

Divided Kingdom

Lesson 9

Review: Division to Jehu

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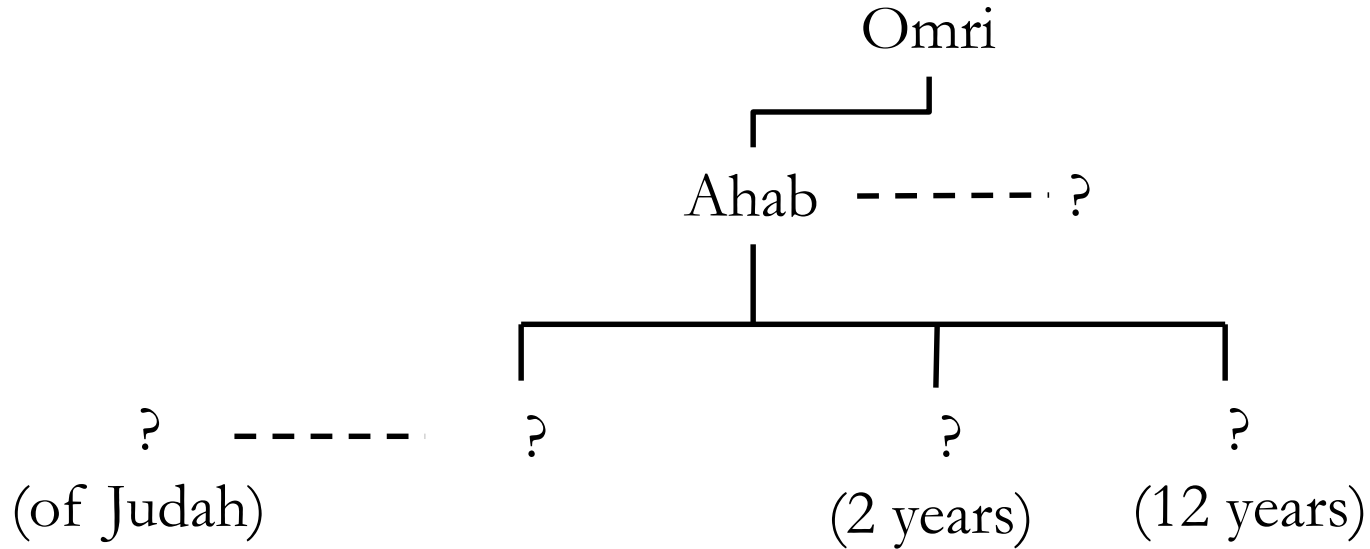
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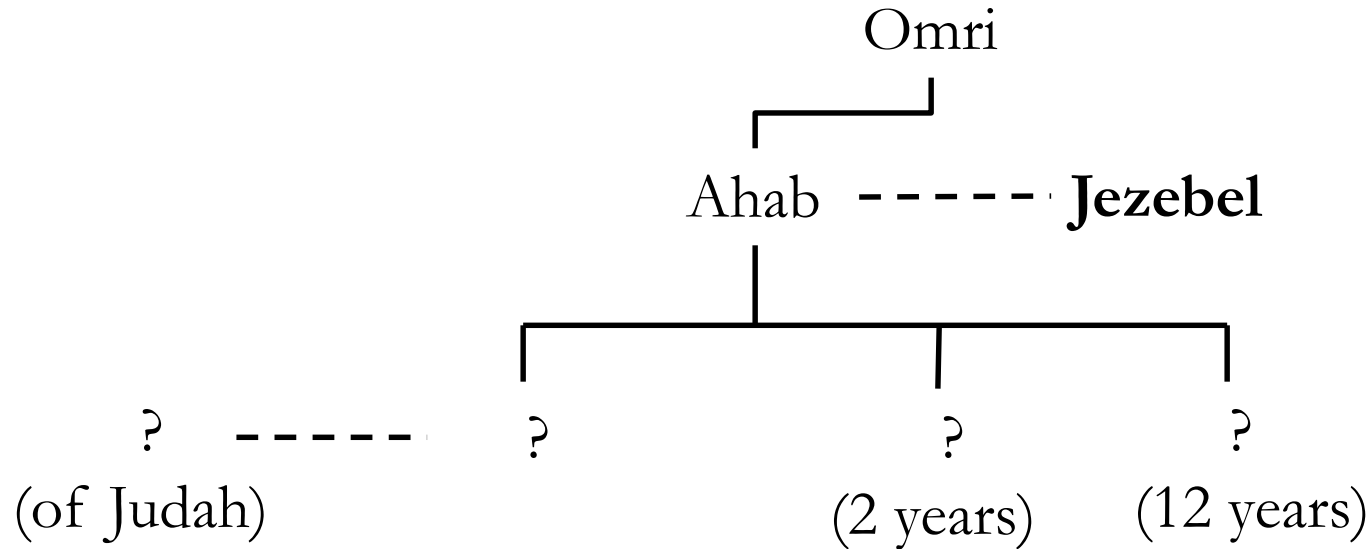
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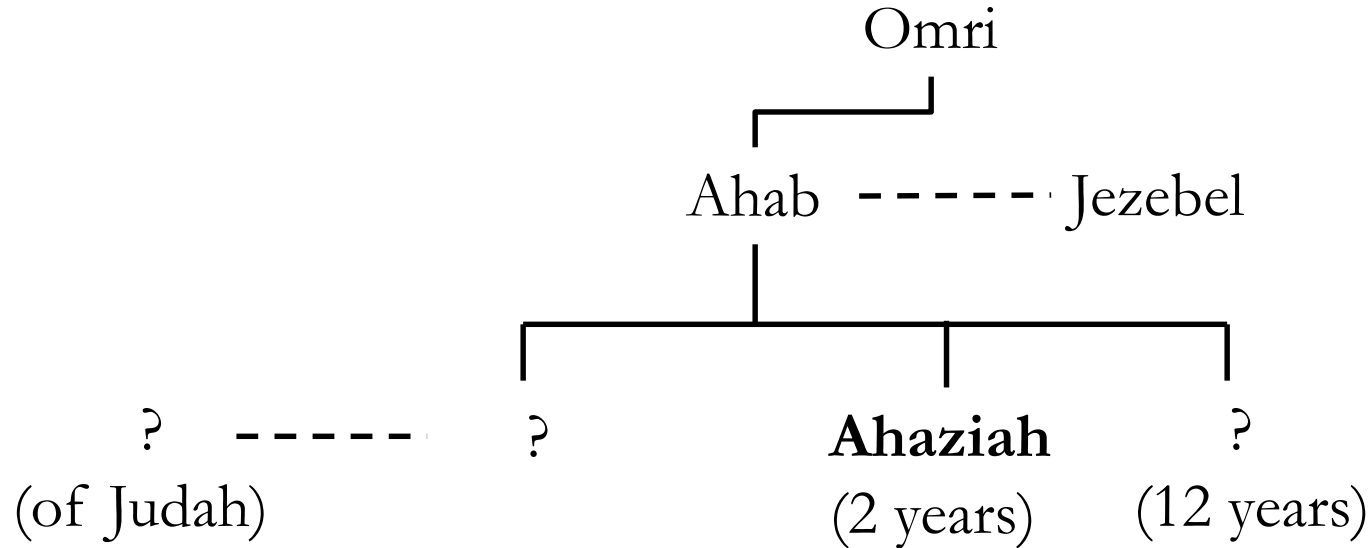
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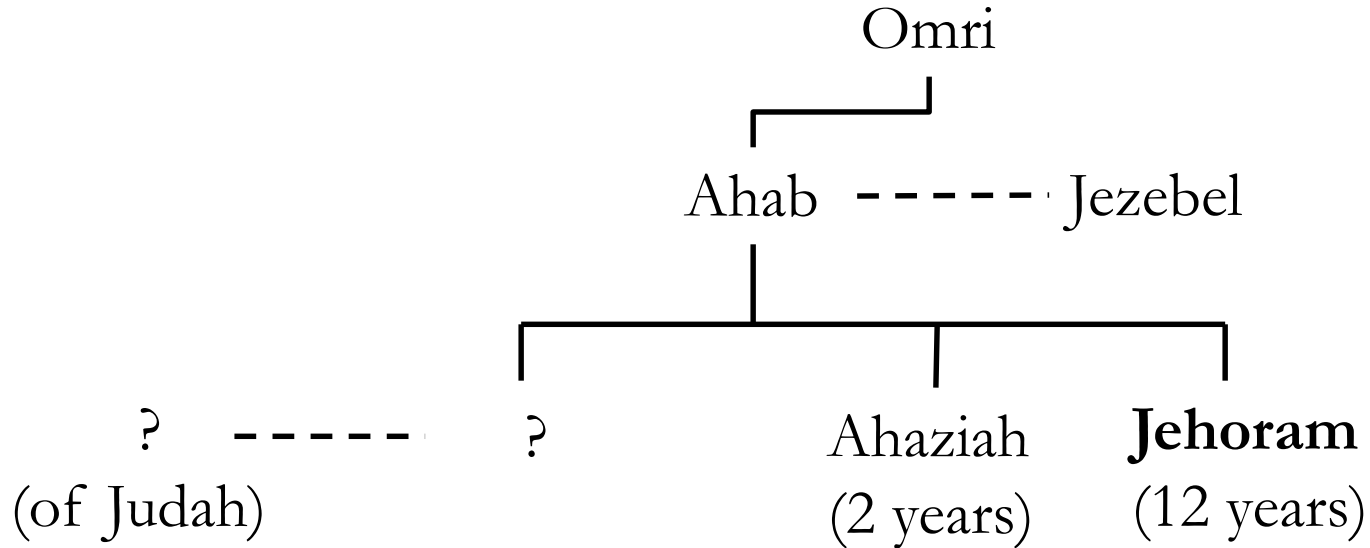
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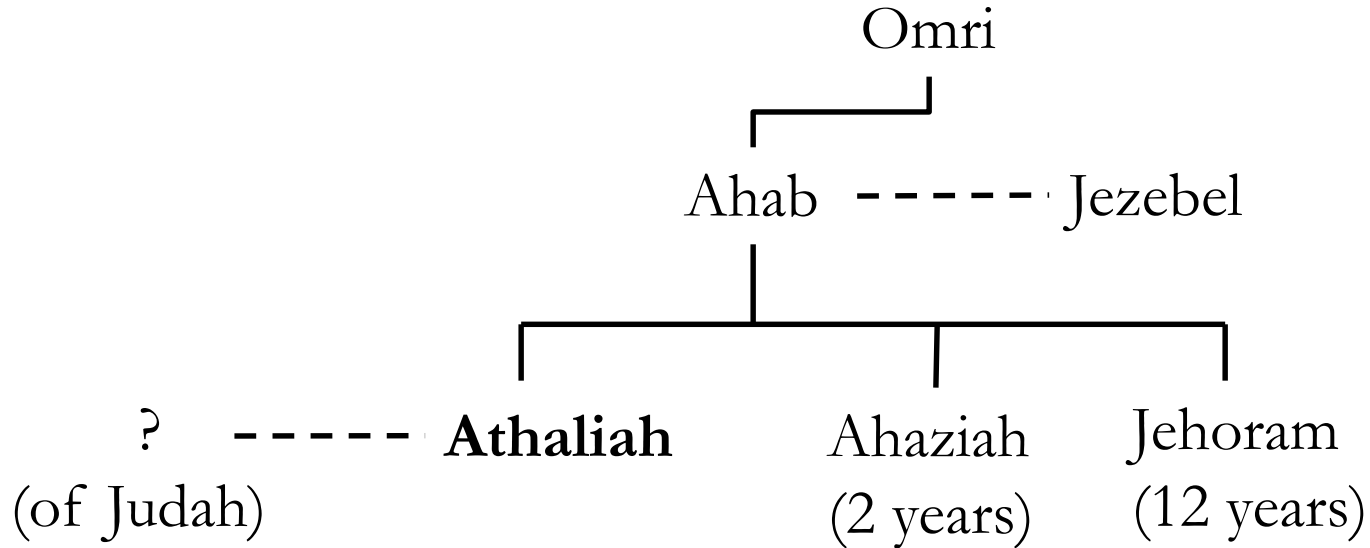
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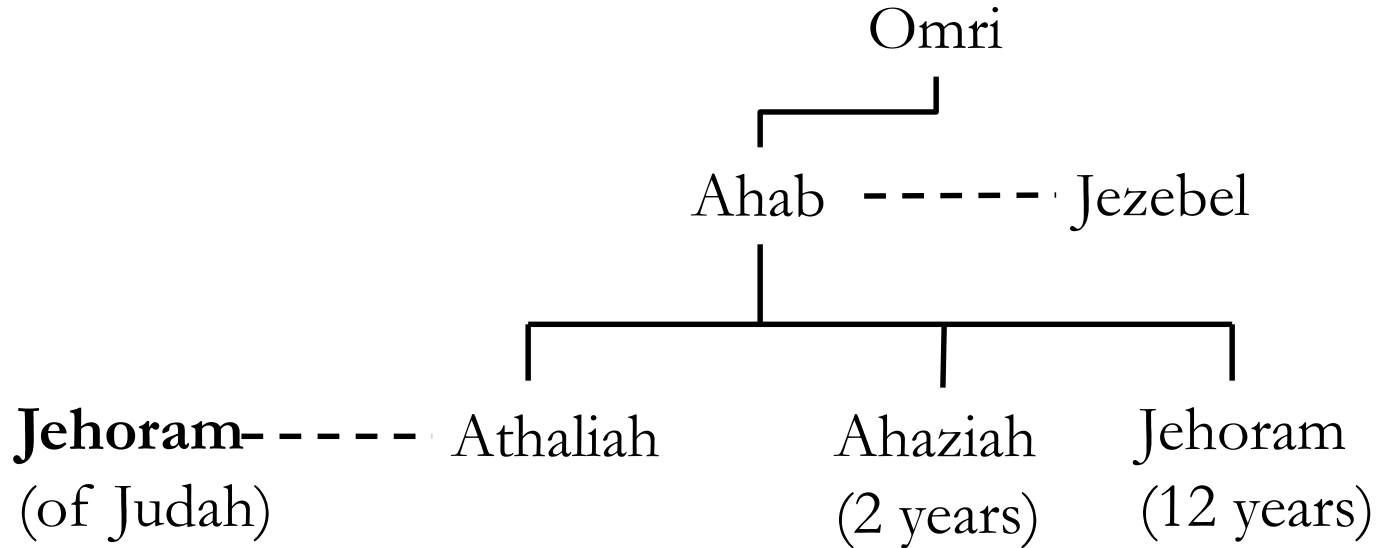
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Solomon controlled this area to the Euphrates River

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THE EMPIRE OF DAVID AND SOLOMON

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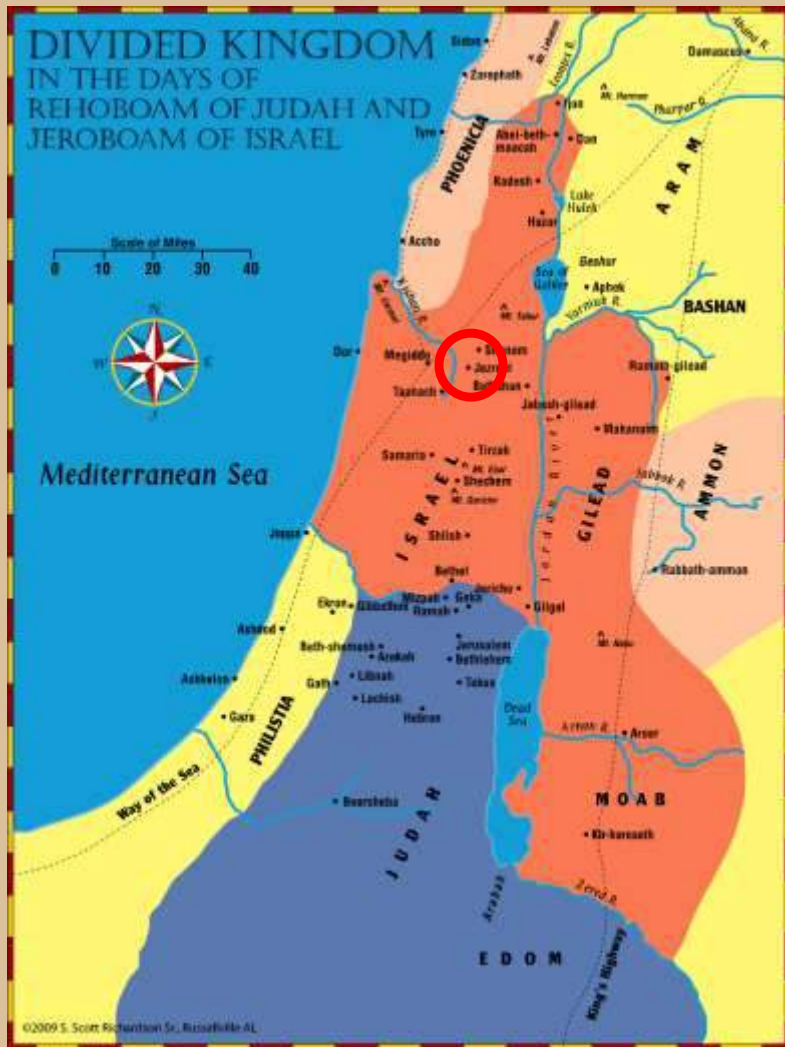
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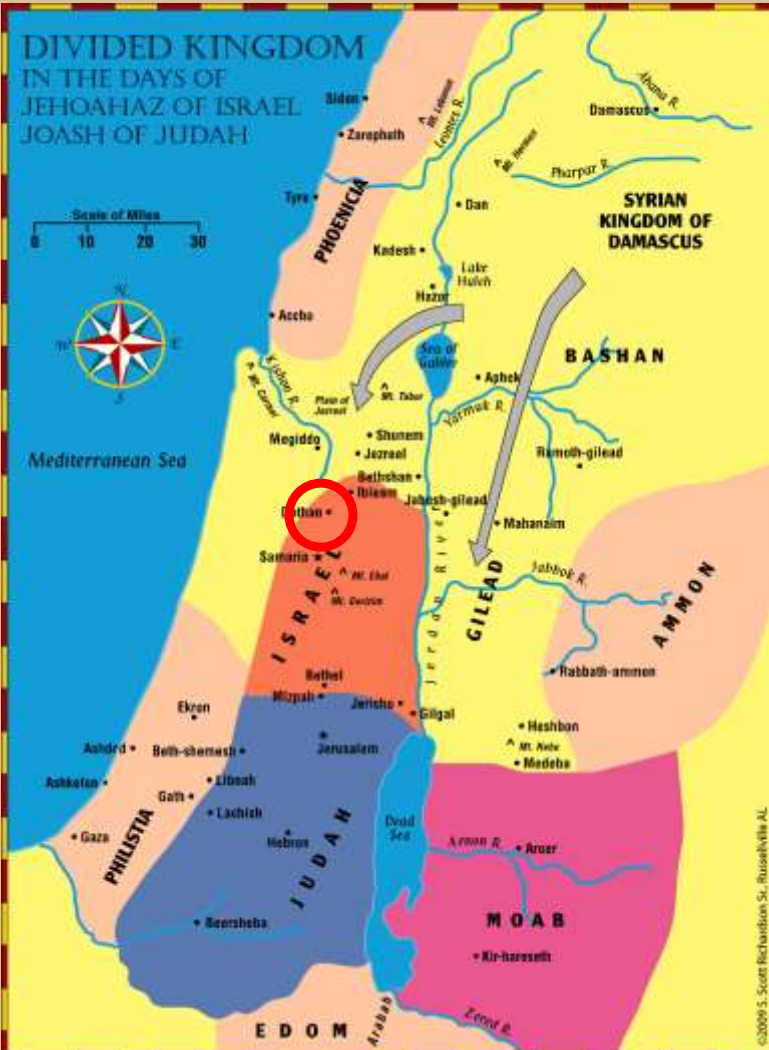


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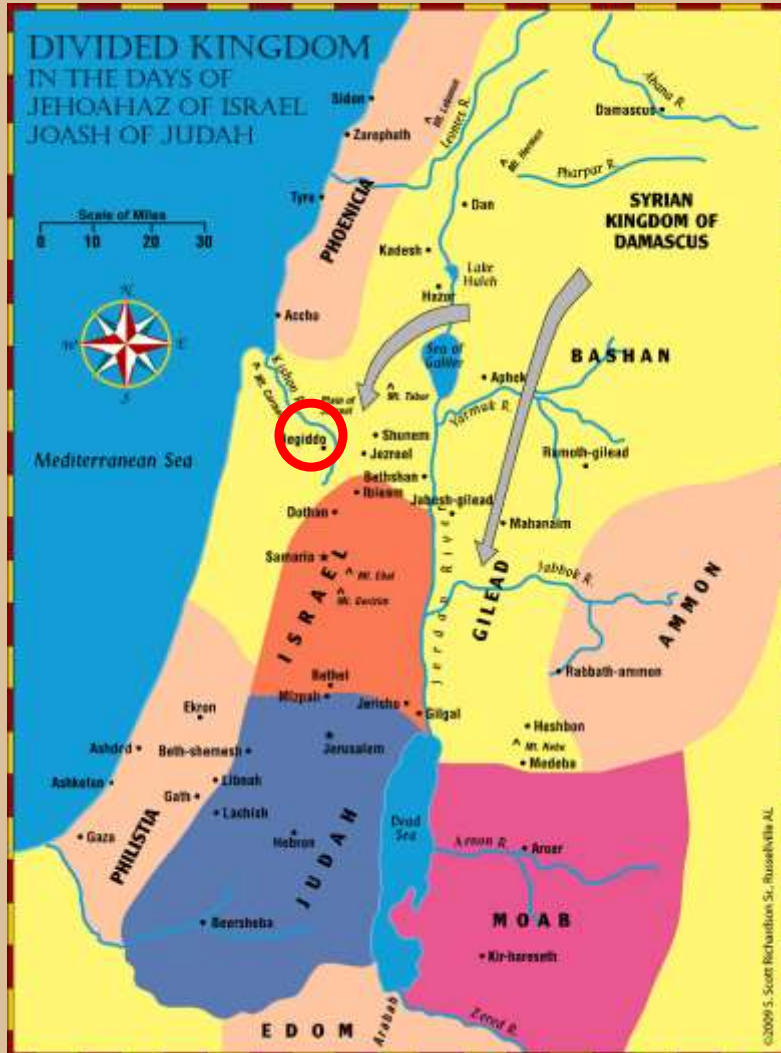


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Divided Kingdom: Prophets

- Ahijah
 - Ten tribes for Jeroboam; Jeroboam's family cursed
 - The man of God from Judah
 - Prophecy against the altar at Bethel; killed for his disobedience
 - The old prophet at Bethel
 - Lied to the man of God from Judah; buried the man of God from Judah
 - Jehu (son of Hanani)
 - Baasha' family cursed
 - Micaiah
 - Prophecy of Ahab's death in battle with the Syrians
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Divided Kingdom: Prophets - Elijah

- Prophecy of no dew or rain
 - Cared for at Zarephath by a widow
 - Defeats the prophets of baal on Mt. Carmel
 - Flees from Jezebel to Mt. Horeb
 - Prophecy of Ahaziah's death
 - Taken to Heaven in a chariot of fire in a whirlwind
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Divided Kingdom: Prophets - Elisha

- Received Elijah's "double-portion"
 - Miracles among the sons of the prophets
 - Saves Jehoshaphat in the wilderness of Edom
 - Raised from the dead the son of the Shunammite woman
 - Healed Naaman of his leprosy
 - Blinded a Syrian army
 - Prophecy of the broken siege
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Lesson 9: Review: Division to Jehu

(1 Kings 12 – 2 Kings 10)

1. What prompted Jeroboam to make changes to the worship in Israel?

[1Ki 12:26-27 NASB] 26 Jeroboam said in his heart, "Now the kingdom will return to the house of David. 27 "If this people go up to offer sacrifices in the house of the LORD at Jerusalem, then the heart of this people will return to their lord, [even] to Rehoboam king of Judah; and they will kill me and return to Rehoboam king of Judah."

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(1 Kings 12 – 2 Kings 10)

2. **What curse did Ahijah make against the family of Jeroboam?** Why did Ahijah say that Jeroboam's son would die from his illness?

[1Ki 14:10-11 NASB] 10 therefore behold, I am bringing calamity on the house of Jeroboam, and will cut off from Jeroboam every male person, both bond and free in Israel, and I will make a clean sweep of the house of Jeroboam, as one sweeps away dung until it is all gone. 11 "Anyone belonging to Jeroboam who dies in the city the dogs will eat. And he who dies in the field the birds of the heavens will eat; for the LORD has spoken [it.]"

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2. What curse did Ahijah make against the family of Jeroboam? **Why did Ahijah say that Jeroboam's son would die from his illness?**

[1Ki 14:12-13 NASB] 12 "Now you, arise, go to your house. When your feet enter the city the child will die. 13 "All Israel shall mourn for him and bury him, for he alone of Jeroboam's [family] will come to the grave, because in him something good was found toward the LORD God of Israel in the house of Jeroboam.

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3. What happened after Baasha took the throne in Israel that added to the spiritual strength of Judah?

[2Ch 15:9 NASB] 9 He gathered all Judah and Benjamin and those from Ephraim, Manasseh and Simeon who resided with them, for many defected to him from Israel when they saw that the LORD his God was with him.

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4. How did Ahab add to the idolatry that Jeroboam had introduced in Israel?

[1Ki 16:31-33 NASB] 31 It came about, as though it had been a trivial thing for him to walk in the sins of Jeroboam the son of Nebat, that he married Jezebel the daughter of Ethbaal king of the Sidonians, and went to serve Baal and worshiped him. 32 So he erected an altar for Baal in the house of Baal which he built in Samaria. 33 Ahab also made the Asherah. Thus Ahab did more to provoke the LORD God of Israel than all the kings of Israel who were before him.

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5. **What did Elijah pray would be the result of the great miracle the Israelites were about to witness?**

What was the effect of the miracle?

[1Ki 18:36-37 NASB] 36 At the time of the offering of the [evening] sacrifice, Elijah the prophet came near and said, "O LORD, the God of Abraham, Isaac and Israel, today let it be known that You are God in Israel and that I am Your servant and I have done all these things at Your word. 37 "Answer me, O LORD, answer me, that this people may know that You, O LORD, are God, and [that] You have turned their heart back again."

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5. What did Elijah pray would be the result of the great miracle the Israelites were about to witness? **What was the effect of the miracle?**

[1Ki 18:39-40 NASB] 39 When all the people saw it, they fell on their faces; and they said, "The LORD, He is God; the LORD, He is God." 40 Then Elijah said to them, "Seize the prophets of Baal; do not let one of them escape." So they seized them; and Elijah brought them down to the brook Kishon, and slew them there.

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6. **What sentence did Elijah pronounce against Ahab and Jezebel?** What was Ahab's reaction? How did God demonstrate His mercy on this occasion?

[1Ki 21:21-24 NASB] 21 "Behold, I will bring evil upon you, and will utterly sweep you away, and will cut off from Ahab every male, both bond and free in Israel; 22 and I will make your house like the house of Jeroboam the son of Nebat, and like the house of Baasha the son of Ahijah, because of the provocation with which you have provoked [Me] to anger, and [because] you have made Israel sin. 23 "Of Jezebel also has the LORD spoken, saying, "The dogs will eat Jezebel in the district of Jezreel.' 24 "The one belonging to Ahab, who dies in the city, the dogs will eat, and the one who dies in the field the birds of heaven will eat."

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6. What sentence did Elijah pronounce against Ahab and Jezebel? **What was Ahab's reaction?** How did God demonstrate His mercy on this occasion?

[1Ki 21:27 NASB] 27 It came about when Ahab heard these words, that he tore his clothes and put on sackcloth and fasted, and he lay in sackcloth and went about despondently.

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6. What sentence did Elijah pronounce against Ahab and Jezebel? What was Ahab's reaction? **How did God demonstrate His mercy on this occasion?**

[1Ki 21:29 NASB] 29 "Do you see how Ahab has humbled himself before Me? Because he has humbled himself before Me, I will not bring the evil in his days, [but] I will bring the evil upon his house in his son's days."

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7. **Who was allied with Jehoram of Israel against Moab?** What trouble did they encounter?

[2Ki 3:7 NASB] 7 Then he went and sent [word] to Jehoshaphat the king of Judah, saying, "The king of Moab has rebelled against me. Will you go with me to fight against Moab?" And he said, "I will go up; I am as you are, my people as your people, my horses as your horses."

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7. Who was allied with Jehoram of Israel against Moab?
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[2Ki 3:9-10 NASB] 9 So the king of Israel went with the king of Judah and the king of Edom; and they made a circuit of seven days' journey, and there was no water for the army or for the cattle that followed them. 10 Then the king of Israel said, "Alas! For the LORD has called these three kings to give them into the hand of Moab."

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8. Explain how the Shunammite woman benefited from the king's curiosity about Elisha and his miraculous works.

[2Ki 8:4-5 NASB] 4 Now the king was talking with Gehazi, the servant of the man of God, saying, "Please relate to me all the great things that Elisha has done." 5 As he was relating to the king how he had restored to life the one who was dead, behold, the woman whose son he had restored to life appealed to the king for her house and for her field. And Gehazi said, "My lord, O king, this is the woman and this is her son, whom Elisha restored to life."

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9. **What good work did Jehu do once he had destroyed the house of Ahab?** How did God reward Jehu for his obedience?

[2Ki 10:28 NASB] 28 Thus Jehu eradicated Baal out of Israel.

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9. What good work did Jehu do once he had destroyed the house of Ahab? **How did God reward Jehu for his obedience?**

[2Ki 10:30 NASB] 30 The LORD said to Jehu, "Because you have done well in executing what is right in My eyes, [and] have done to the house of Ahab according to all that [was] in My heart, your sons of the fourth generation shall sit on the throne of Israel."

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10. Did Jehu live up to the conditions of God's promise to him? Explain.

[2Ki 10:29, 31 NASB] 29 However, [as for] the sins of Jeroboam the son of Nebat, which he made Israel sin, from these Jehu did not depart, [even] the golden calves that [were] at Bethel and that [were] at Dan. ... 31 But Jehu was not careful to walk in the law of the LORD, the God of Israel, with all his heart; he did not depart from the sins of Jeroboam, which he made Israel sin.

Divided Kingdom: Applications

- The effects of influence.
 - God keeps His promises.
 - God rewards good behavior and punishes wicked behavior.
 - We can understand and obey God's commandments.
 - Serving God will put us in conflict with those who don't.
 - The dangers of discouragement.
 - God wants as many as possible to be reconciled to Him.
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