



COURSE: BIBLE HISTORY

SUBJECT: JOSHUA THROUGH NEHEMIAH – HISTORY OF THE HEBREW NATION

LESSON NO. 41 - THE DIVIDED KINGDOM (CONTINUED)

- A. Revelation of The Redeeming Purpose *Gen. 1:1-11:9.*
1. The Hebrew Family *Gen. 11:10-50:26.*
 2. The Israelite Nation *Exodus-Nehemiah.*
 - a. Bondage *Exod. 1:1-7:7.*
 - b. Wonders -The Ten Plagues *Exod. 7:8-12:36.*
 - c. Exodus Wandering *Exod. 12:37-Num. 21:20.*
 - d. Conquest of The East Bank *Num. 21:21-36:13.*
 - e. Conquest of Canaan *Josh. 1-12.*
 - f. Division of the Land of Canaan *Josh. 13-22.*
 - g. The Judges *Judges 1:1-1 Samuel 8.*
 - h. The United Kingdom *1 Sam. 9:1-1 Kings 11:43.*
 - i. The Divided Kingdom *1 Kings 12:1-Neh. 13:31.*
 - (1) Division of Solomon’s Empire at his Death.
 - (2) History of Divided Kingdom.
 - (3) Elements Contributing to the Division in 931 B.C.
 - (4) The Result of Jeroboam’s Sin in Erecting Two Golden Calves.
 - (5) The First 100 Years of Division.
 - (a) The Kings of This Period

JUDAH		ISRAEL	
Rehoboam	17 Yrs.	Jeroboam	22 Yrs.
Abijah	3 Yrs.	Nadab	2 Yrs.
Asa	41 Yrs.	Baasha	24 Yrs.
Jehoshaphat	25 Yrs.	Elah	2 Yrs.
Jehoram	8 Yrs.	Zimri	7 Days
Ahaziah	1 Yr.	Omri	12 Yrs.
		Ahab	22 Yrs.
		Ahaziah	2 Yrs.
		Jehoram	12 Yrs.

- (b) Outstanding Events in the South (Judah)
- Rehoboam
 - Foolishness in not listening to the wise.
 - Religious defection.
 - Losses to Shishank.
 - Wars with Jeroboam
 - Abijah
 - Temporary victory over Jeroboam.
 - Capture of Bethel and its towns.
 - Asa
 - Drastic Reformation.
 - Defeat of Zerah, the Ethiopian.
 - Success in forcing Baasha to stop building Ramah as a border blockade.

- Jehoshaphat
 - Reforms.
 - Fortifications.
 - Subjugation of Philistines, Arabians and Edomites.
 - Ill-advised alliance with Ahab.
 - Jehoram
 - Marriage with Athaliah, daughter of Ahab and Jezebel.
 - Defeat by strangers.
 - Obadiah prophesied in his reign.
 - Ahaziah
 - Violent death at hands of Jehu.
- (c) Outstanding Events in the North (Israel)
- Jeroboam
 - Calves
 - Son's death and curse on house.
 - Wars with Judah.
 - Nadab
 - Seige of the Philistines at Gibbethon.
 - Baasha
 - Destruction of the house of Jeroboam.
 - Making Tirzah capital.
 - Wars with Asa.
 - Elah
 - Tragic end at the hands of would be usurper.
 - Zimri
 - Seven day reign.
 - Suicide.
 - Omri
 - Speedy revenge on Zimri.
 - Rivalry with Tibni for Throne.
 - Purchased hill of Samaria for a capital.
 - First king of Israel mentioned by name in Assyrian inscriptions.
 - Ahab
 - Marriage to Jezebel.
 - Wars with Beh-Hada, king of Syria.
 - Ahaziah
 - Idolatry.
 - Jehoram
 - Recovery of Moab.
 - Violent death at hand of Jehu.
- (d) Non-Writing Prophets of this Period
- Ahijah and Jeroboam *1 Kings 11:29; 14:2.*
 - Shemaiah and Rehoboam *1 Kings 12:22-24; 2 Ch. 12:5.*
 - Man of God and Jeroboam *1 Kings 13.*
 - Azariah and Asa *2 Chron. 15.*
 - Jahu and Baasha *1 Kings 16.*
 - Hanani and Asa *2 Chron. 16:7-10.*
 - Jehu and Jehoshaphat *2 Chron. 19:2-3.*
 - Jahaziel and Jehoshaphat *2 Chron 20:14-19.*
 - Eliezer and Jehoshaphat *2 Chron. 20:37.*
 - Elijah and Ahab *1 Kings 16-21.*
 - Micaiah and Ahab *1 Kings 22.*
 - Elijah and Ahaziah *1 Kings 1:3-4.*
 - Elisha and Jehoshaphat *2 Kings 2:13ff.*
 - Elisha and Jehoram of Judah *2 Chron. 21:12.*
 - Anon warns Jehoram of Israel *2 Kings 6:9-10.*

