

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 37:2-36

Joseph Sold unto Egypt

- I. Joseph's coat (37:2-4)
- II. Joseph's dreams (37:5-11)
- III. Joseph's pit (37:12-24)
- IV. Joseph's enslavement (37:25-36)



Genesis 38:1-30

Judah & Tamar

- I. Tamar & Judah's sons (38:1-11)
- II. Tamar & Judah (38:12-26)
- III. Tamar & Judah's twins (38:27-30)



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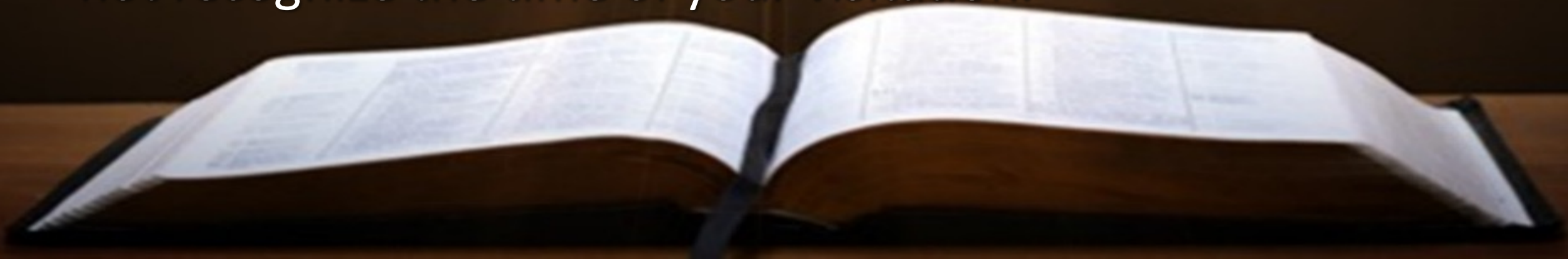
Genesis 25:23

“The Lord said to her, ‘**Two nations are in your womb**; And two peoples will be separated from your body; And one people shall be stronger than the other; And the older shall serve the younger.’”



Luke 19:42-44

“⁴² saying, ‘If you had known in this day, even you, the things which make for peace! But now they have been hidden from your eyes. ⁴³ For the days will come upon you when your enemies will throw up a barricade against you, and surround you and hem you in on every side, ⁴⁴ and they will level you to the ground and your children within you, and they will not leave in you one stone upon another, because you did not recognize the time of your visitation.’”



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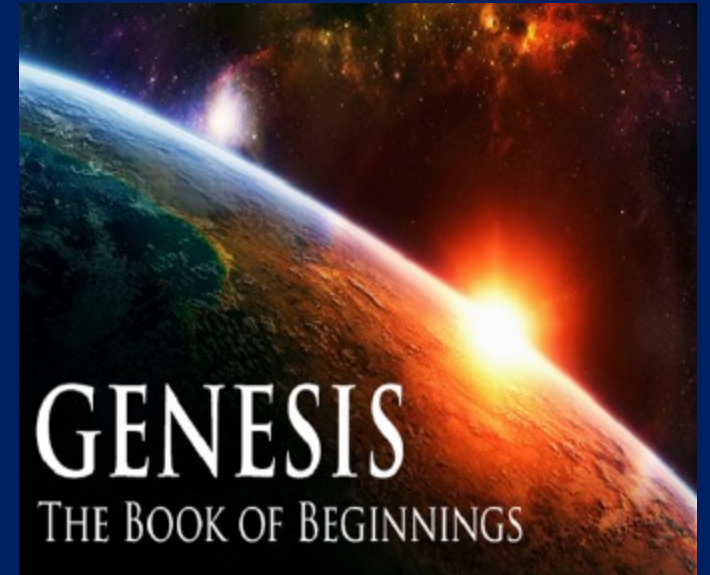
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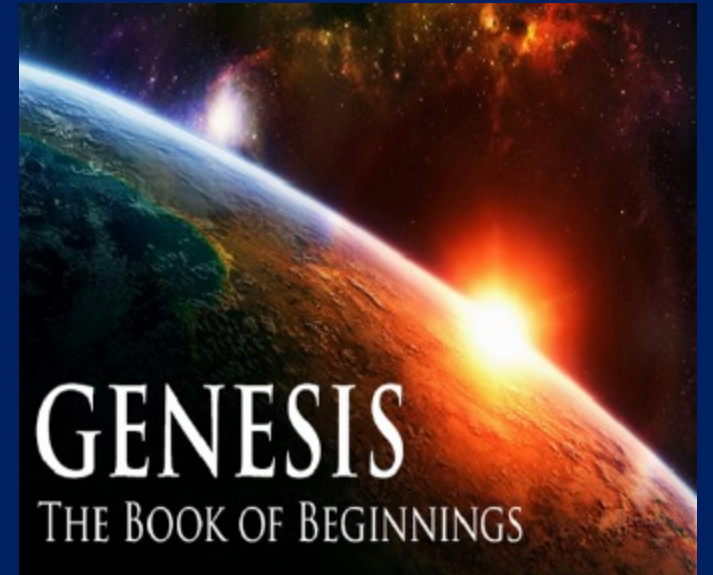
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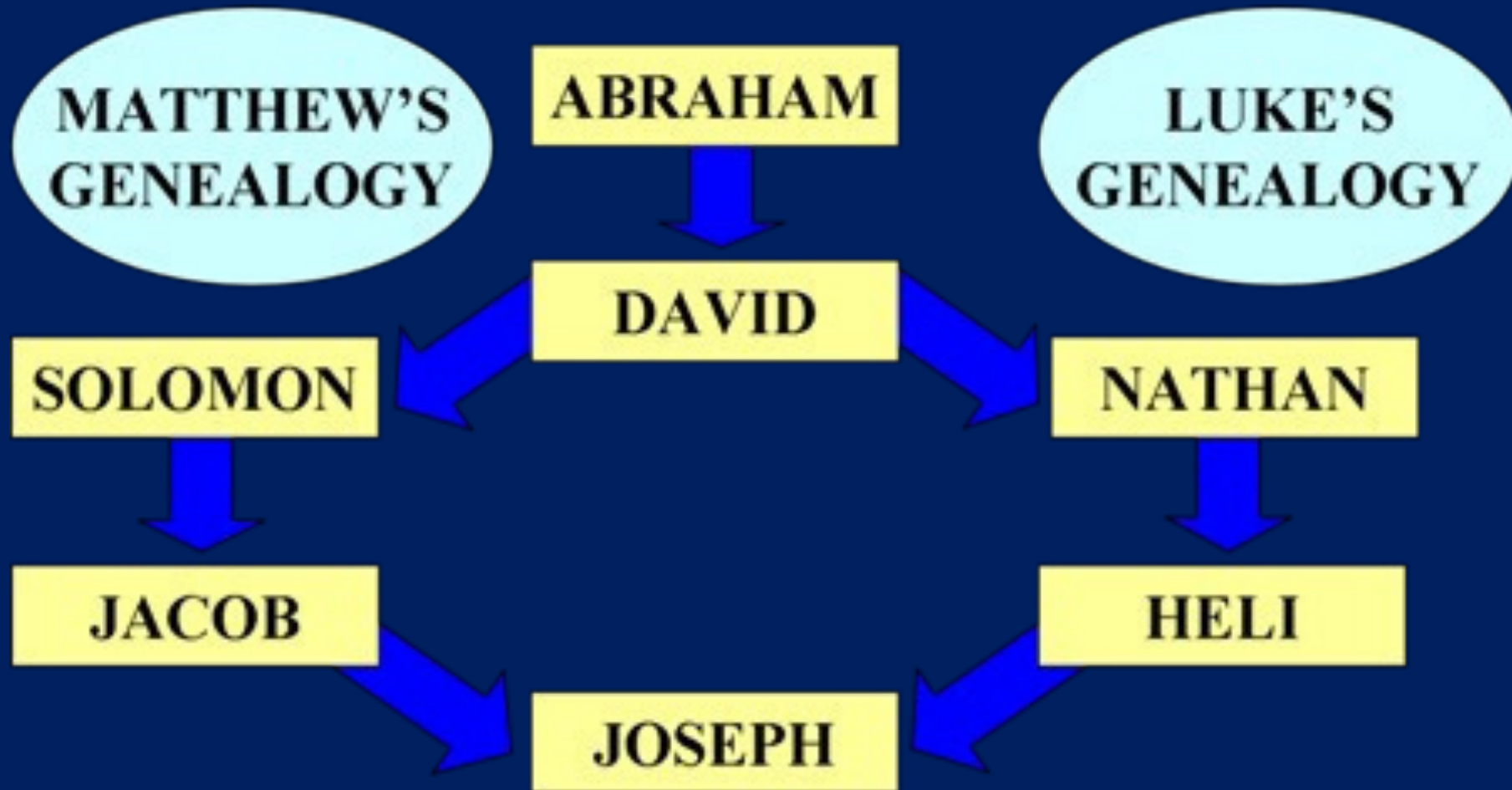
(Genesis 4:3-8)



■ 4:3-5a

- ◆ Messianic line through Abel (Gen 3:21; Heb 11:4) contrary to Eve's false expectation (4:1)
- ◆ Begins selection of younger over older pattern (Abel over Cain, Seth over Cain, Shem over Japheth, Isaac over Ishmael, Jacob over Esau, Judah and Joseph over their brothers, and Ephraim over Manasseh)

To Circumvent Jeconiah's Curse



Jesus Genealogy According to Matthew

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Romans 8:29–30

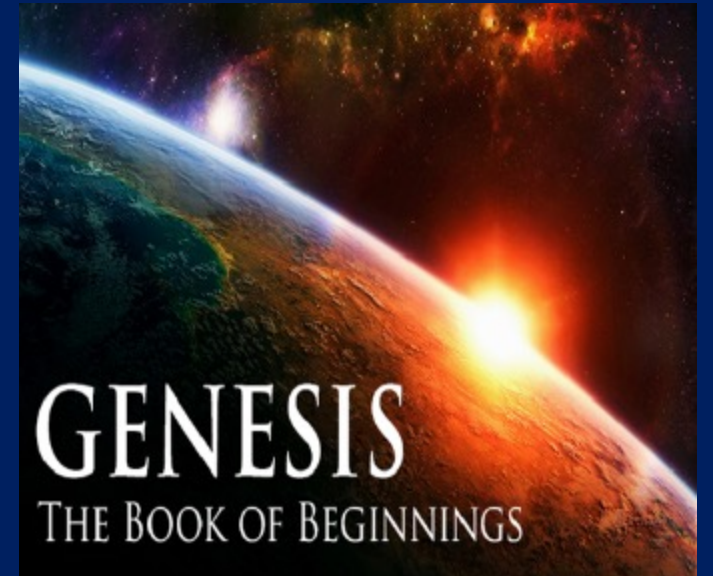
29 For those whom He **foreknew**, He also **predestined** *to become* conformed to the image of His Son, so that He would be the firstborn among many brethren; 30 and these whom He predestined, He also called; and these whom He **called**, He also justified; and these whom He **justified**, He also **glorified**.

Where's **sanctification**?

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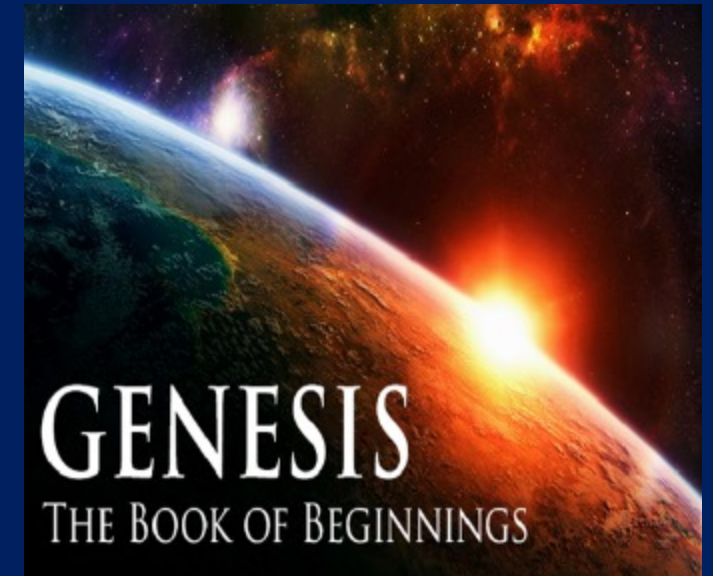
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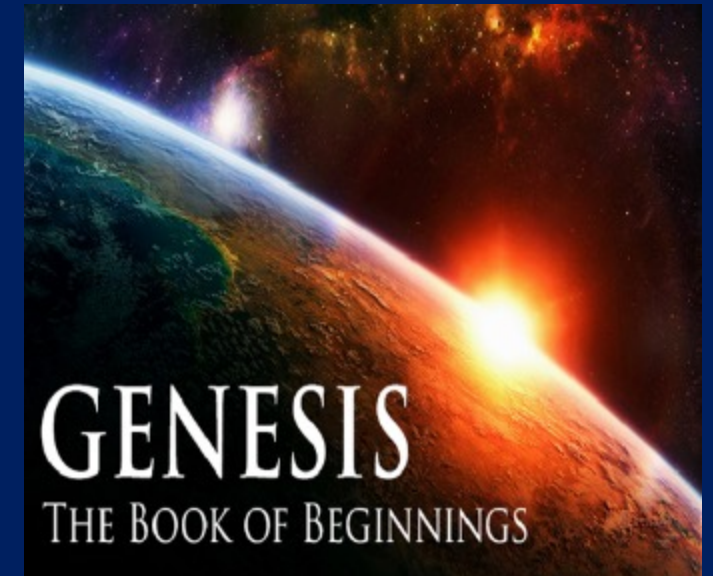
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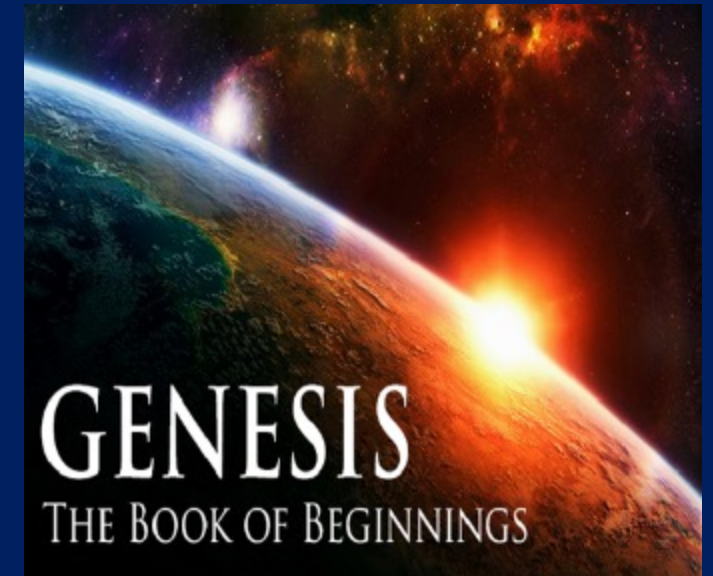
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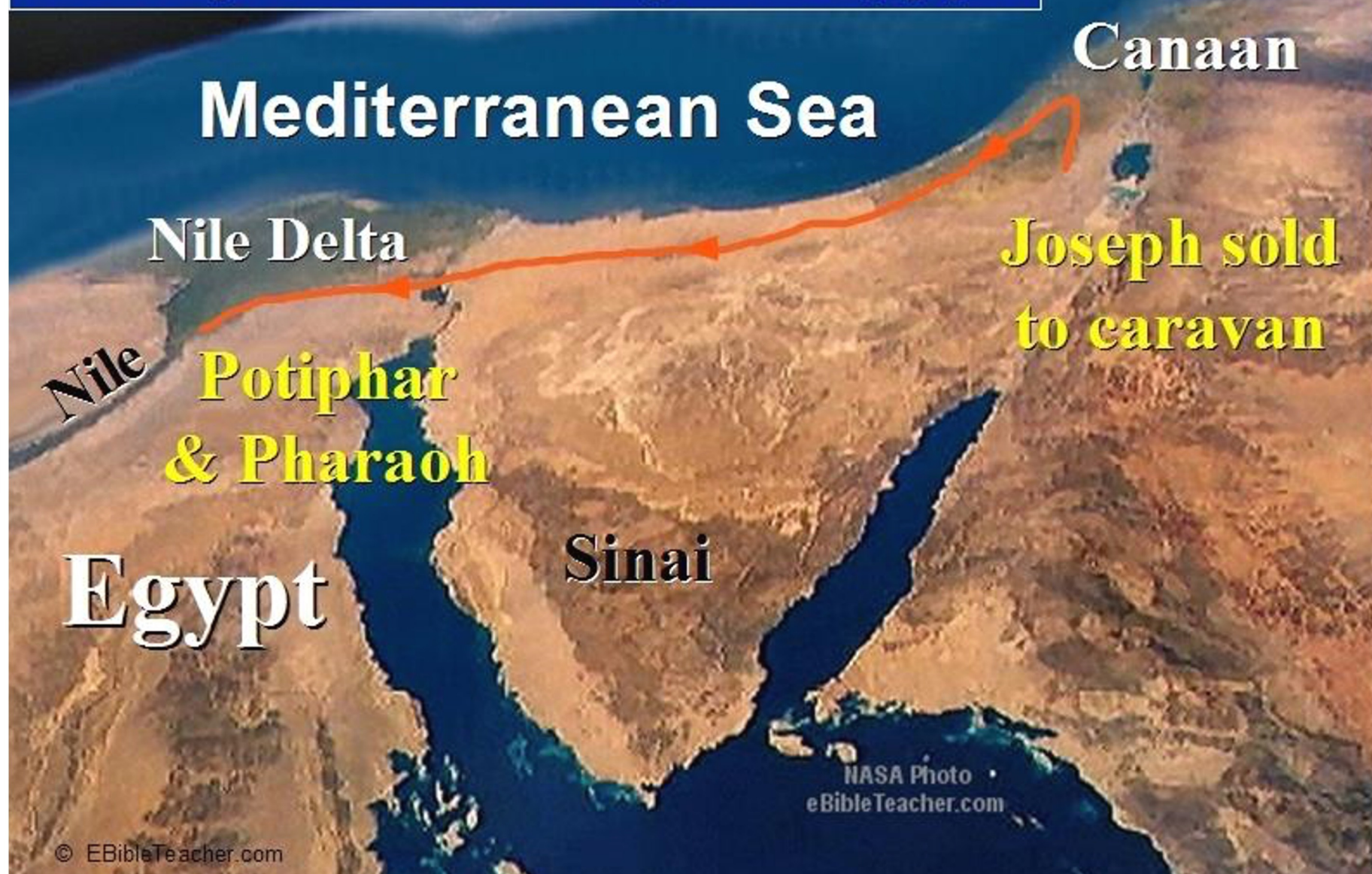
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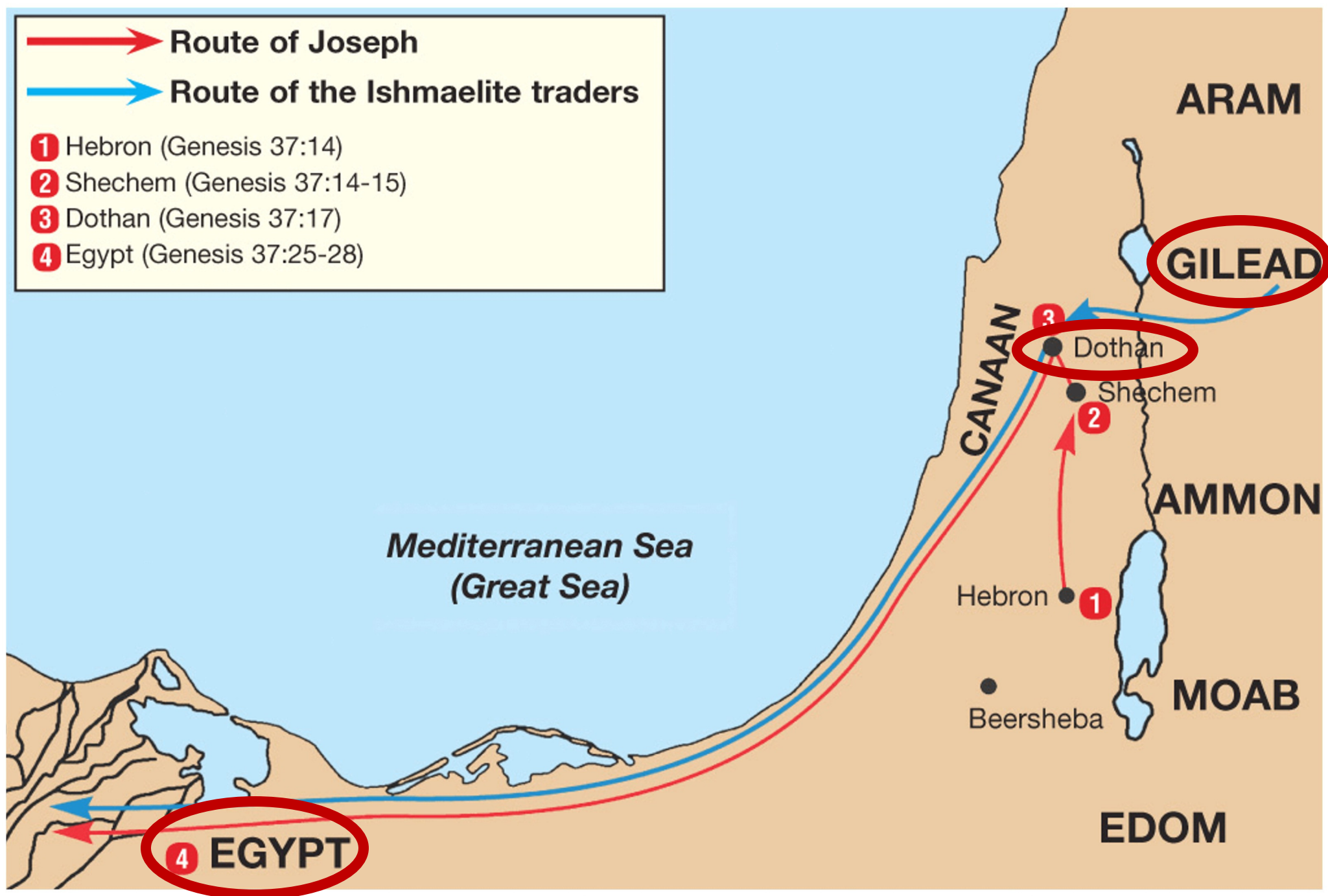


Joseph's Journey to Egypt



 **Route of Joseph**
 **Route of the Ishmaelite traders**

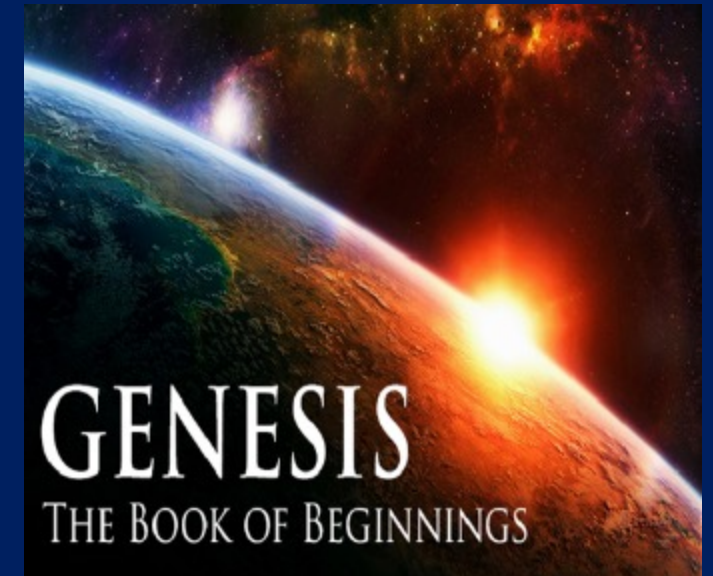
- 1** Hebron (Genesis 37:14)
- 2** Shechem (Genesis 37:14-15)
- 3** Dothan (Genesis 37:17)
- 4** Egypt (Genesis 37:25-28)



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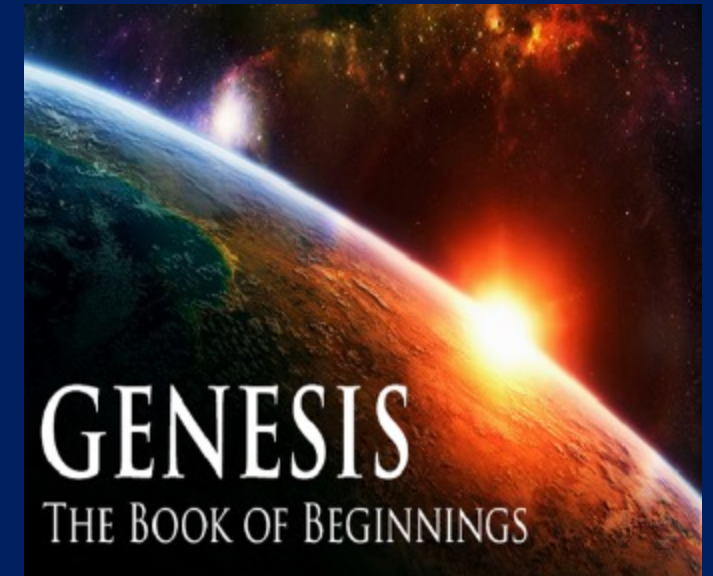
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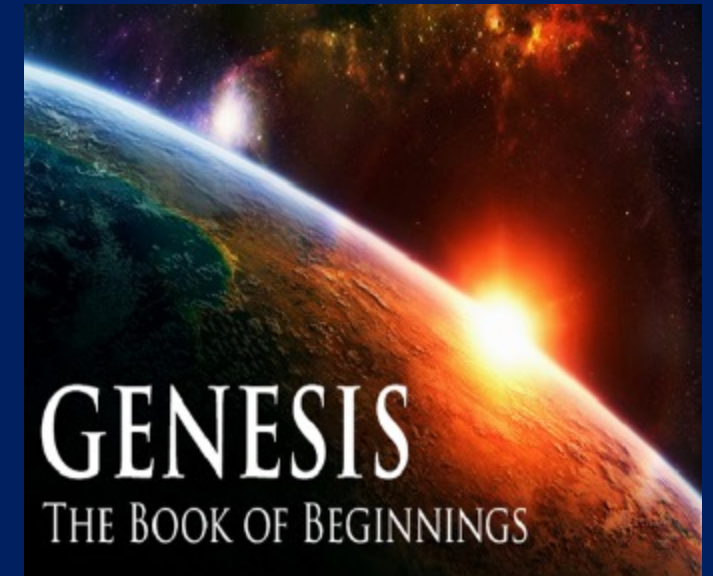
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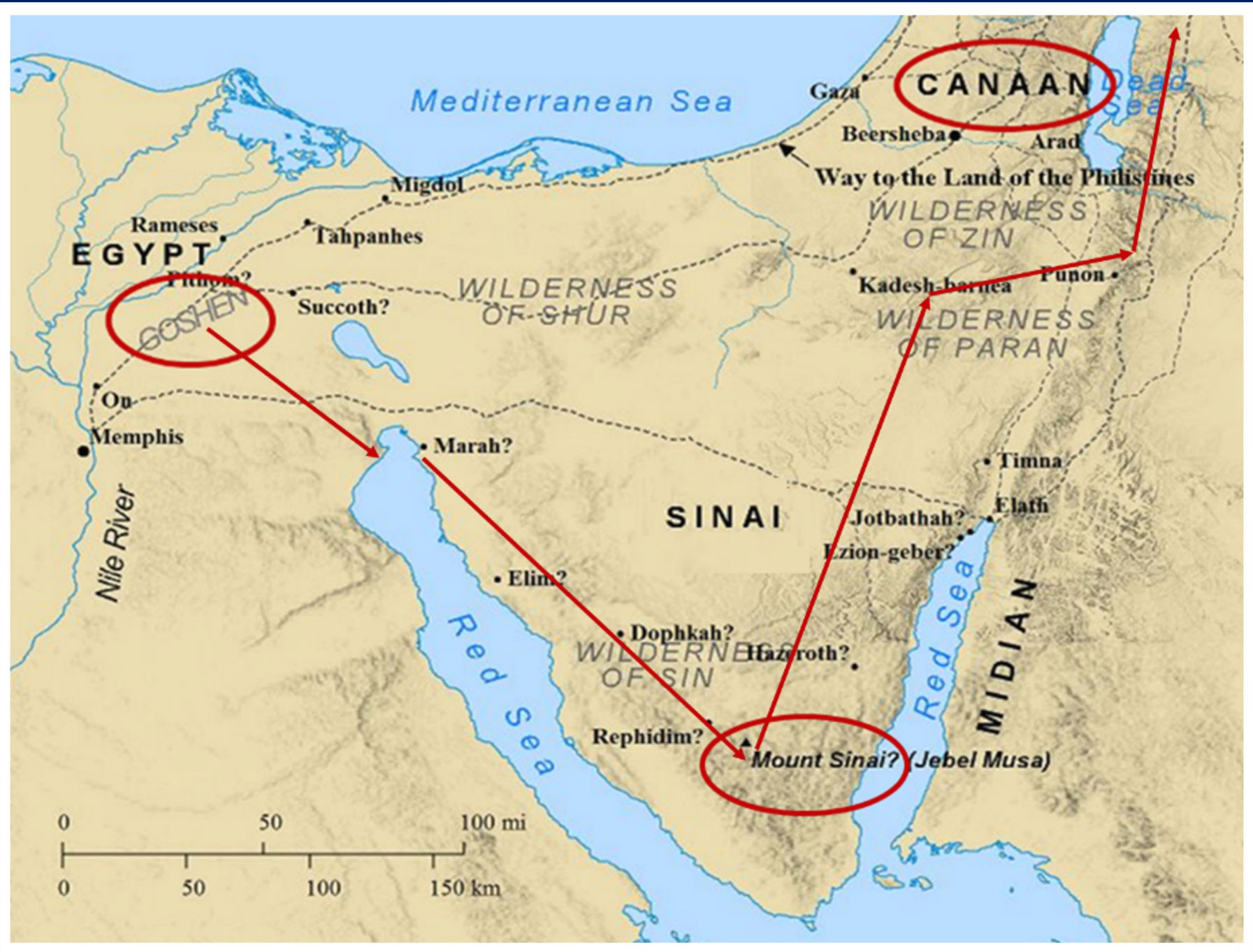


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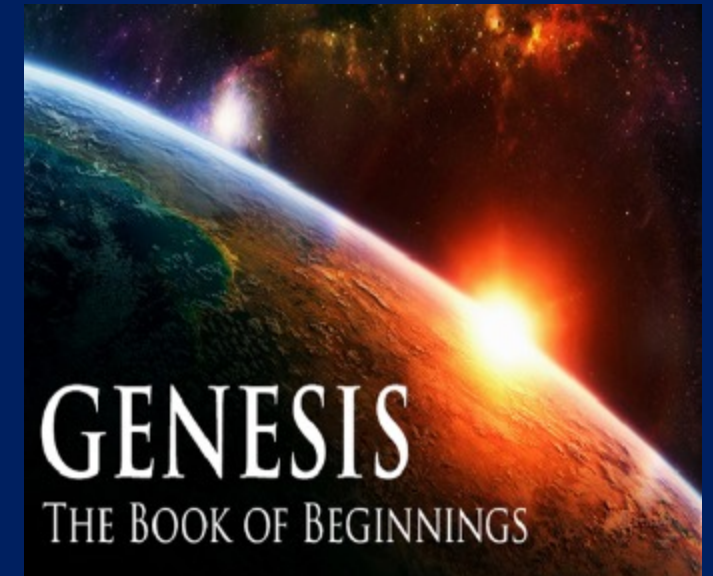
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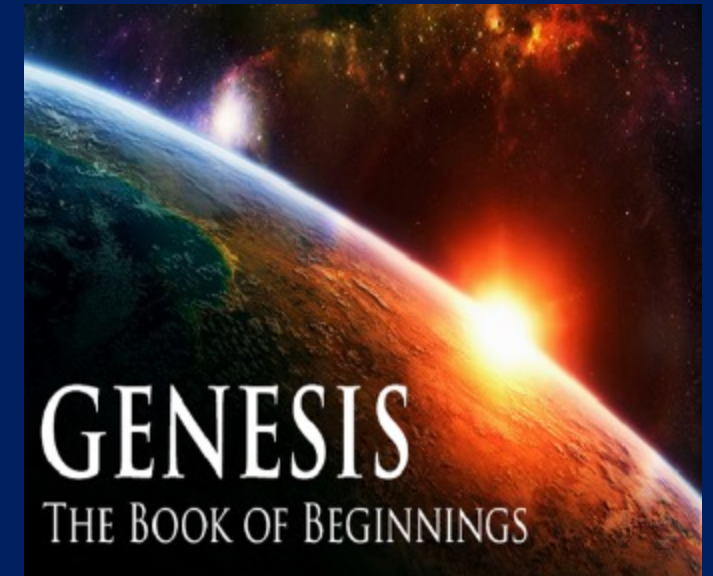
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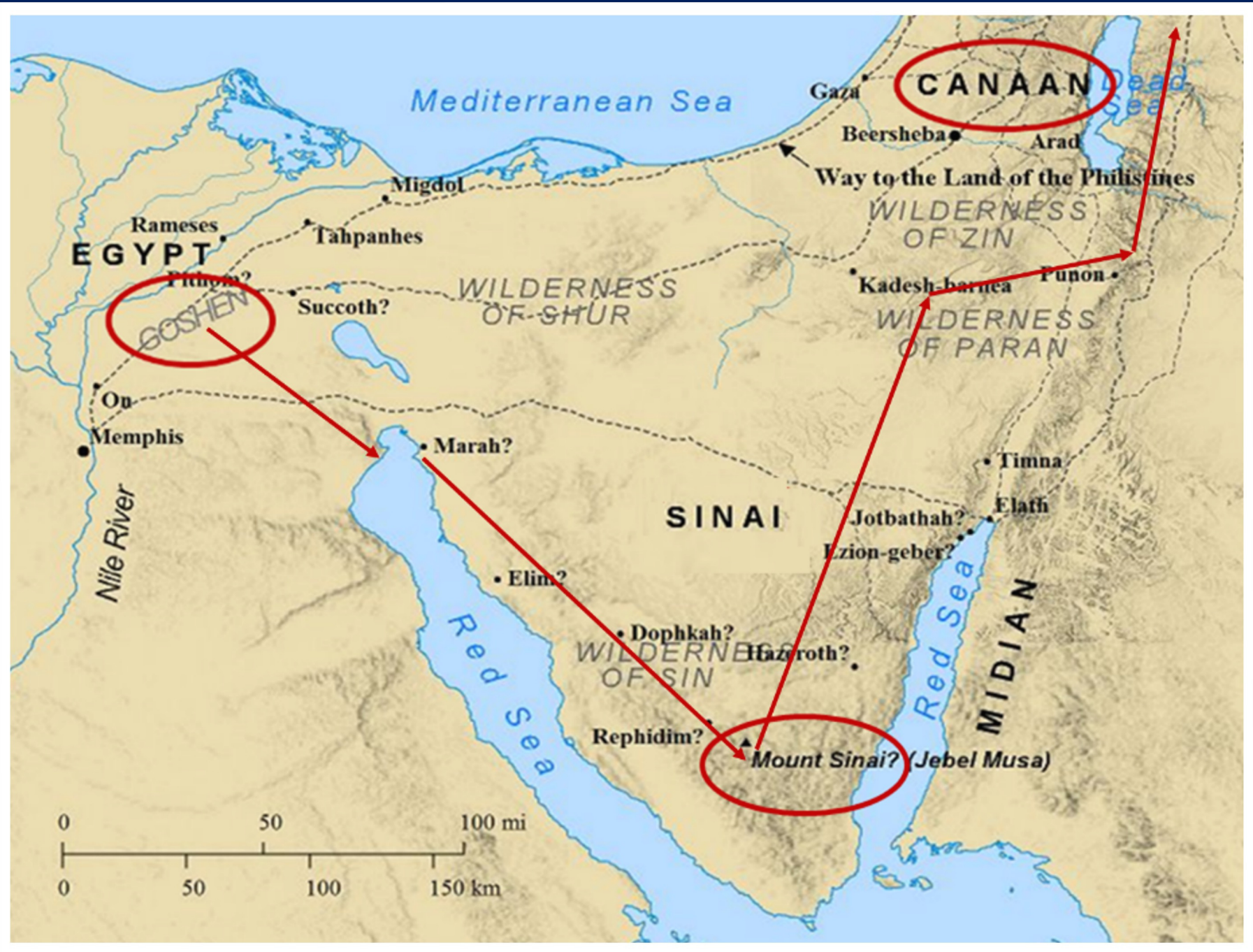
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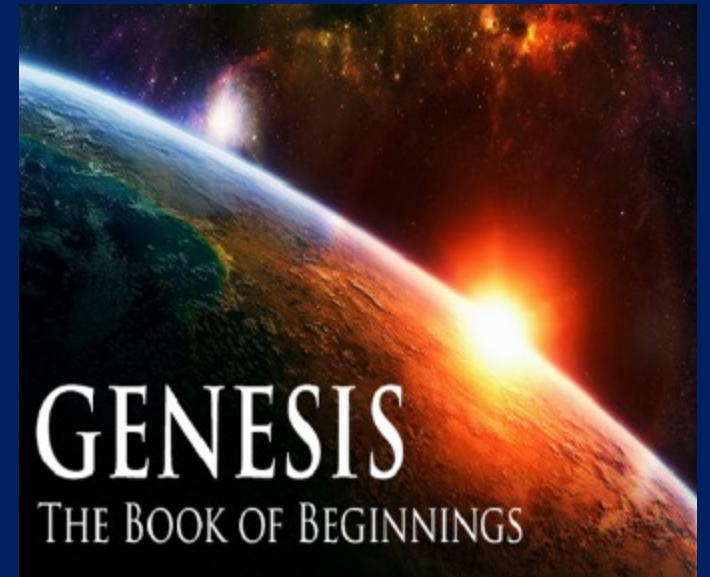
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²⁴ The LORD bless you, and keep you; ²⁵ The LORD make His face shine on you, And be gracious to you; ²⁶ The LORD lift up His countenance on you, And give you peace.

Numbers 6:24–26 (NASB95)