

# Genesis 12–50

## Israel's Birth & Preservation



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# GENESIS STRUCTURE



## II. Genesis 12-50 (four people)

A. Abraham (12:1–25:11)

B. Isaac (25:12–26:35)

C. Jacob (27–36)

D. Joseph (37–50)







# Genesis 32:1–33:17

## Jacob and Esau

- I. Mahanaim (32:1-2)
- II. Jacob's Message to Esau (32:3-21)
- III. Peniel (32:22-32)
- IV. Jacob's Meeting with Esau (33:1-17)**





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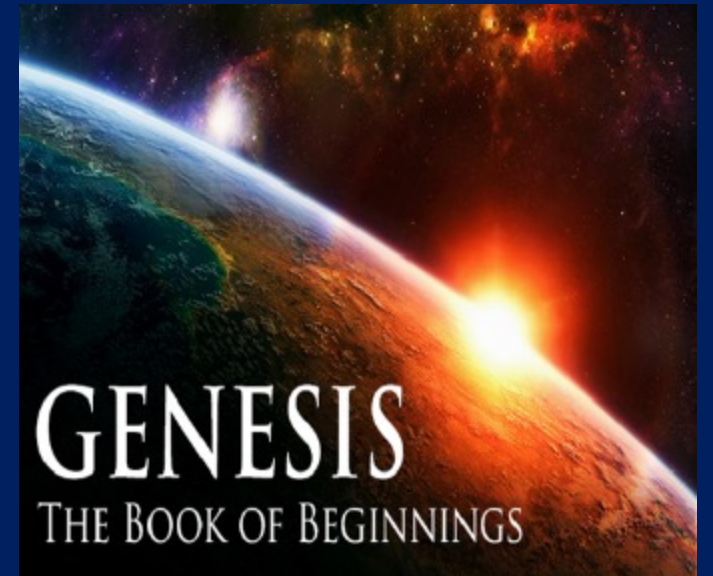
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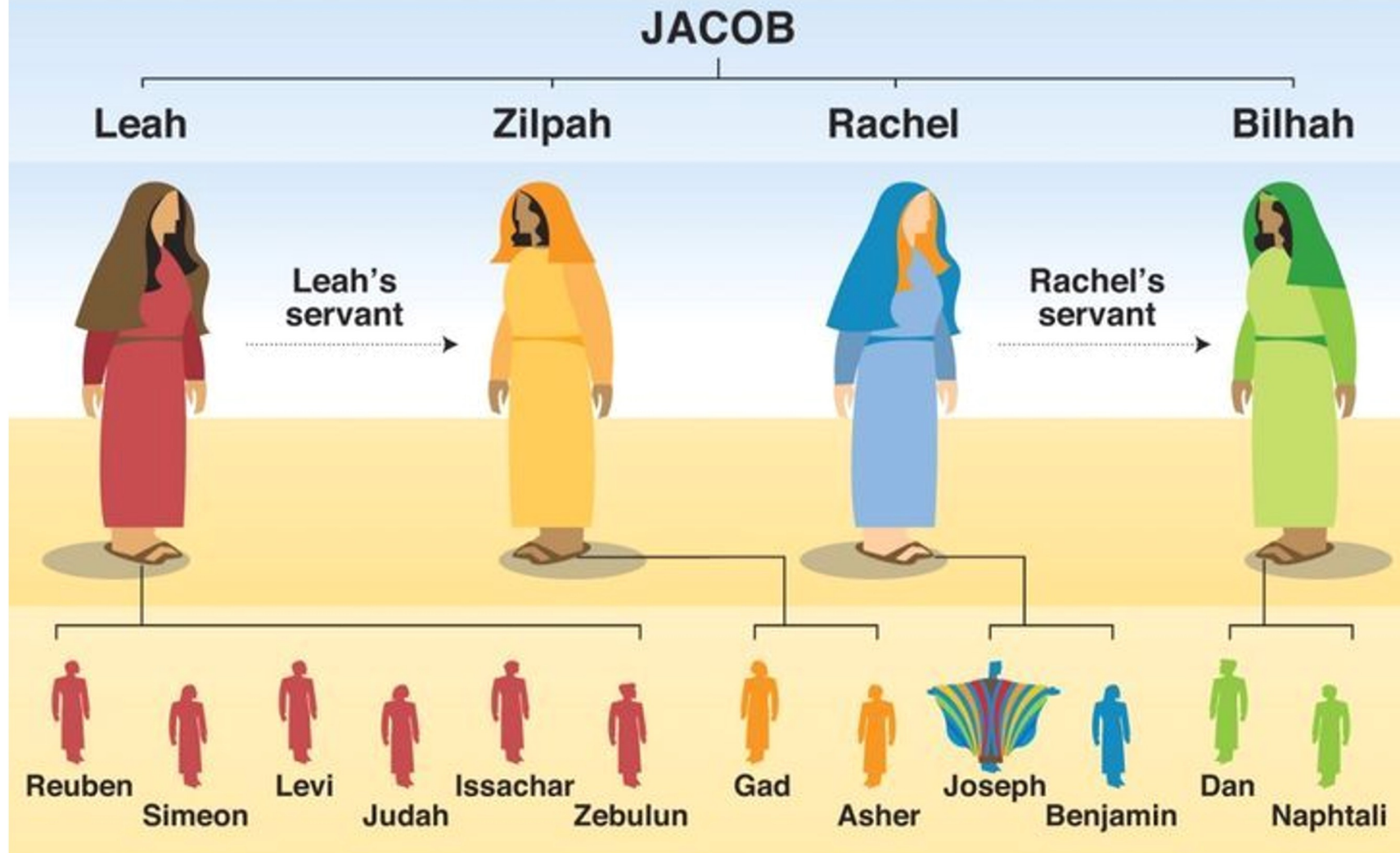


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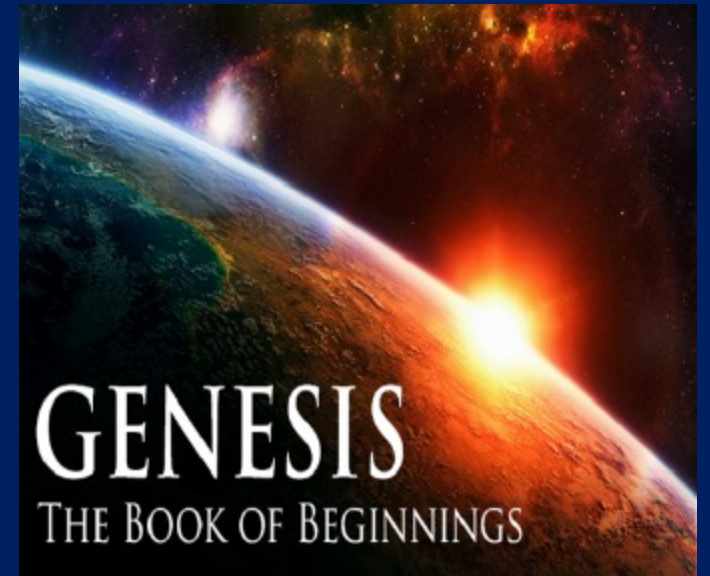
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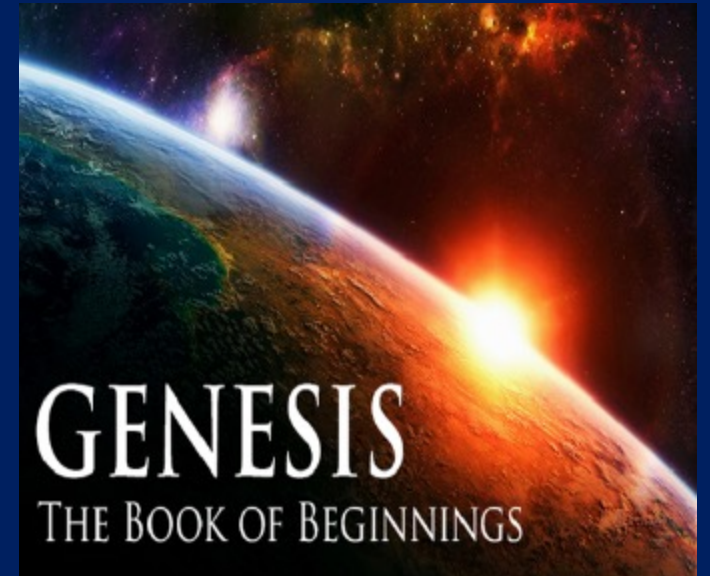
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# Charles Ryrie

The Ryrie Study Bible, p. 43

**Genesis 33:3** (RSB:NASB1995U): “bowed...seven times. A widely attested sign of homage, fit for a king. Jacob was taking no chances!”

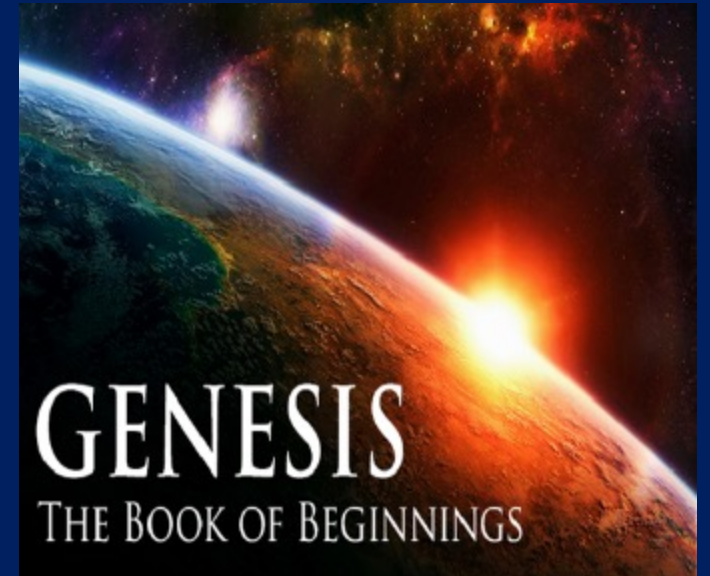




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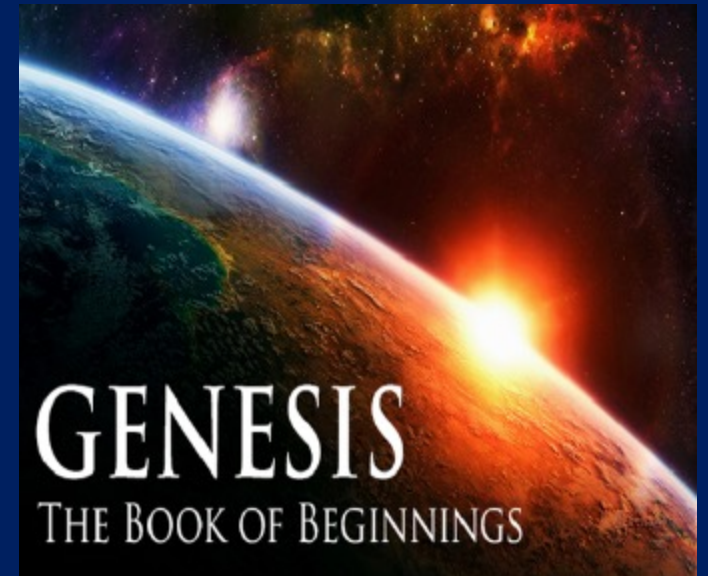
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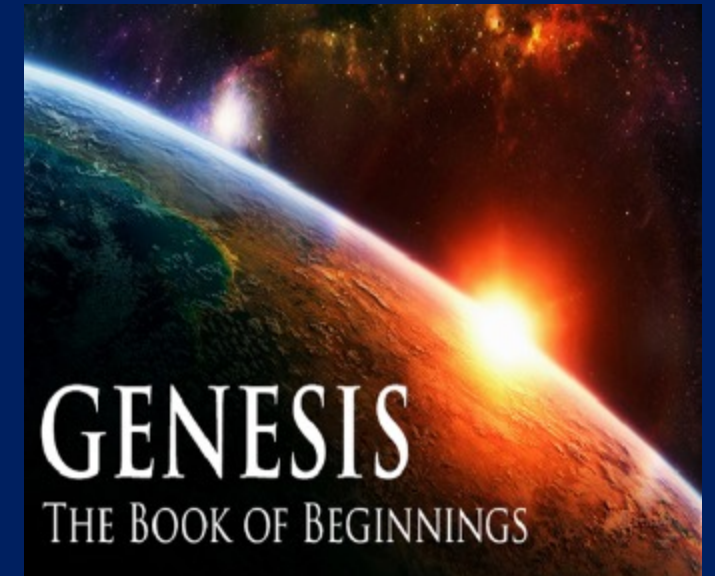




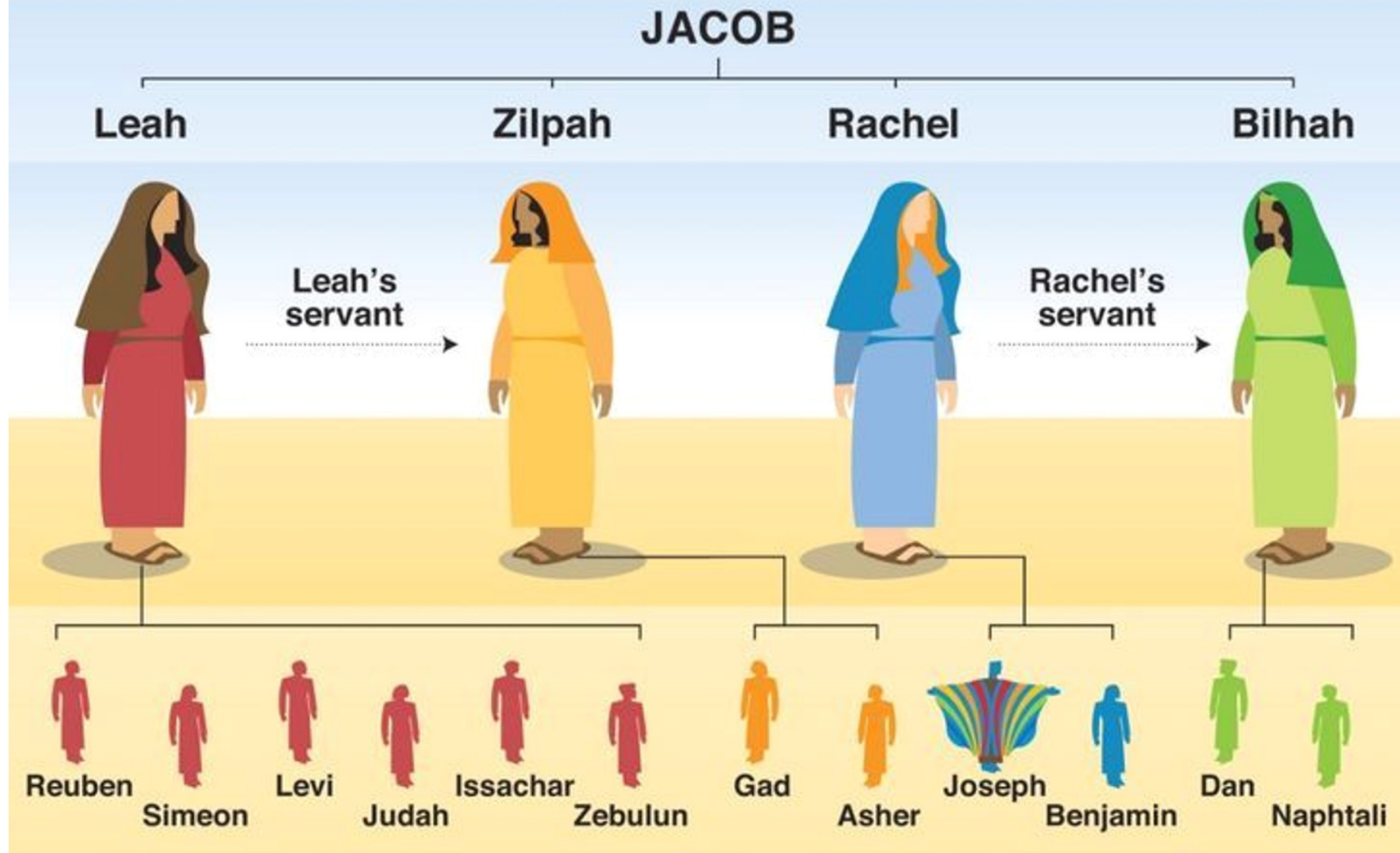
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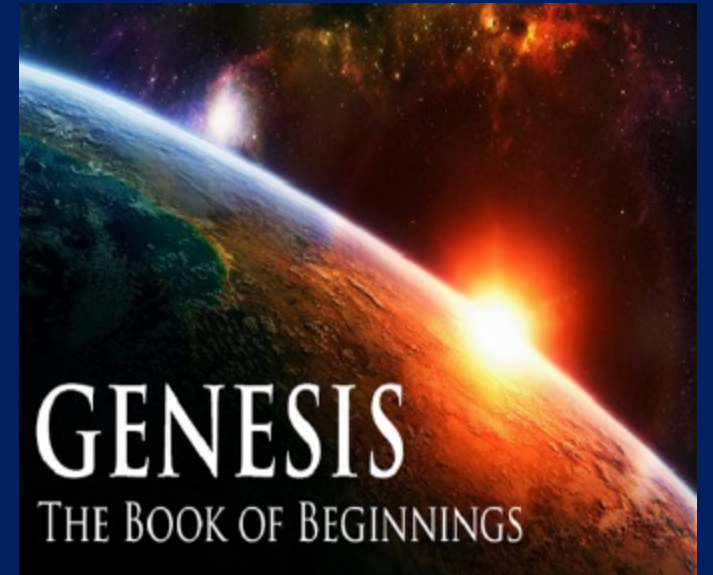
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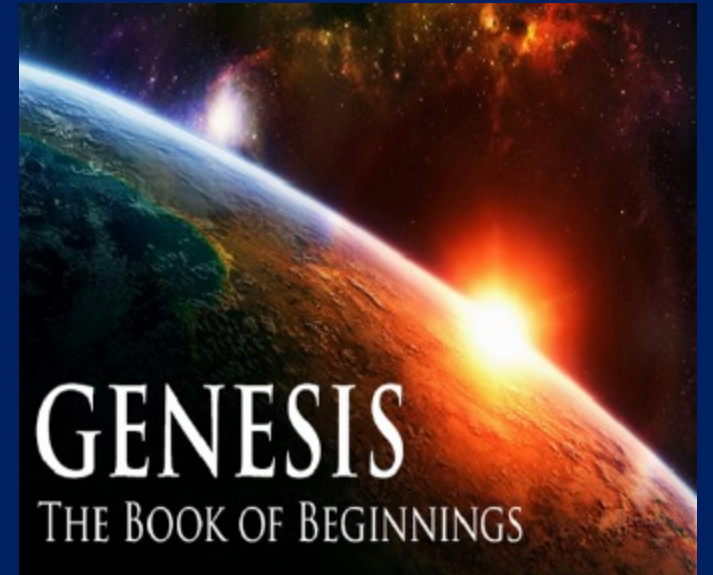
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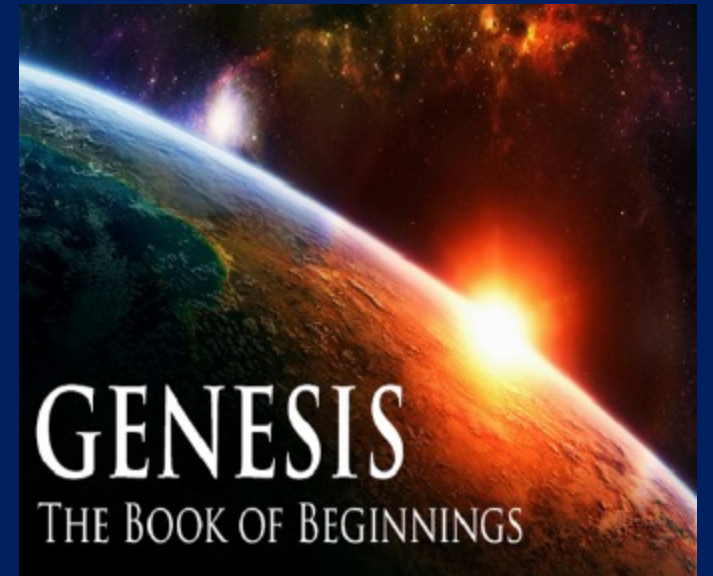
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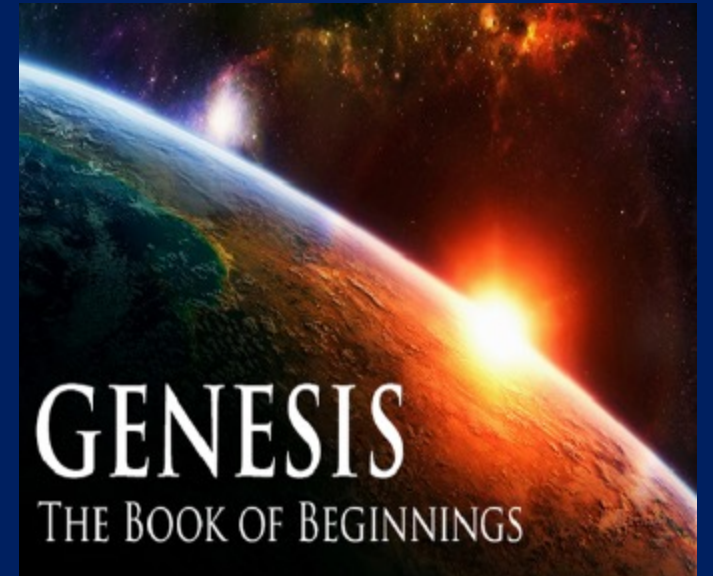
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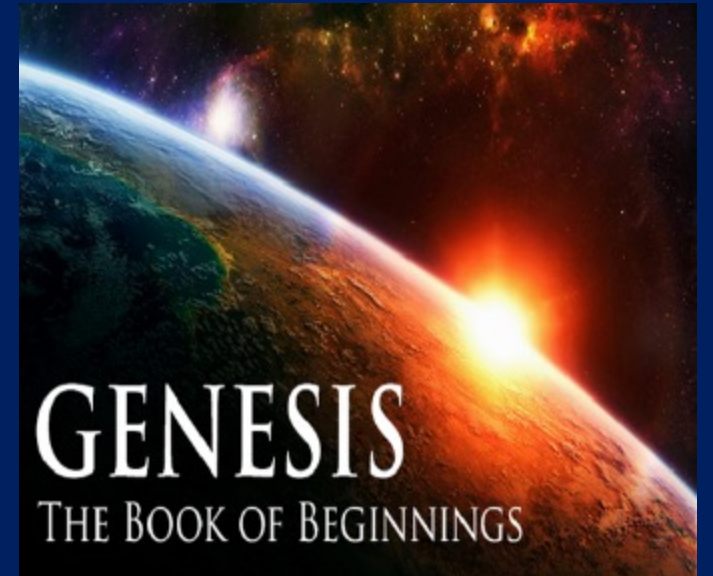
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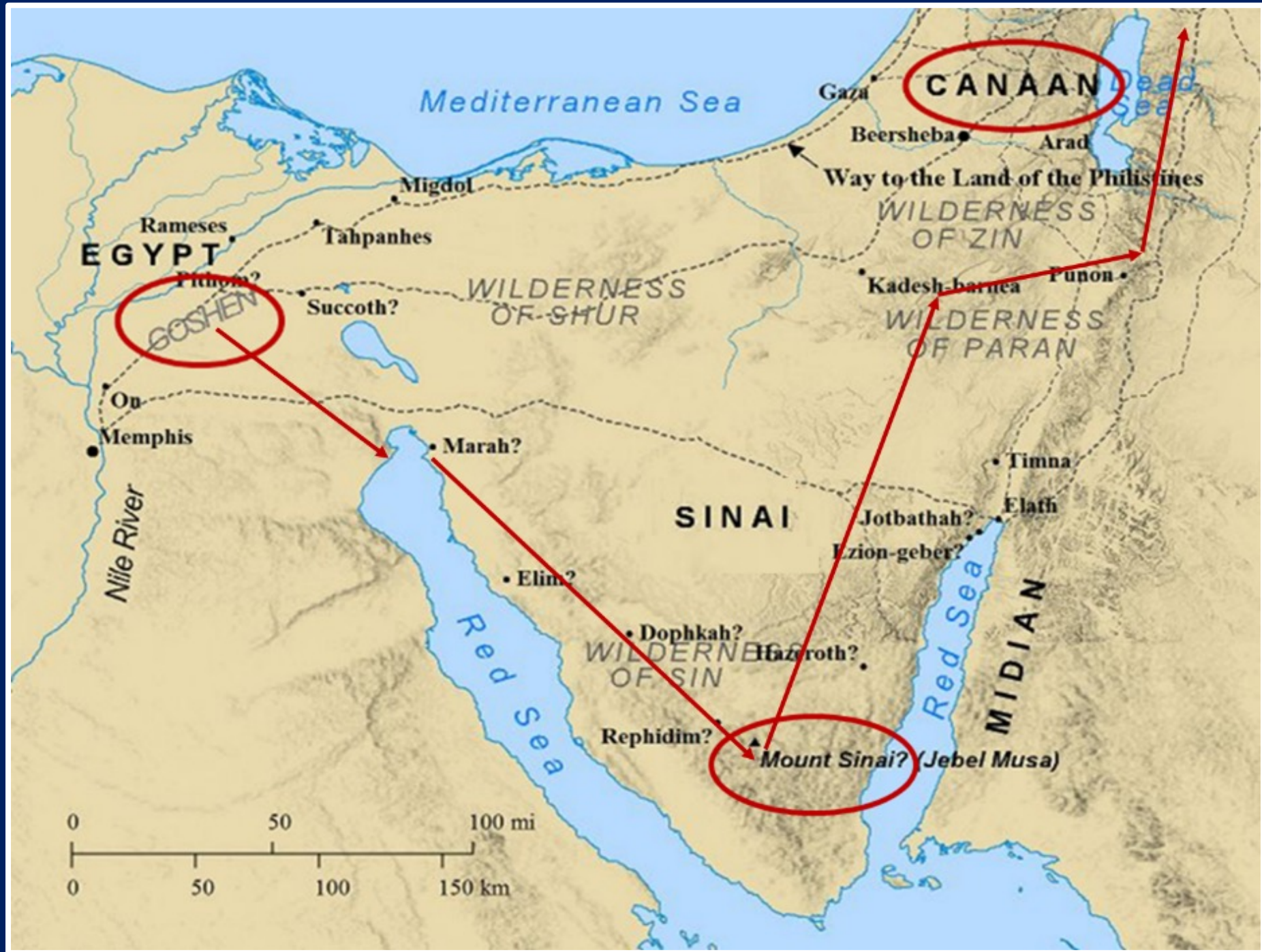


**This is salvation by works.**

## God says...



**This is salvation by God's grace.**





## Numbers 13:32-33

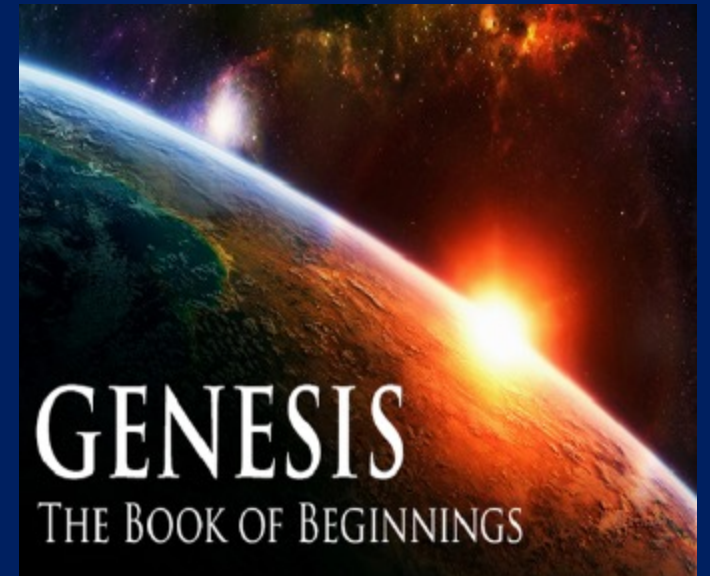
<sup>32</sup> So they gave out to the sons of Israel a bad report of the land which they had spied out, saying, “The land through which we have gone, in spying it out, is a land that devours its inhabitants; and all the people whom we saw in it are men of great size. <sup>33</sup> There also we saw the Nephilim (the sons of Anak are part of the Nephilim); and we became like grasshoppers in our own sight, and so we were in their sight.”



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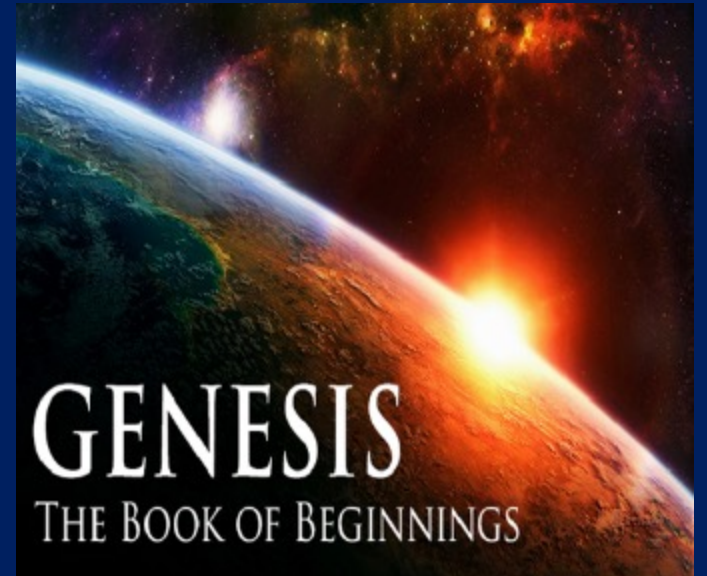




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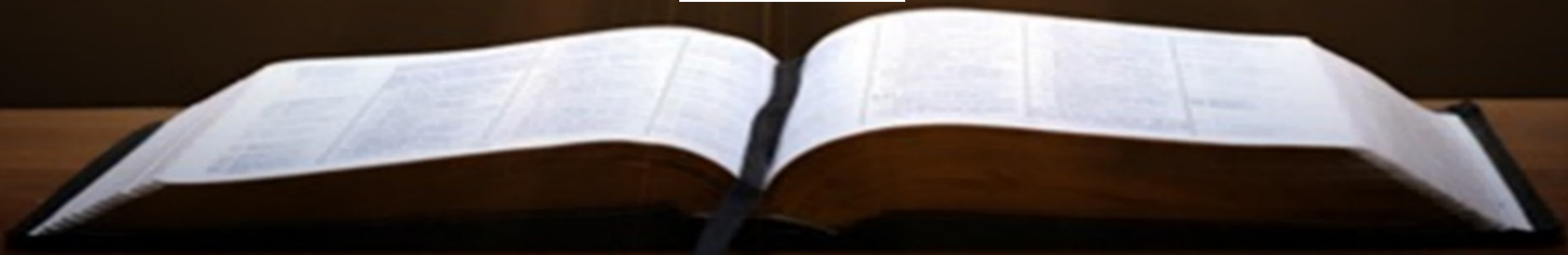
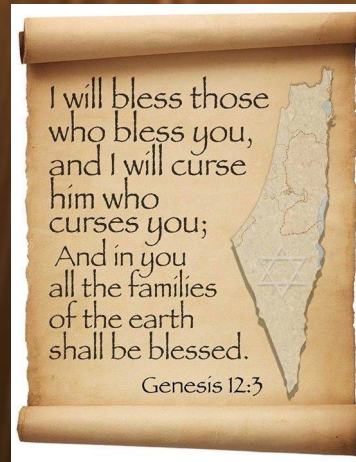
## Genesis 12:1-3

- A. Land (Gen. 12:1b)
- B. Great nation (Gen. 12:2a)
- C. Personal blessing (Gen. 12:2b)
- D. Great name (Gen. 12:2c)
- E. Blessing to others (Gen. 12:2d)
- F. Blessing to blessers (Gen. 12:3a)
- G. Cursing to cursers (Gen. 12:3b)
- H. Blessing to the world (Gen. 12:3c)



## Genesis 12:2

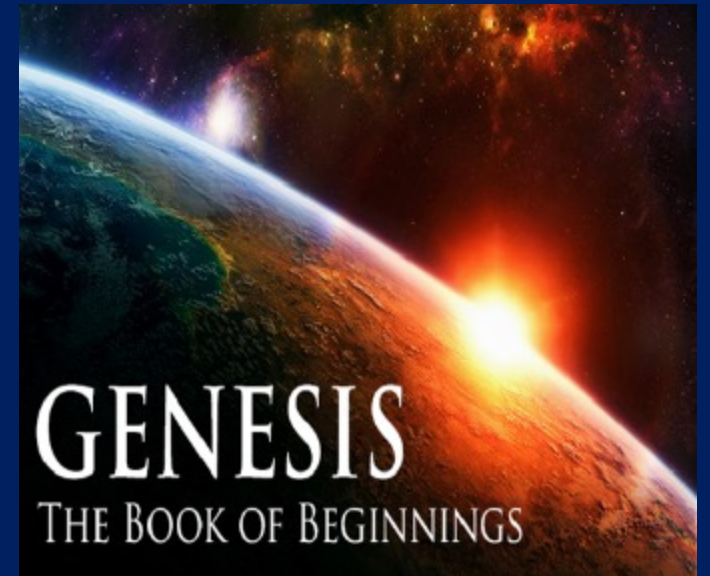
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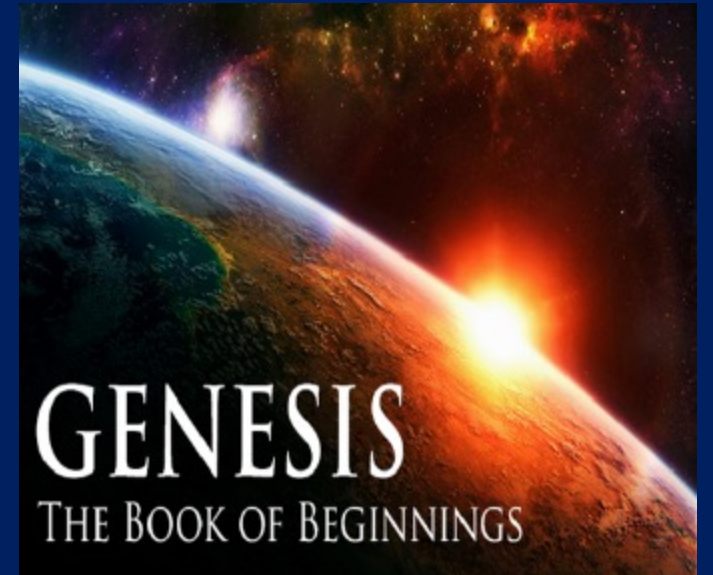


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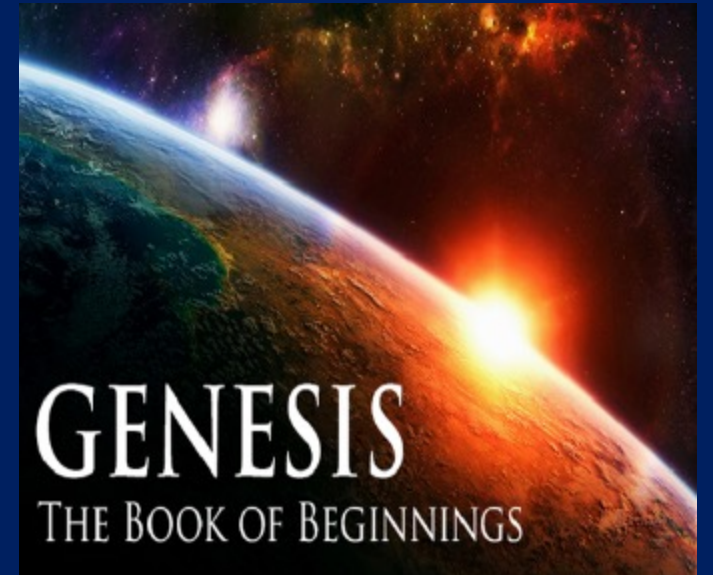
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## Ephesians 1:3

“Blessed *be* the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places in Christ.”



# The 7 Churches in Revelation

Rev. 1:11





## Revelation 2:9

“I know your tribulation and your poverty (but you are rich), and the blasphemy by those who say they are Jews and are not, but are a synagogue of Satan.”

Descendants  
of Israel

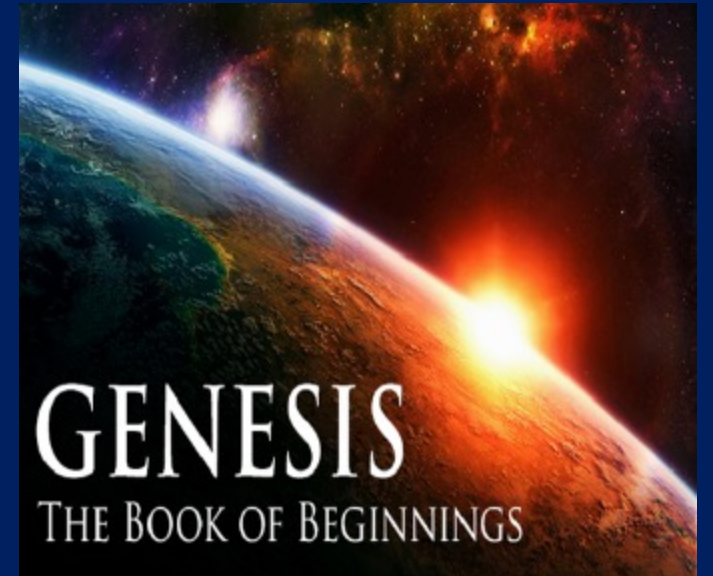
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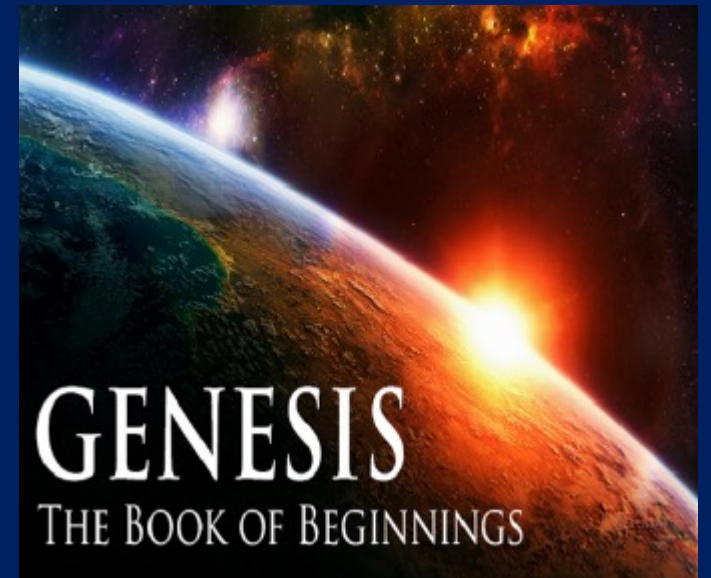
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**Edom  
in  
Isaiah's  
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ISRAEL  
AMMON

Jerusalem

PHILISTIA  
JUDAH

Beer-sheba  
Kadesh-  
barnea

MOAB

Bozrah

Teman

EDOM

*Sinai*

Ezion-geber

Gulf of  
Aqaba

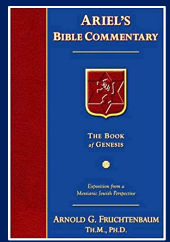
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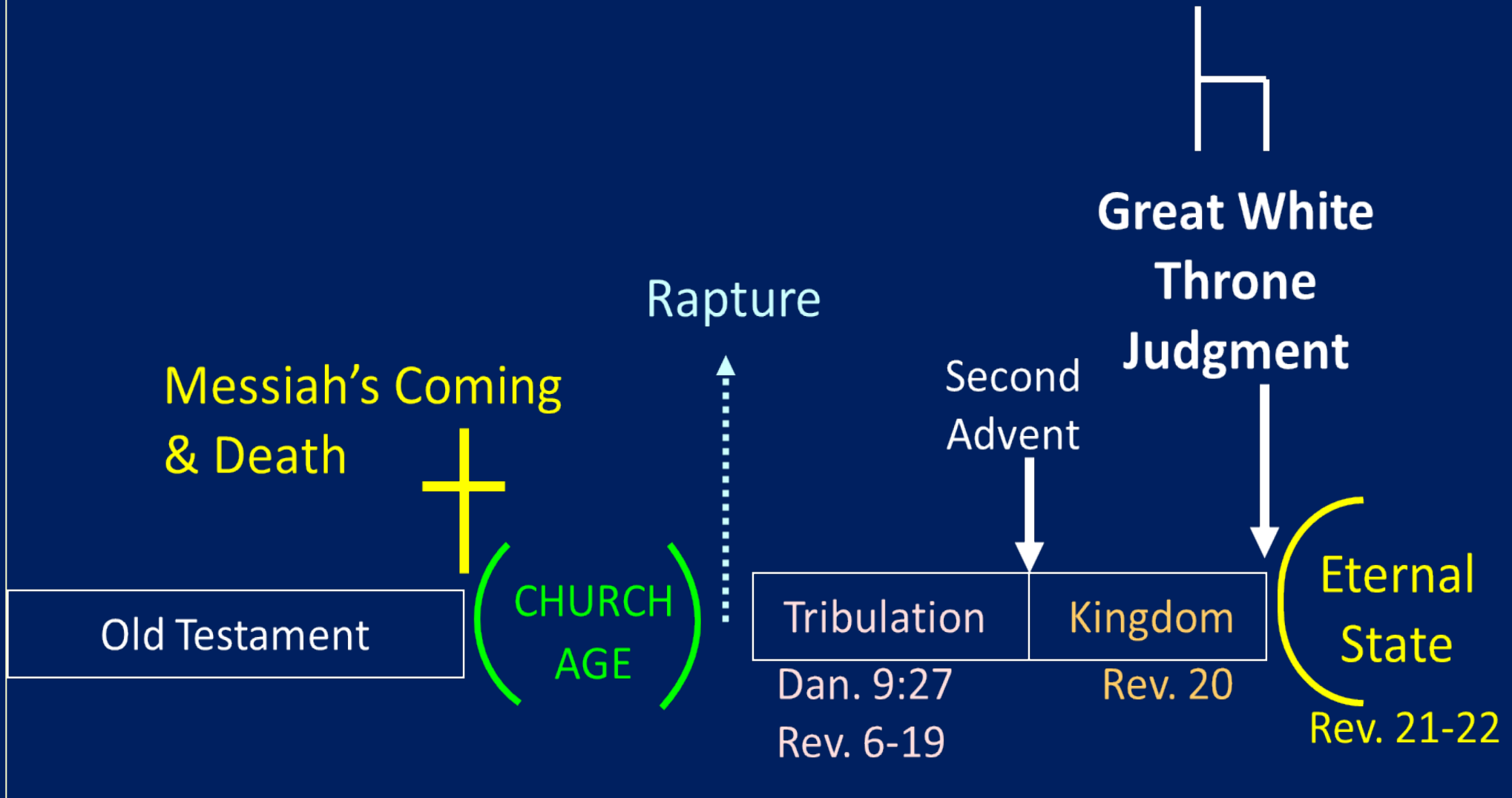
# Dr. Arnold G. Fruchtenbaum

*The Book of Genesis, 488*



*“...according to the pace of the cattle that are before me and according to the pace of the children, until I come unto my lord unto Seir. Nevertheless, as the context will show, Jacob did not head to Seir, nor is there any record of Jacob every going to Seir later. According to rabbinic interpretation, Jacob will visit Esau in the day of the Messiah, and the reconciliation between Israel and Edom will become complete. Thus the rabbis interpreted Jacob’s promise to be fulfilled in the Messianic Kingdom. Rashi wrote: ‘Jacob intended to go to Succoth. When will he keep his promise to go to Seir? In the days of the Messiah,’ quoting Obadiah 21.”*

# Prophecy Panorama



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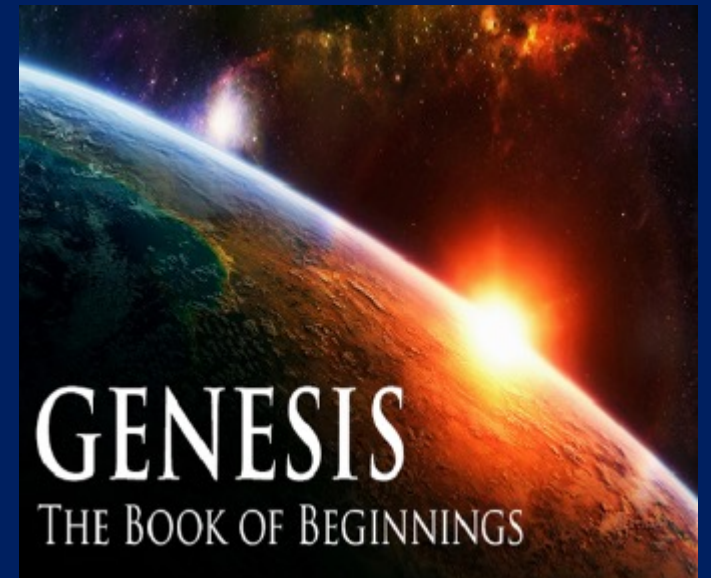




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# The City of Shechem

During the Time of Jacob

THE GREAT SEA  
(Mediterranean Sea)



Karnaim

Ashtaroth

Edrei

Beth-Shan

MT. GILBOA

MT. EBAL

MT. GERIZIM  
Shechem  
JACOB'S WELL

MT. EPHRAIM

Succoth  
Penuel

MT. GILEAD

Rabbath-ammon

Jericho

Jerusalem  
(Jebus Salem)

Bethlehem

MT. NEBO

SALT SEA  
(DEAD SEA)

0 25 Miles

Bible History Online



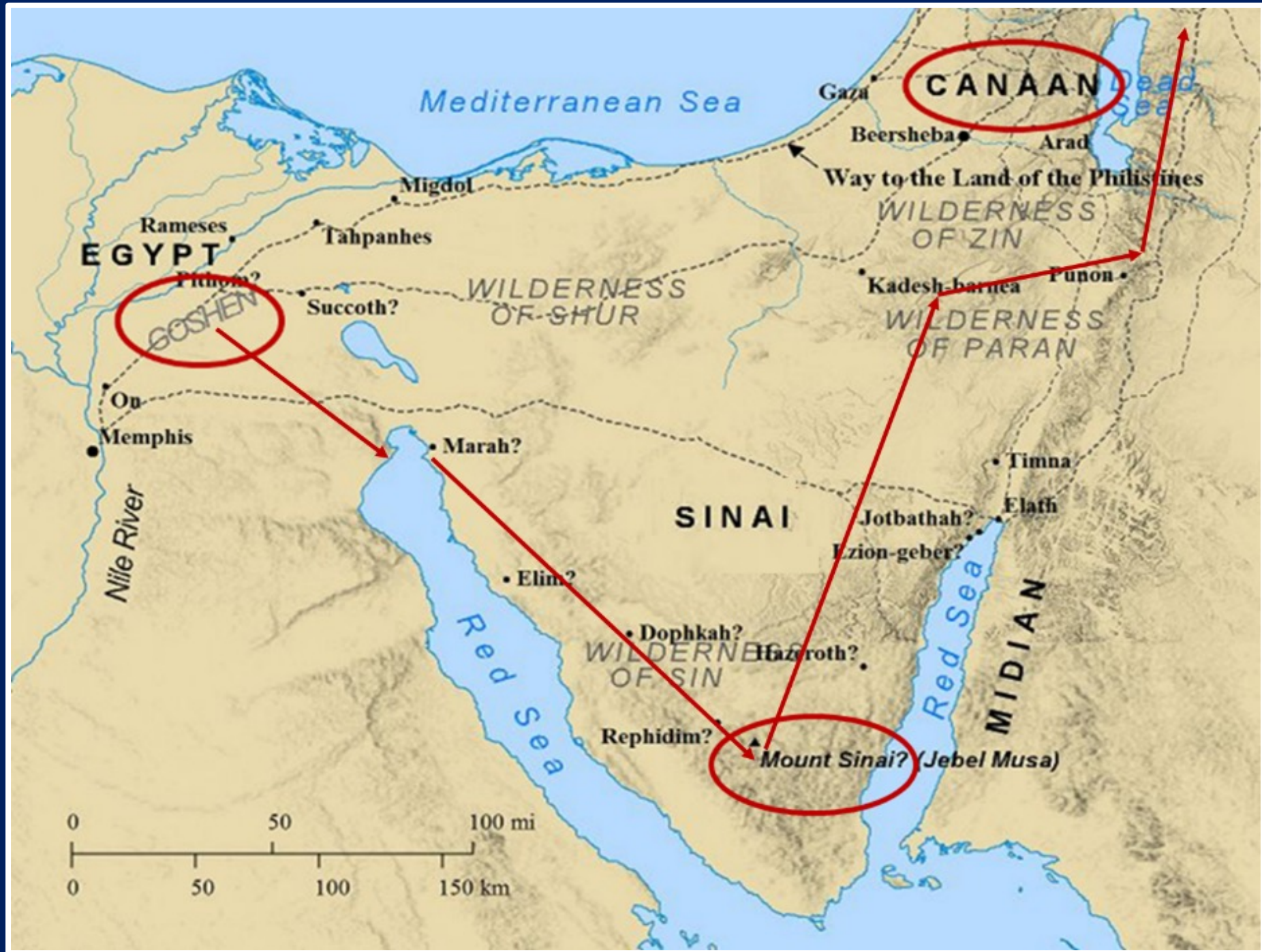
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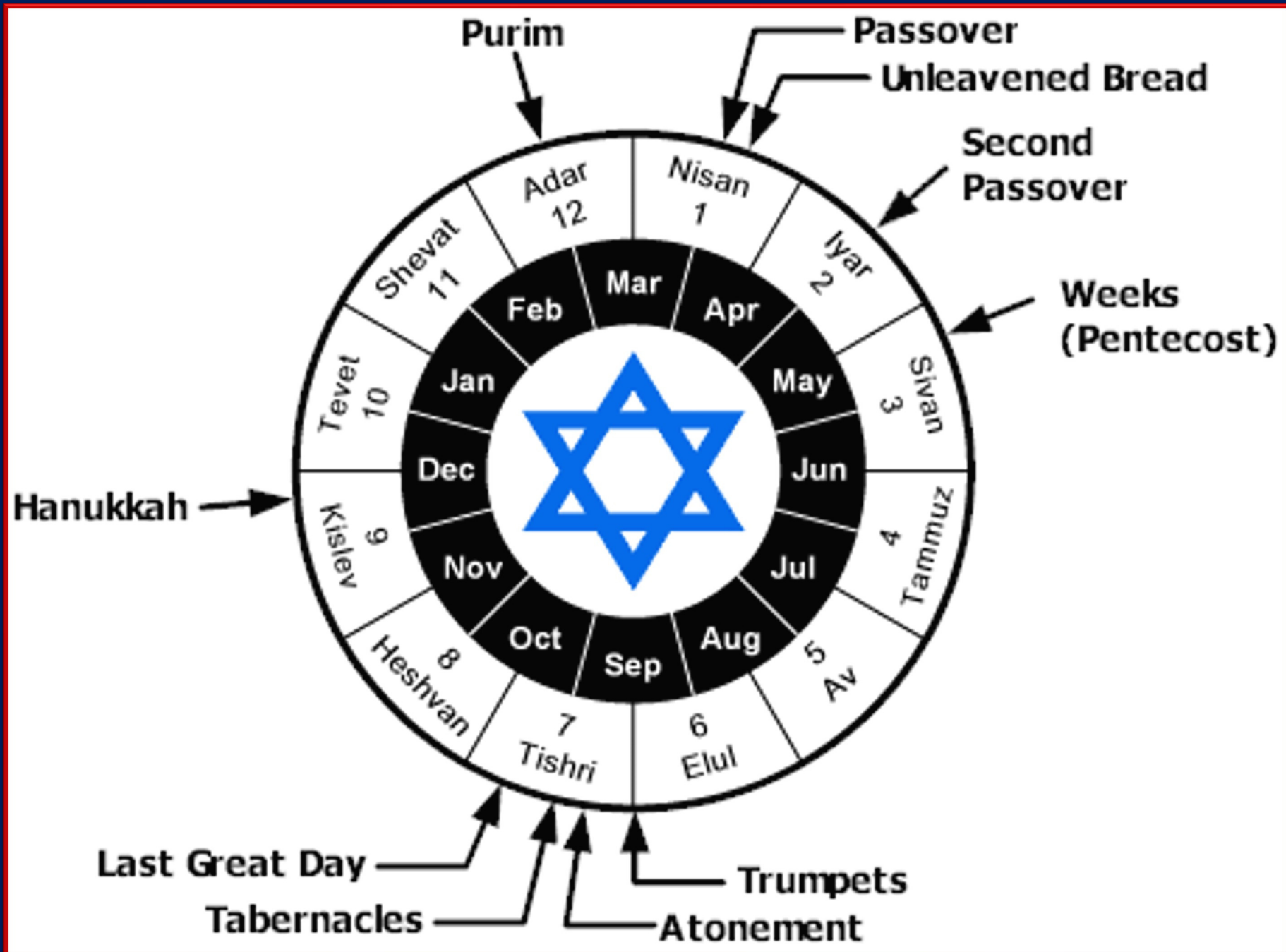
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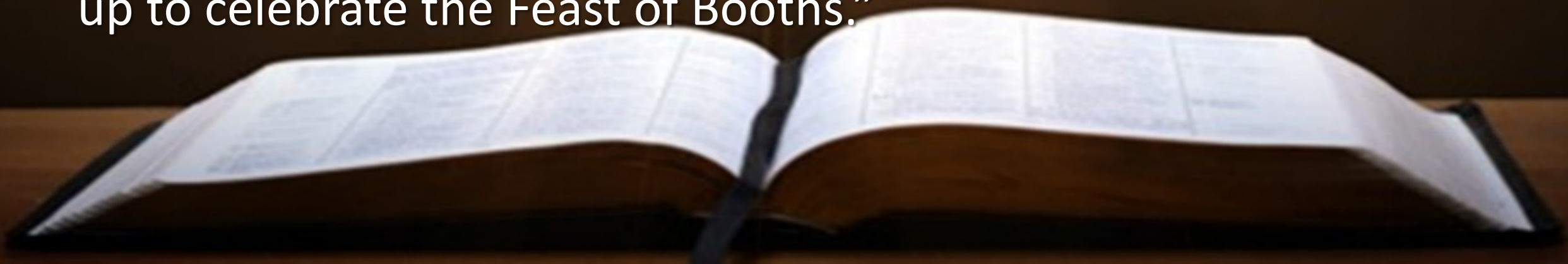


## Levitical Feasts (Leviticus 23)

<b>Feast</b>	<b>Season</b>	<b>Purpose</b>	<b>Type</b>
<b>Passover</b>	Spring	Redemption	1 Cor 5:7
<b>Unleavened Bread</b>	Spring	Separation	John 6:35
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Fruits</b>	Spring	Praise	1 Cor 15:20
<b>Pentecost</b>	Spring	Praise	Acts 2:1-4
<b>Trumpets</b>	Fall	New Year	Matt 24:31
<b>Atonement</b>	Fall	Lev 16	Zech 12:10
<b>Booths</b>	Fall	Wilderness provision	Zech 14:16-18

## Zechariah 14:16-18

“<sup>16</sup> Then it will come about that any who are left of all the nations that went against Jerusalem will go up from year to year to worship the King, the LORD of hosts, and to celebrate the **Feast of Booths**. <sup>17</sup> And it will be that whichever of the families of the earth does not go up to Jerusalem to worship the King, the LORD of hosts, there will be no rain on them. <sup>18</sup> If the family of Egypt does not go up or enter, then no *rain will fall* on them; it will be the plague with which the LORD smites the nations who do not go up to celebrate the Feast of Booths.”



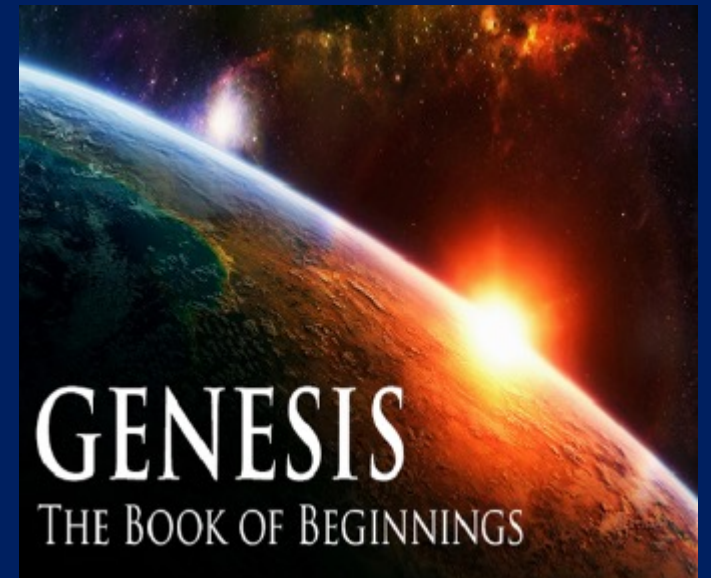
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<sup>24</sup> The LORD bless you, and keep you; <sup>25</sup> The LORD make His face shine on you, And be gracious to you; <sup>26</sup> The LORD lift up His countenance on you, And give you peace.

Numbers 6:24–26 (NASB95)