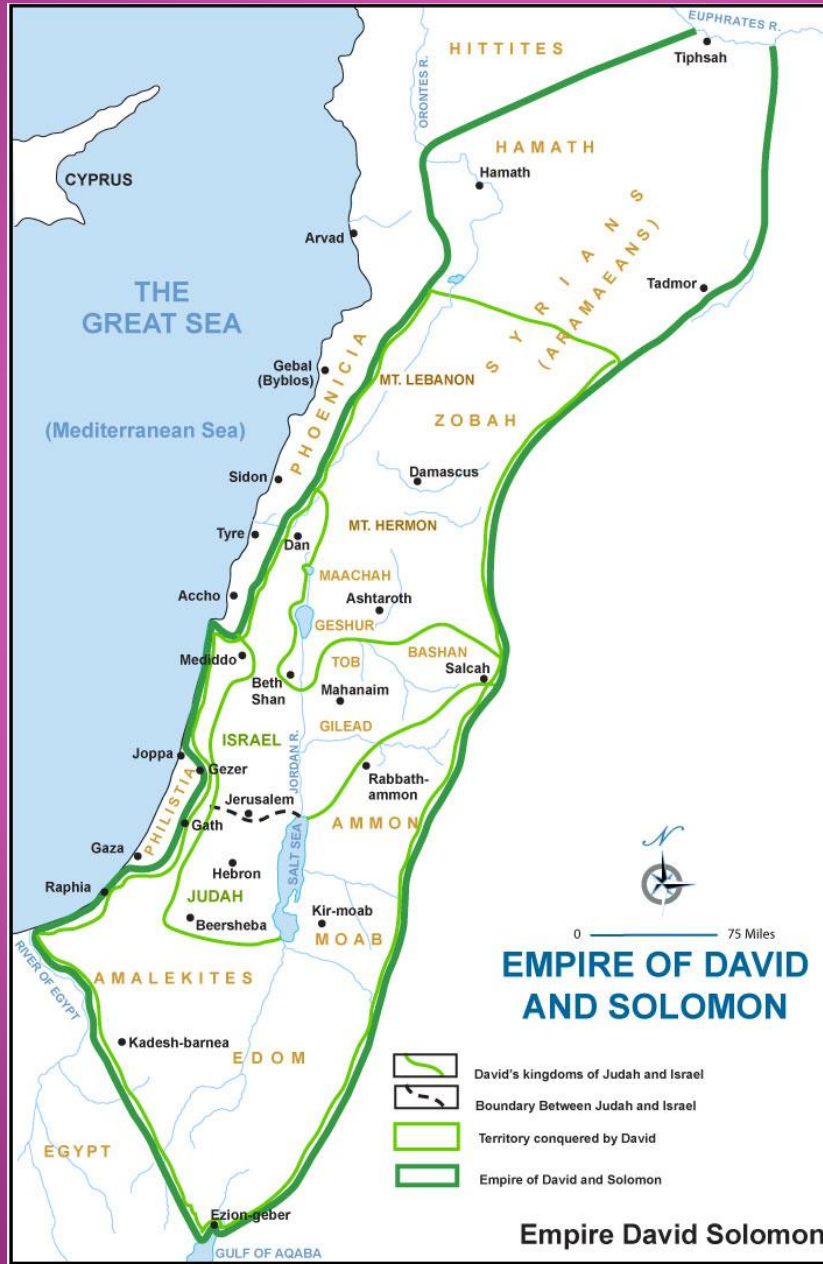
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- **Part 2 - The Reign of David (Chap. 10-29)**
 - David Becomes King and Returns the Ark of the Covenant to Jerusalem (Chap. 10-17)
 - Military victories (Chap. 18-29)
 - Temple preparations and Death (Chap. 21-28)

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- ◎ Summary in 10 words or less:
 - King David's reign is detailed and analyzed.

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◎ Cast of Characters:

- **God:** spoke to David through Nathan the prophet
- **David:** king of Israel
- **12 Tribes of Israel :** Judah, Simeon, Reuben, Gad, Manasseh, Levi, Issachar, Benjamin, Naphtali, Manasseh, Ephraim, and Asher
- **Solomon:** inherits his father's kingdom

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- ◎ Where is the work of Christ?
 - David is the founder of the dynasty of which Jesus (Son of David) is the eternal king. David illustrates Christ's kingship.

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Verse to Remember

- ◎ "All this." said David, "the Lord made me understand in writing by His hand upon me, all the details of this pattern." (1 Chron. 28:19 NASB)

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◉ Interesting Facts:

- The books of Chronicles cover a wider space of time than any other work in Scripture.
- The Chronicles are written to the remnant from Babylon.
- 1 Chronicles does not include David's sin with Bathsheba and the engineered killing of her husband Uriah.

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- ◎ What is my take away?
 - Even when we sin, God doesn't give up on us.

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◎ Home Study

- Read a chapter daily in 1 Chronicles this week.
- Study the One Sentence Summary.
- Recite your memory verses daily.