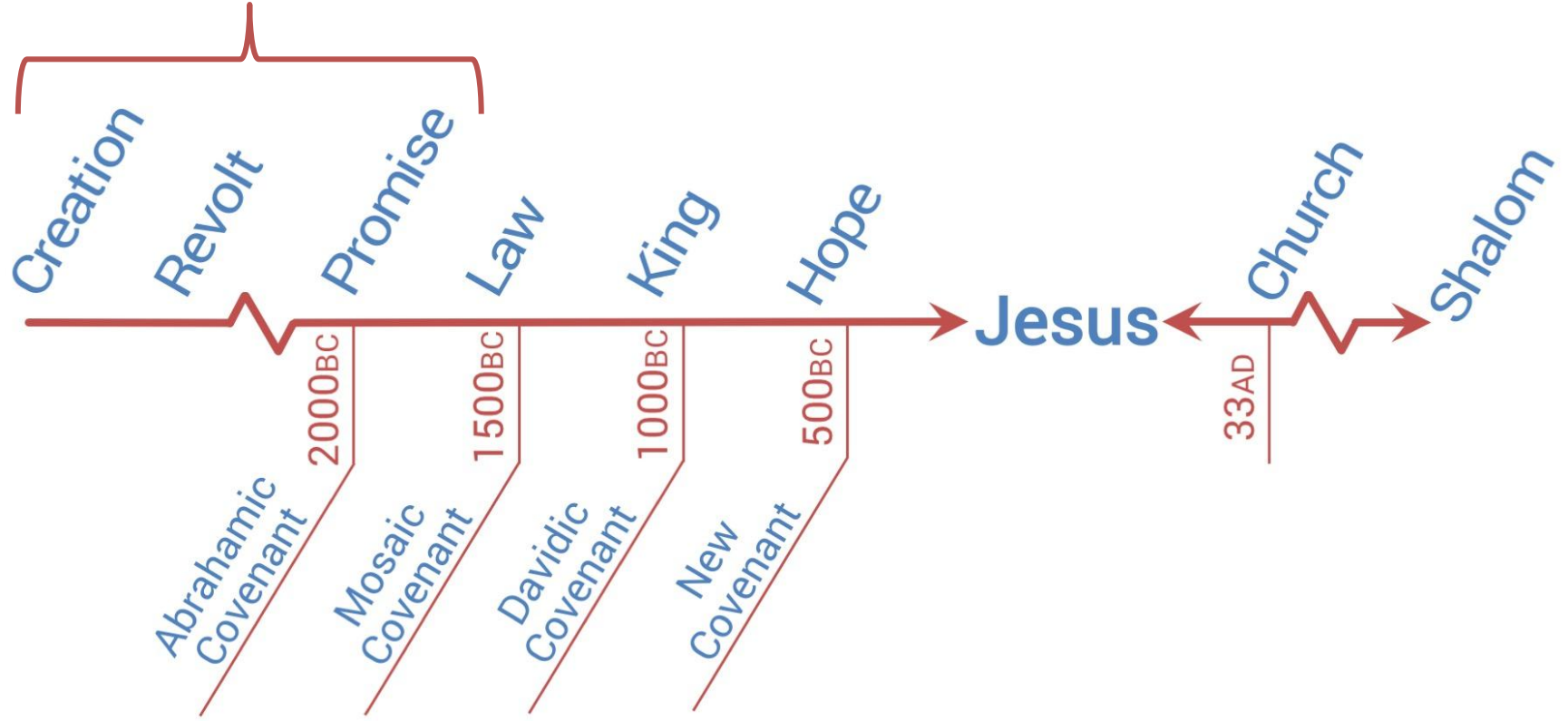


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Botched Beginning



HISTORY OF ISRAEL

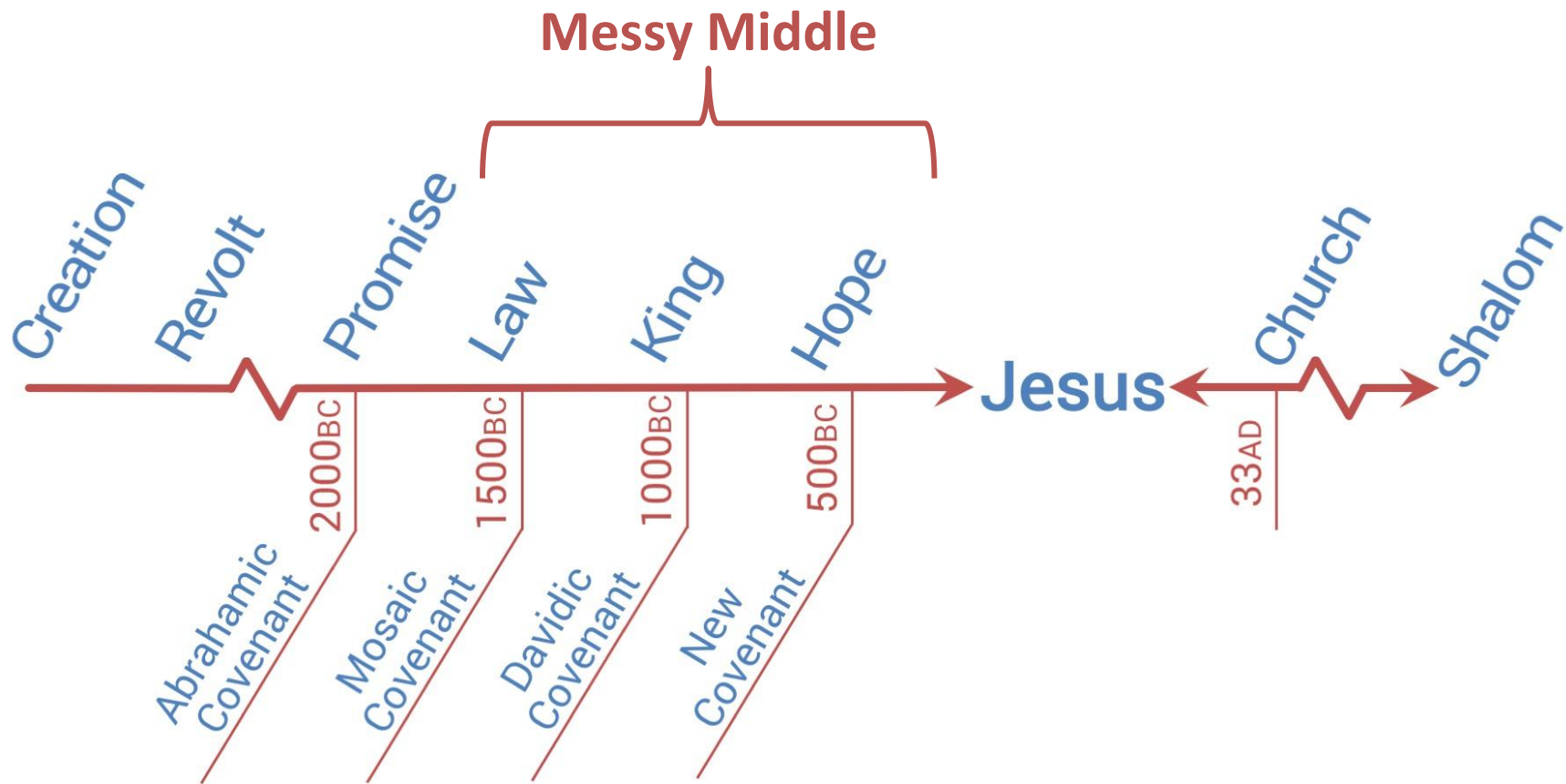
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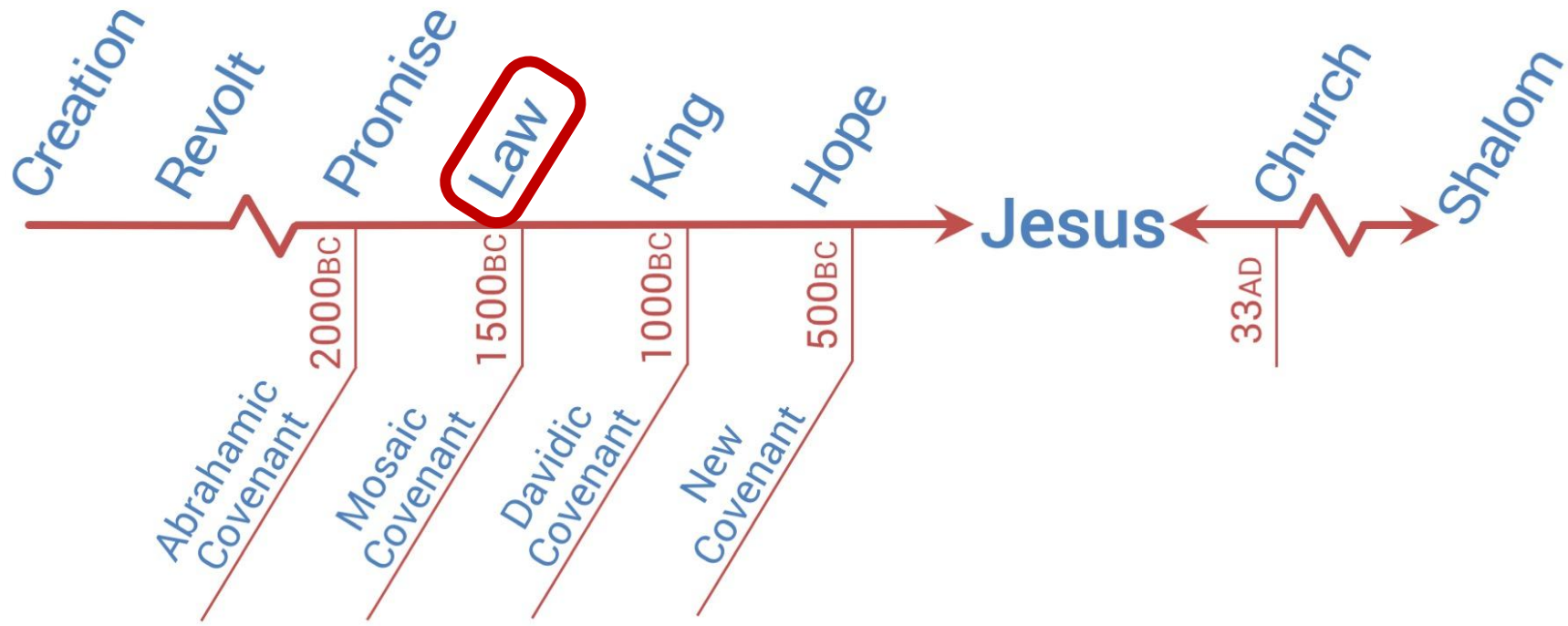
Egypt (430 yrs)

Abe Born
2166_{BC}

To Egypt
1876_{BC}







The one deficiency of the Abrahamic Covenant:
it didn't give Israel a WAY TO ACCESS the
blessings



THE LAW

The RULES Israel had to follow to enjoy
ABRAHAMIC COV BLESSINGS in their lifetime



THE LAW

NOT about HEAVEN OR HELL because
salvation is always by FAITH ALONE



THE LAW

CIVIL laws: a Constitution for Israel



DEUTERONOMY 24:14-15

You shall not oppress a hired servant who is poor and needy, whether he is one of your countrymen or one of your aliens who is in your land in your towns. You shall give him his wages on his day before the sun sets...



THE LAW

CIVIL laws: a Constitution for Israel

CEREMONIAL laws: how to practice Judaism



EXODUS 29:38-39

Now this is what you shall offer on the altar: two one year old lambs each day, continuously. The one lamb you shall offer in the morning and the other lamb you shall offer at twilight...



THE LAW

CIVIL laws: a Constitution for Israel

CEREMONIAL laws: how to practice Judaism

MORAL laws: how to behave



DEUTERONOMY 5:7-21

You shall have no other gods before Me.
You shall not make for yourself an idol... You
shall not take the name of the Lord your God
in vain... Observe the sabbath day...



DEUTERONOMY 5:7-21

...Honor your father and your mother... You shall not murder. You shall not commit adultery. You shall not steal. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor. You shall not covet...



THE LAW

Still in effect for us?

No – only Israel before the cross



Problem with the Law: told them what to do but
didn't give them the DESIRE to do it



DEUTERONOMY 5:29

‘Oh that they had such a heart in them, that they would fear Me and keep all My commandments always, that it may be well with them and with their sons forever!’



HISTORY OF ISRAEL

Patriarchs (290 yrs)

Egypt (430 yrs)

Wilderness (40 yrs)

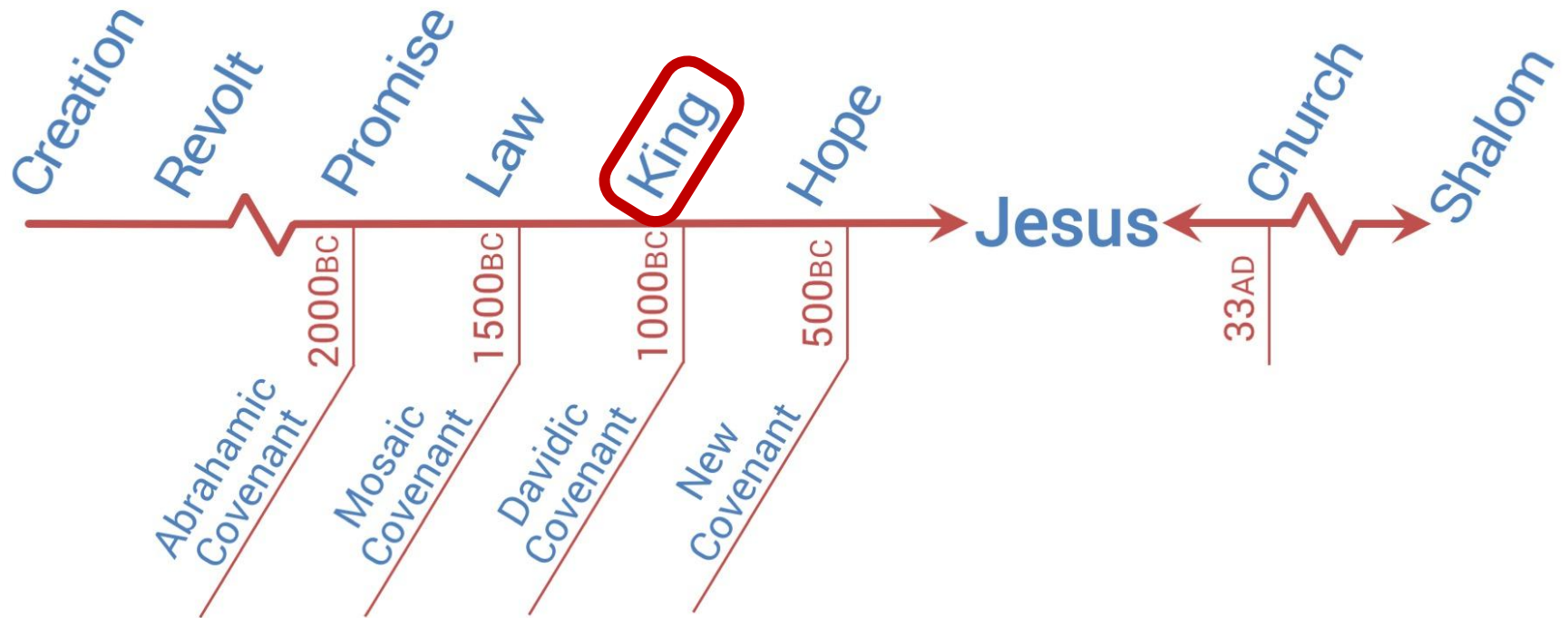
Judges (355 yrs)

Abe Born
2166_{BC}

To Egypt
1876_{BC}

Exodus
1446_{BC}

Conquest
1406_{BC}



Saul: a man after THEIR OWN heart
David: a man after GOD'S OWN heart



Davidic Covenant is like the ABRAHAMIC

It promises David: HOUSE (descendants)

THRONE (authority)

KINGDOM (nation to rule)



Davidic Covenant was IRREVOCABLE

But to experience its promises David's
descendants must OBEY THE LAW



Why did God take the throne from Saul but not David?



1 SAMUEL 13:11-12

But Samuel said, “What have you done?”
And Saul said, “Because I saw that the people were scattering from me, and that you did not come within the appointed days, and that the Philistines were assembling at Michmash...”



1 SAMUEL 13:11-12

...therefore I said, 'Now the Philistines will come down against me at Gilgal, and I have not asked the favor of the Lord.' So I forced myself and offered the burnt offering."



PSALM 51:1-4

Be gracious to me, O God, according to Your lovingkindness; according to the greatness of Your compassion blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin...



PSALM 51:1-4

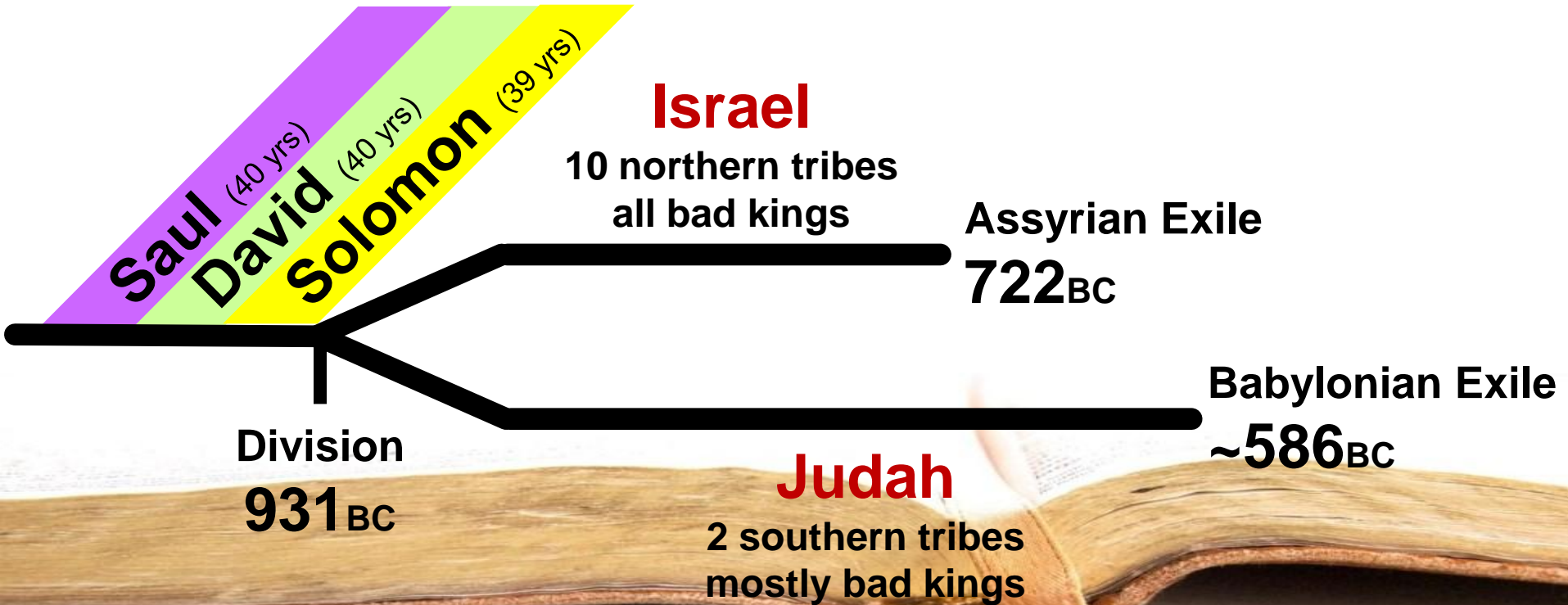
...For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me. Against You, You only, I have sinned and done what is evil in Your sight, so that You are justified when You speak and blameless when You judge.

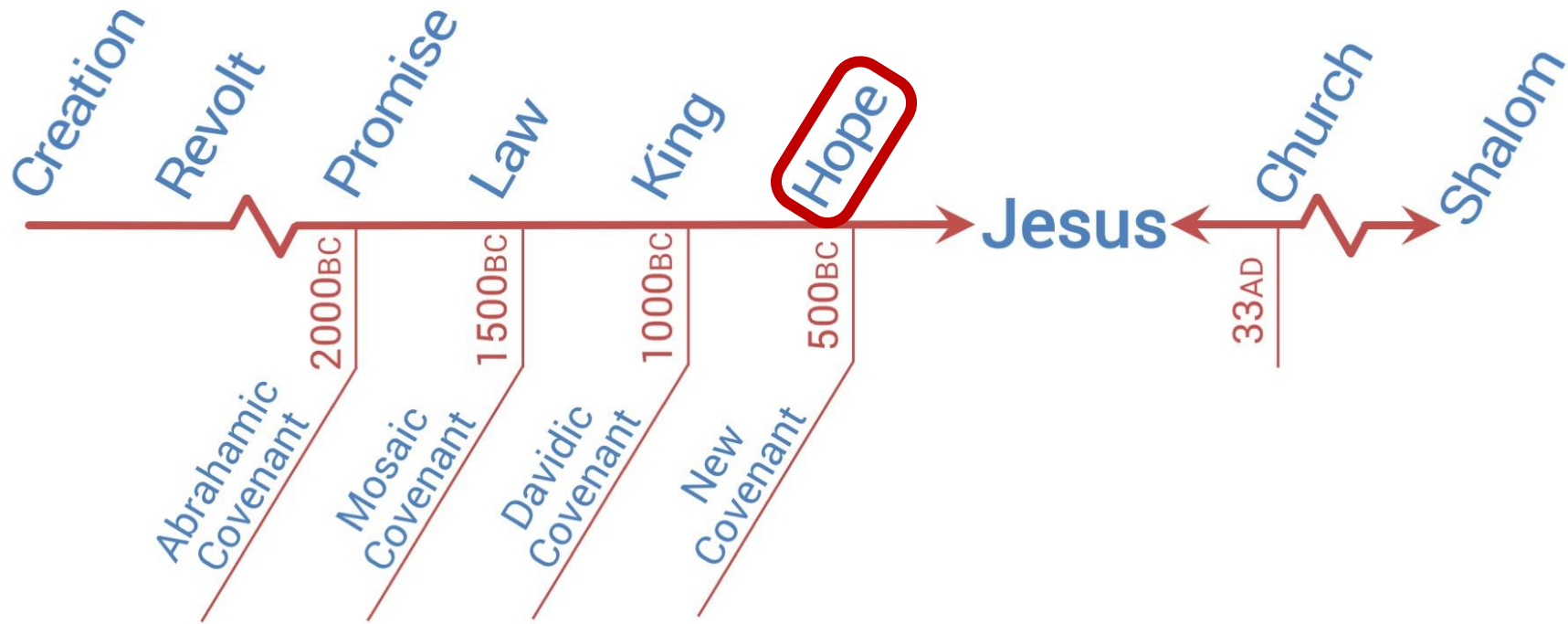


Why did God take the throne from Saul but not David?
It's not about the GRAVITY of the sin, but the
RESPONSE to conviction



HISTORY OF ISRAEL





The New Covenant REPLACES
the Old (Mosaic) Covenant



EZEKIEL 36:23-30

“I will vindicate the holiness of My great name which has been profaned among the nations, which you have profaned in their midst...



EZEKIEL 36:23-30

...“Then the nations will know that I am the Lord,” declares the Lord God, “when I prove Myself holy among you in their sight. For I will take you from the nations, gather you from all the lands and bring you into your own land...”



EZEKIEL 36:23-30

...“Then I will sprinkle clean water on you, and you will be clean; I will cleanse you from all your filthiness and from all your idols. Moreover, I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit within you...



EZEKIEL 36:23-30

...“and I will remove the heart of stone from your flesh and give you a heart of flesh. I will put My Spirit within you and cause you to walk in My statutes, and you will be careful to observe My ordinances...



EZEKIEL 36:23-30

...“You will live in the land that I gave to your forefathers; so you will be My people, and I will be your God. Moreover, I will save you from all your uncleanness; and I will call for the grain and multiply it, and I will not bring a famine on you...



EZEKIEL 36:23-30

...“I will multiply the fruit of the tree and the produce of the field, so that you will not receive again the disgrace of famine among the nations.”



Spiritual promises of the New Covenant:

FORGIVENESS of sins

A new HEART (desire to obey)

His SPIRIT will live in them



Physical promises of the New Covenant:

Israel and Judah returned and reunited

Prosperity

Fertility, peace, safety



The New Covenant is HOW God will fulfill all of
His covenant promises to Israel

It's what gets humanity back to the garden!



Difference between the New Covenant and the
other covenants:
It did not BEGIN YET



MALACHI 4

“For behold, the day is coming, burning like a furnace; and all the arrogant and every evildoer will be chaff; and the day that is coming will set them ablaze,” says the Lord of hosts...



MALACHI 4

...“But for you who fear My name, the sun of righteousness will rise with healing in its wings; and you will go forth and skip about like calves from the stall. You will tread down the wicked...”



MALACHI 4

...“Remember the law of Moses My servant,
even the statutes and ordinances which I
commanded him in Horeb for all Israel...



MALACHI 4

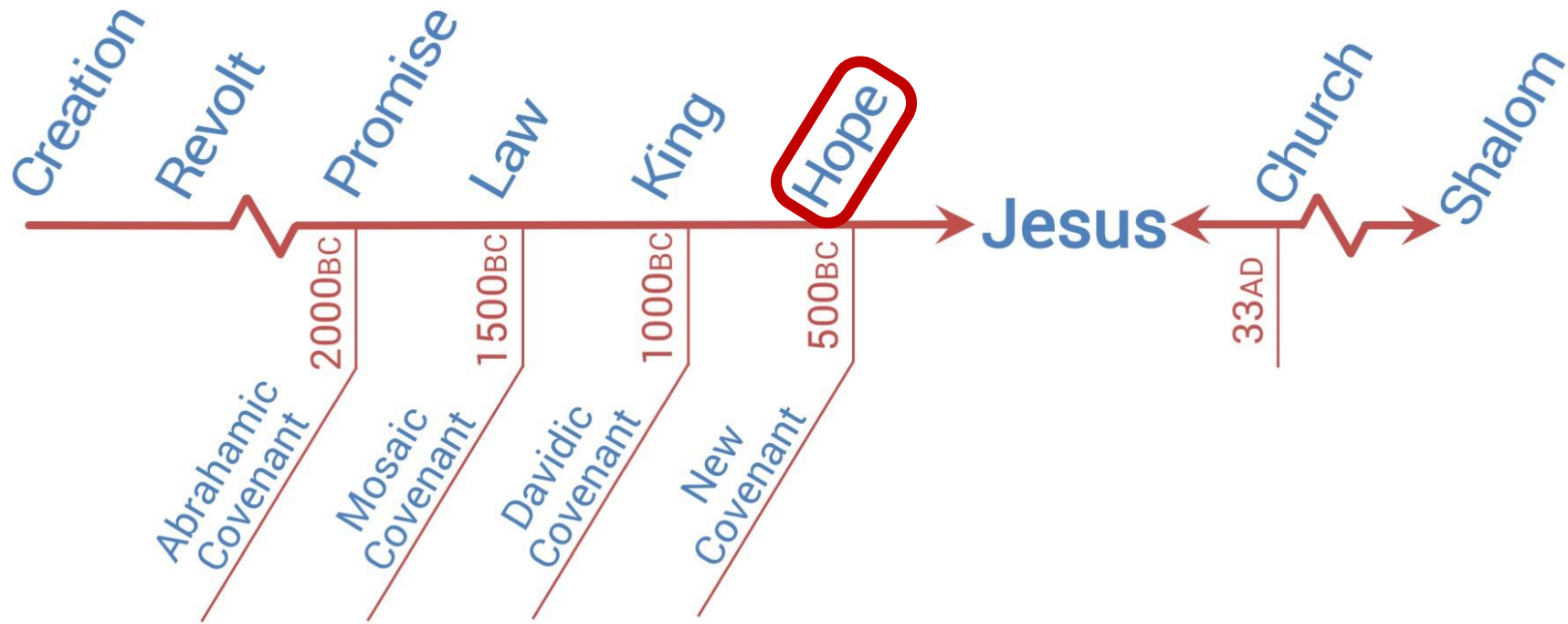
...Behold, I am going to send you Elijah the prophet before the coming of the great and terrible day of the Lord...



MALACHI 4

...“He will restore the hearts of the fathers to their children and the hearts of the children to their fathers, so that I will not come and smite the land with a curse.”





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