# Genesis 12–50 Israel's Birth & Preservation

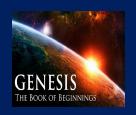




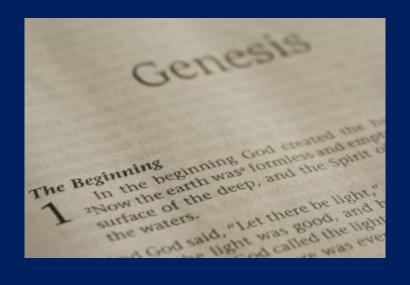
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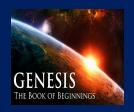
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- Beginning of the Human race (Gen. 1–11)
- II. Beginning of the Hebrew race (Gen. 12–50)



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#### I. Genesis 1-11 (four events)

- A. Creation (1-2)
- B. Fall (3-5)
- C. Flood (6-9)
- D. National dispersion (10-11)

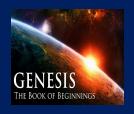


#### Genesis 3:15

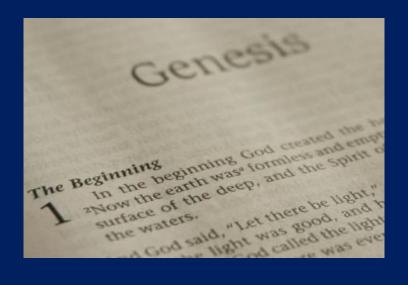
"And I will put enmity Between you and the woman, And between your seed and her seed; He shall bruise you on the head, And you shall bruise him on the heel."



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B. Isaac (25:12–26:35)

**C.** Jacob (27–36)

D. Joseph (37–50)

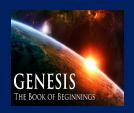


#### Isaiah 43:1

"But now, thus says the Lord, your Creator, O Jacob, And He who formed you, O Israel, 'Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name; you are Mine!"

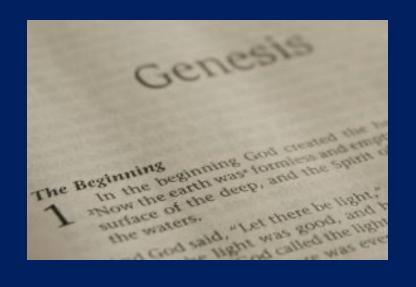


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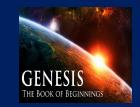
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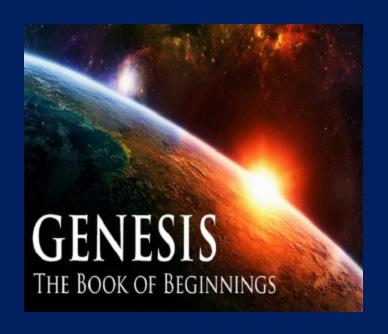


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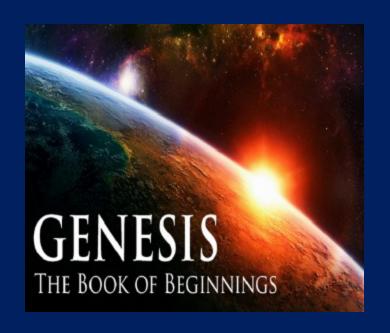
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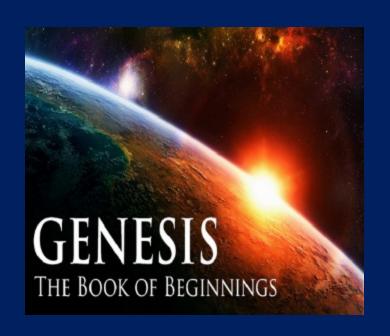
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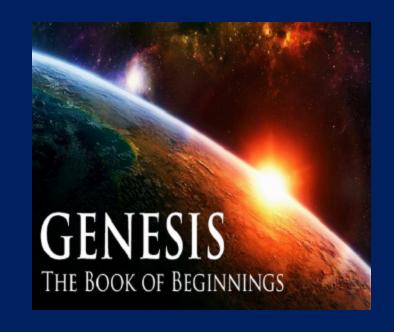
### Genesis 22:1-10 Abraham Tested

- A. Abraham instructed (1-2)
- B. Abraham's obedience (3)
- C. Arrival at destination (4)
- D. Abraham's instructions (5)
- E. Continuation of journey (6)
- F. Conversation (7-8)
- G. Offering prepared (9-10)



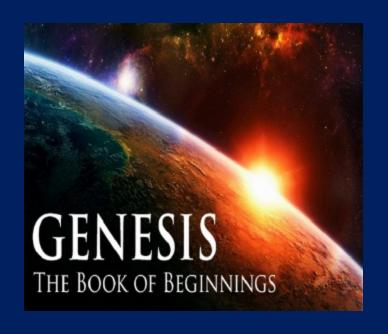
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## **Genesis 22:11-14 Substitutionary Provision**

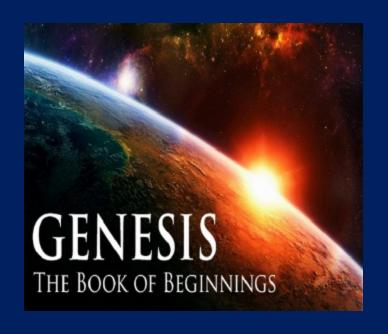
- A. Call to Abraham (11)
- B. New instructions (12)
- C. Provision of the ram (13)
- **D.** Naming (14)



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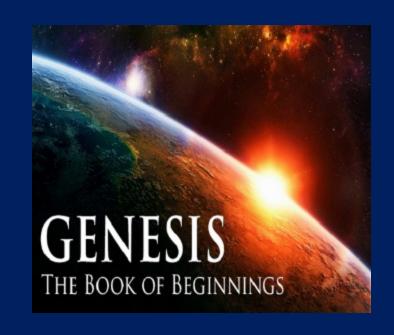
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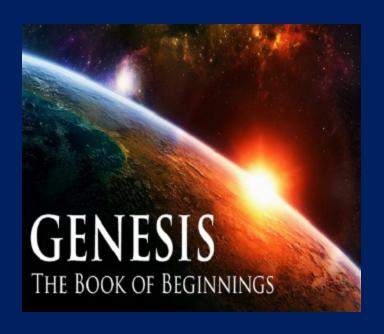
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- A. Call to Abraham (15)
- B. Basis (16)
- C. Provisions (17-18a)
- D. Basis restated (18b)
- E. Return to Beersheba (19)

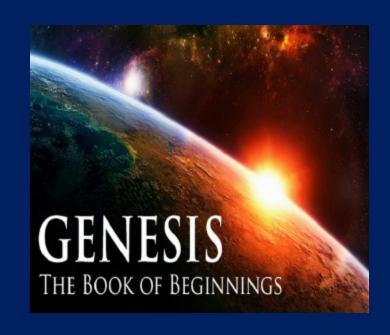


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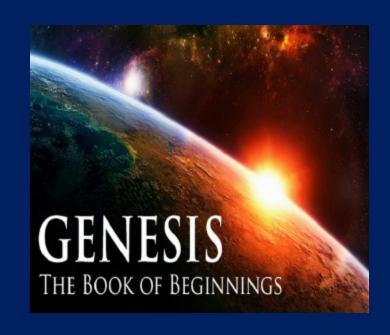
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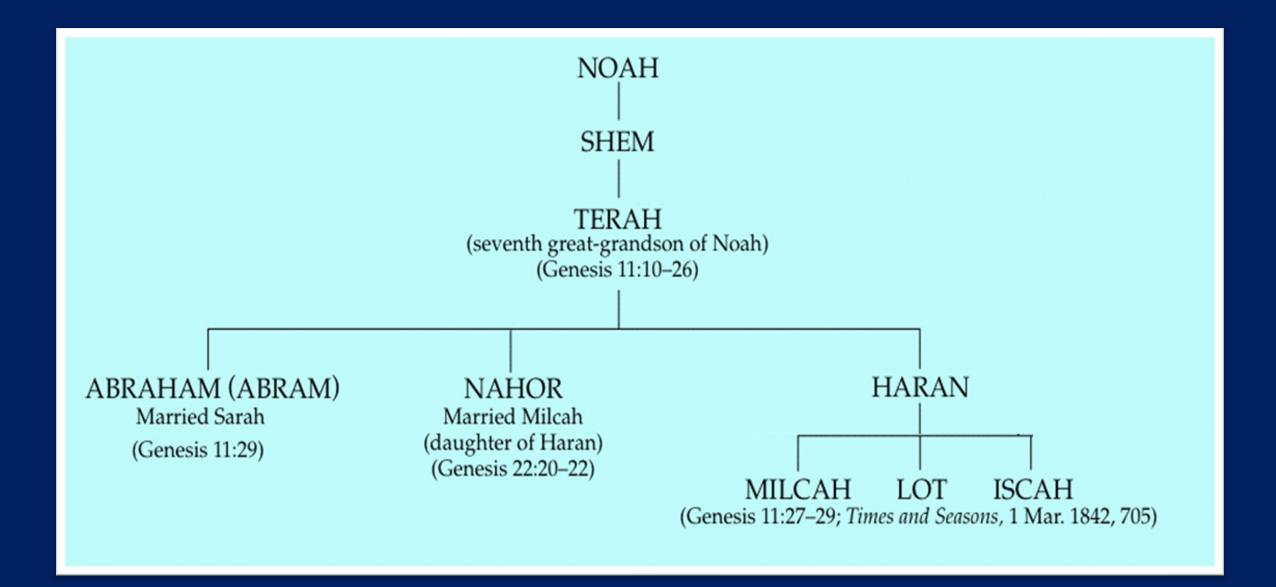


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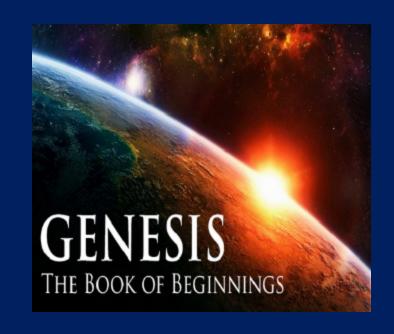


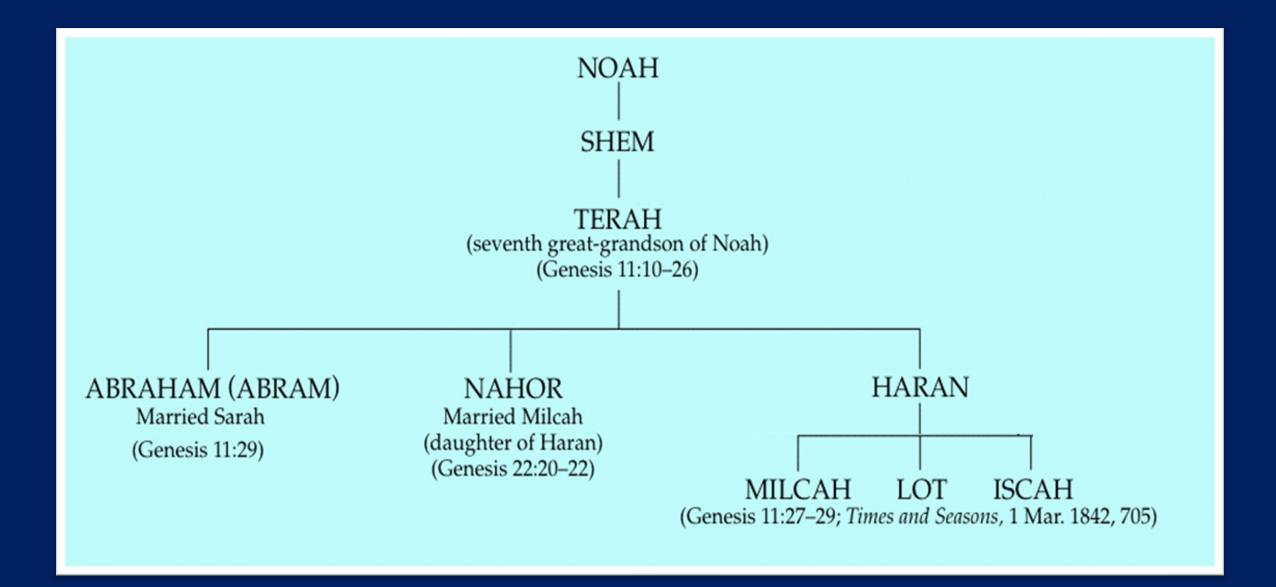
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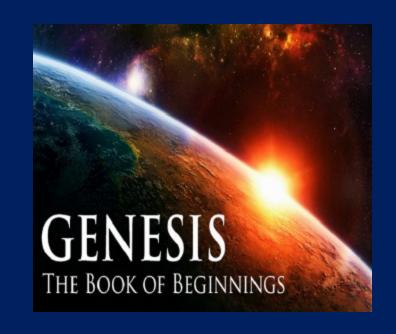


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### Nahor's children through Milcah

(Gen. 22:20b-23)

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5. Hazo

2. Buz

6. Pildash

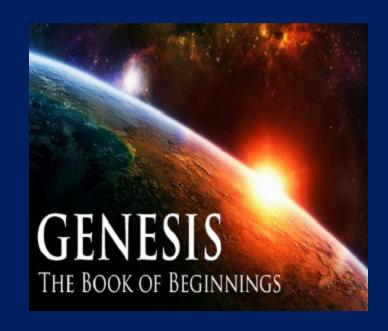
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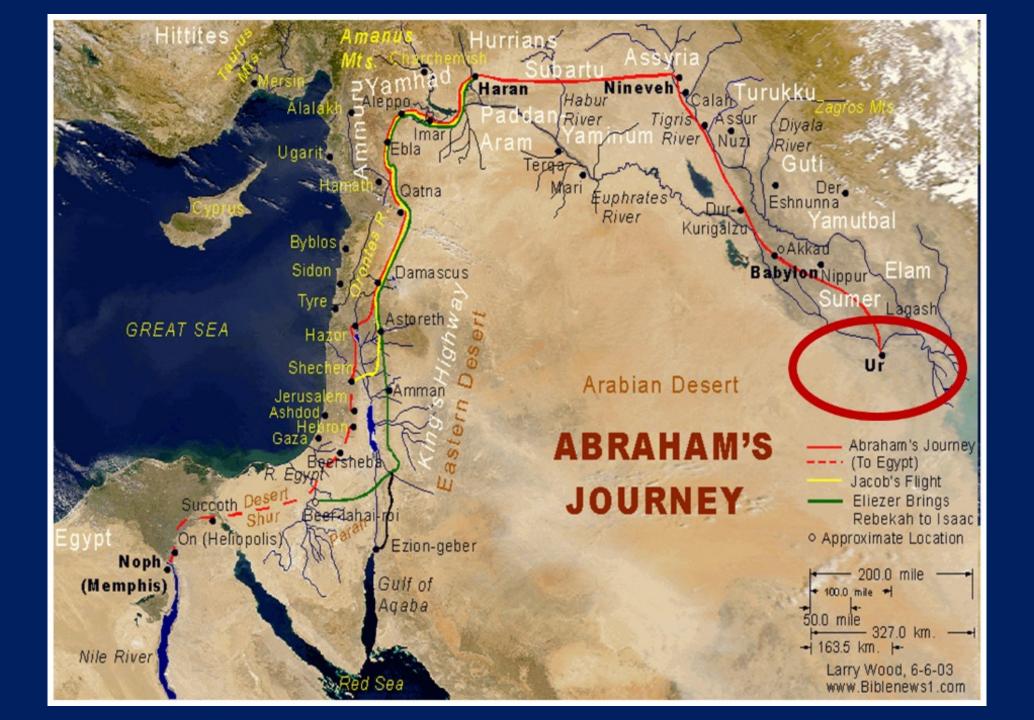
7. Jidlaph

4. Chesed

8. Bethuel (Gen. 24)

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(Gen. 22:20b-23)

1. Tebah

2. Gaham

3. Tahash

4. Maacah

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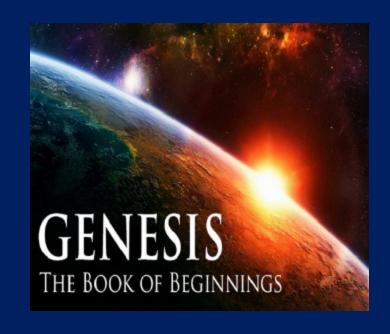


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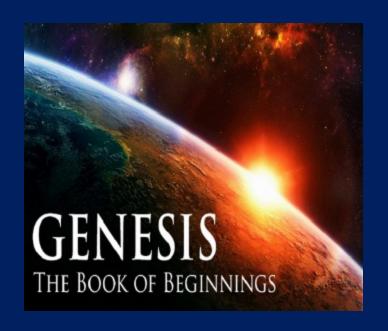
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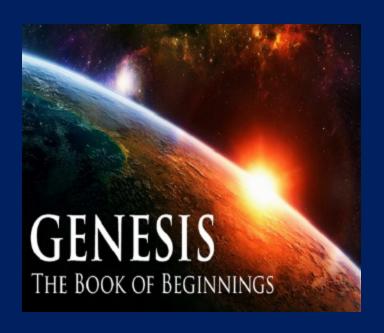
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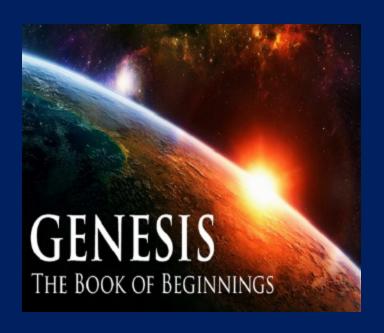
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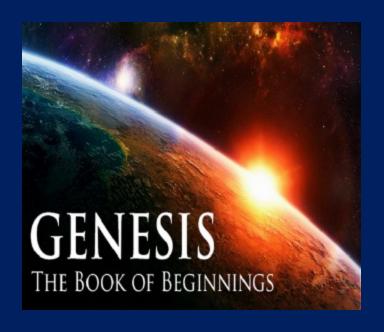
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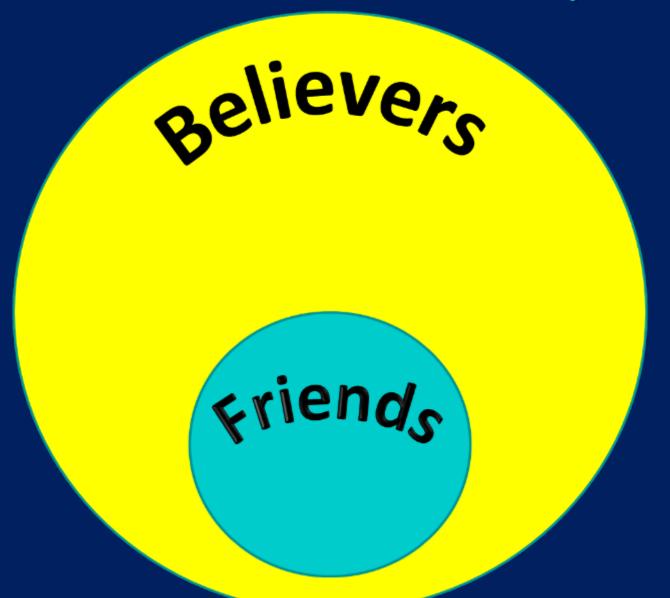
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### Believer vs. Friendship



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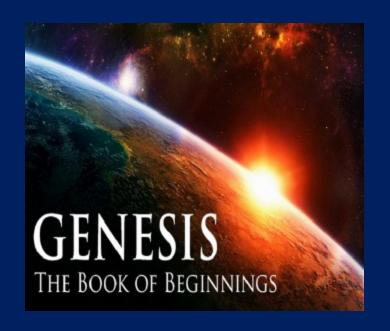
<sup>13</sup> "But we do not want you to be uninformed, brethren, about those who are asleep, so that you will not grieve as do the rest who have no hope. 14 For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so God will bring with Him those who have fallen asleep in Jesus. 15 For this we say to you by the word of the Lord, that we who are alive and remain until the coming of the Lord, will not precede...

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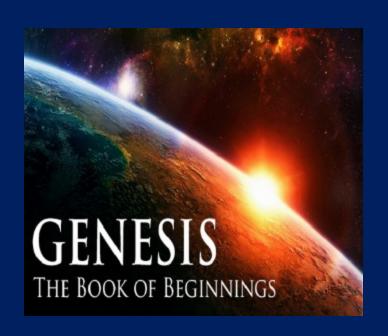
. . . those who have fallen asleep. 16 For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel and with the trumpet of God, and the dead in Christ will rise first. 17 Then we who are alive and remain will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air, and so we shall always be with the Lord. <sup>18</sup> Therefore comfort one another with these words."

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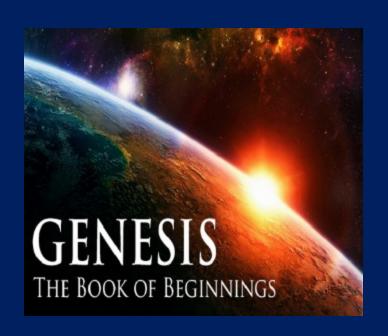
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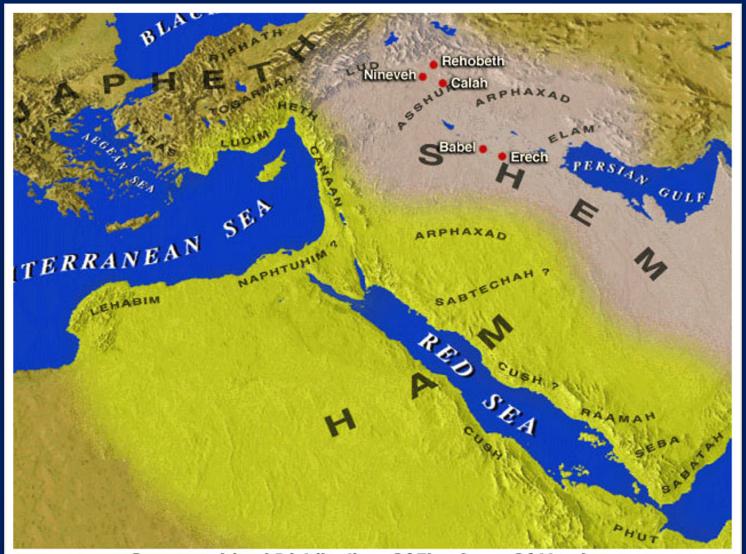


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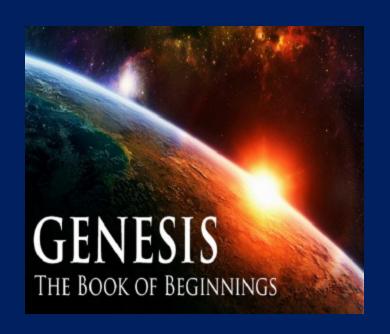


#### Geographical Distribution Of The Sons Of Noah

The three sons of Noah migrated to different areas. The Semites occupied the Tigris–Euphrates valley and most of Arabia; the Japhethites moved north, around the Black Sea, and even west to Spain; the Hamites went south into lower Asia Minor, coastal Syria and Palestine, and the Red Sea coast of Arabia, but principally into Africa.

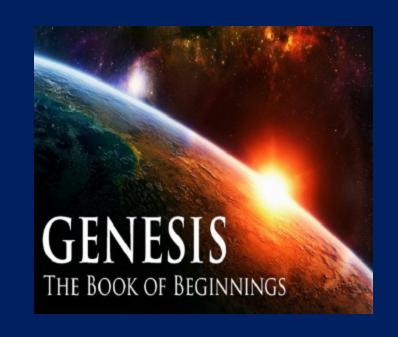
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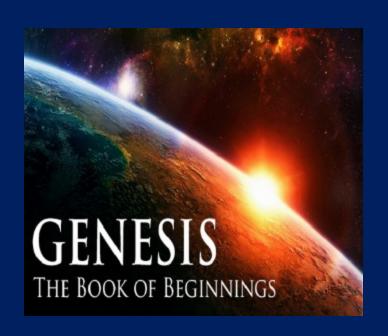


### 8 New Promises Genesis 12:1-3

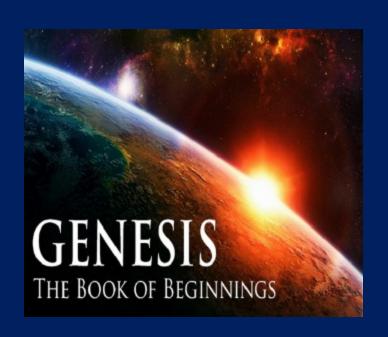
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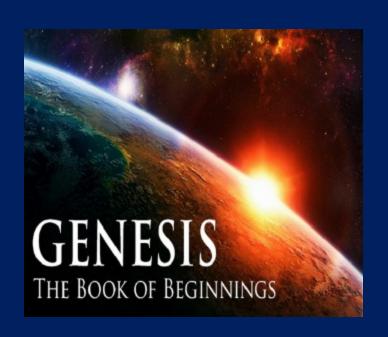
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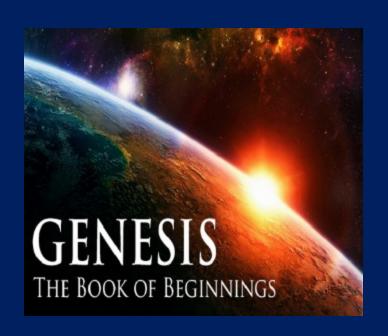
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"Verse 11 gives the offer: Nay, my lord, hear me: the field give I you, and the cave that is therein, I give it [to] you; in the presence of the children of my people give I it to you: bury your dead. Here again is what appears to be an offer of a free place to bury, but the free offer was not intended to be taken seriously because that was just the way things were done in the ancient Middle East. Abraham understood that he was not to accept the offer as given."

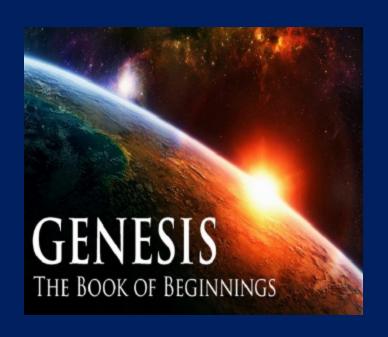
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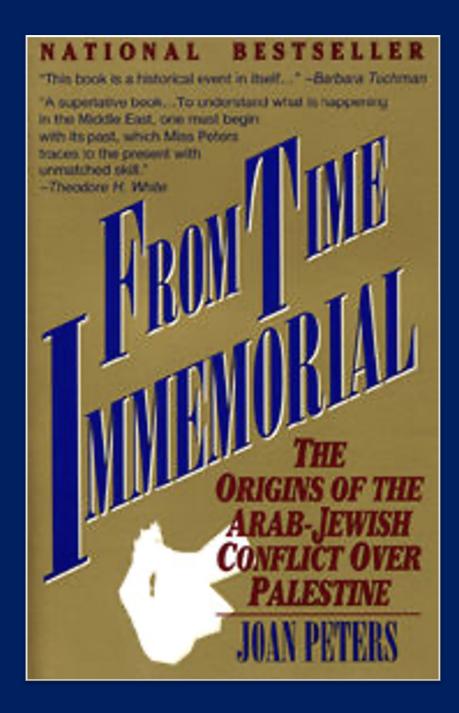


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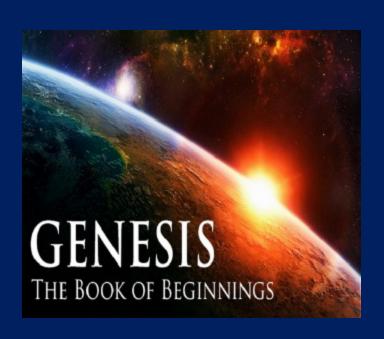






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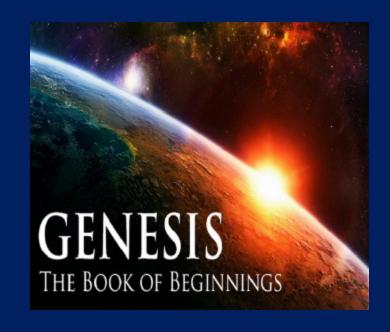


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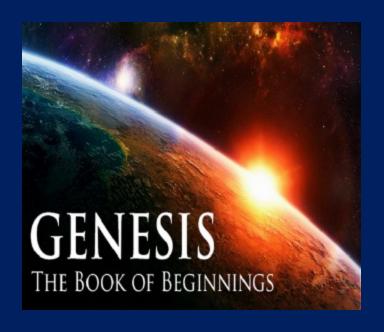
"...is that he would still be obligated to render feudal services. Therefore, by getting rid of all of it, the whole unit, that would free him from paying feudal responsibilities to the king for that section. As part of the deed, he also mentioned the trees, and the mention of trees is characteristic of Hittite business documents. It all fits well into the second millennium b.c."

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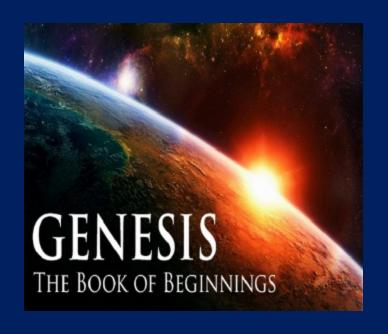
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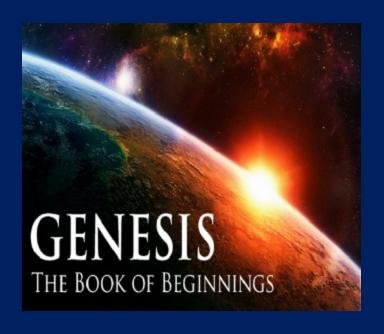
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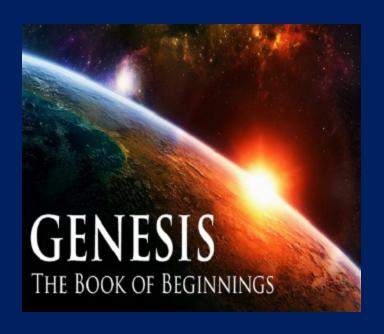
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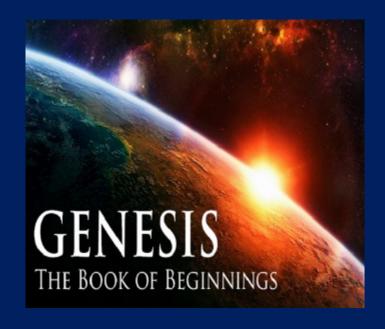


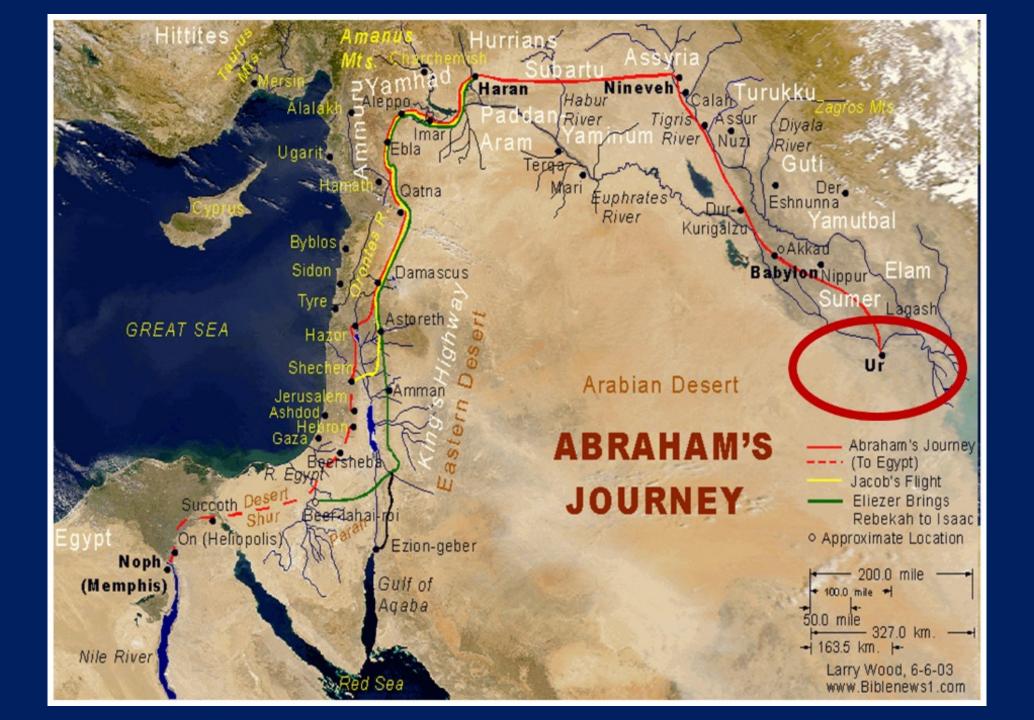


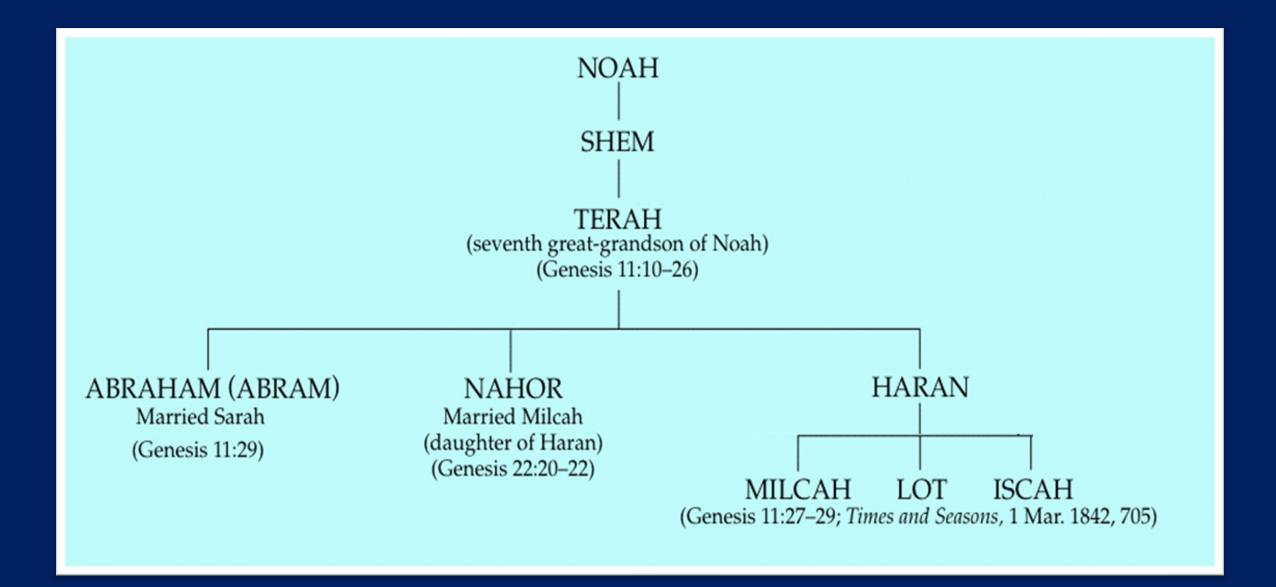
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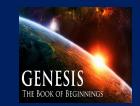




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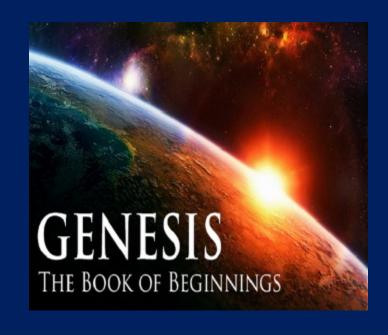


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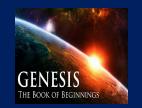
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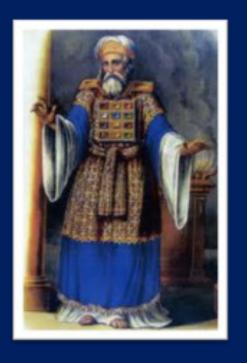
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Numbers 6:24–26 (NASB95)