

Day Of God's Judgment, part 1

**Zephaniah
1:1-2:3**



***God - The
Victorious Warrior***

**Why we
suffer!**

Overview of Zephaniah

Zephaniah 1:1

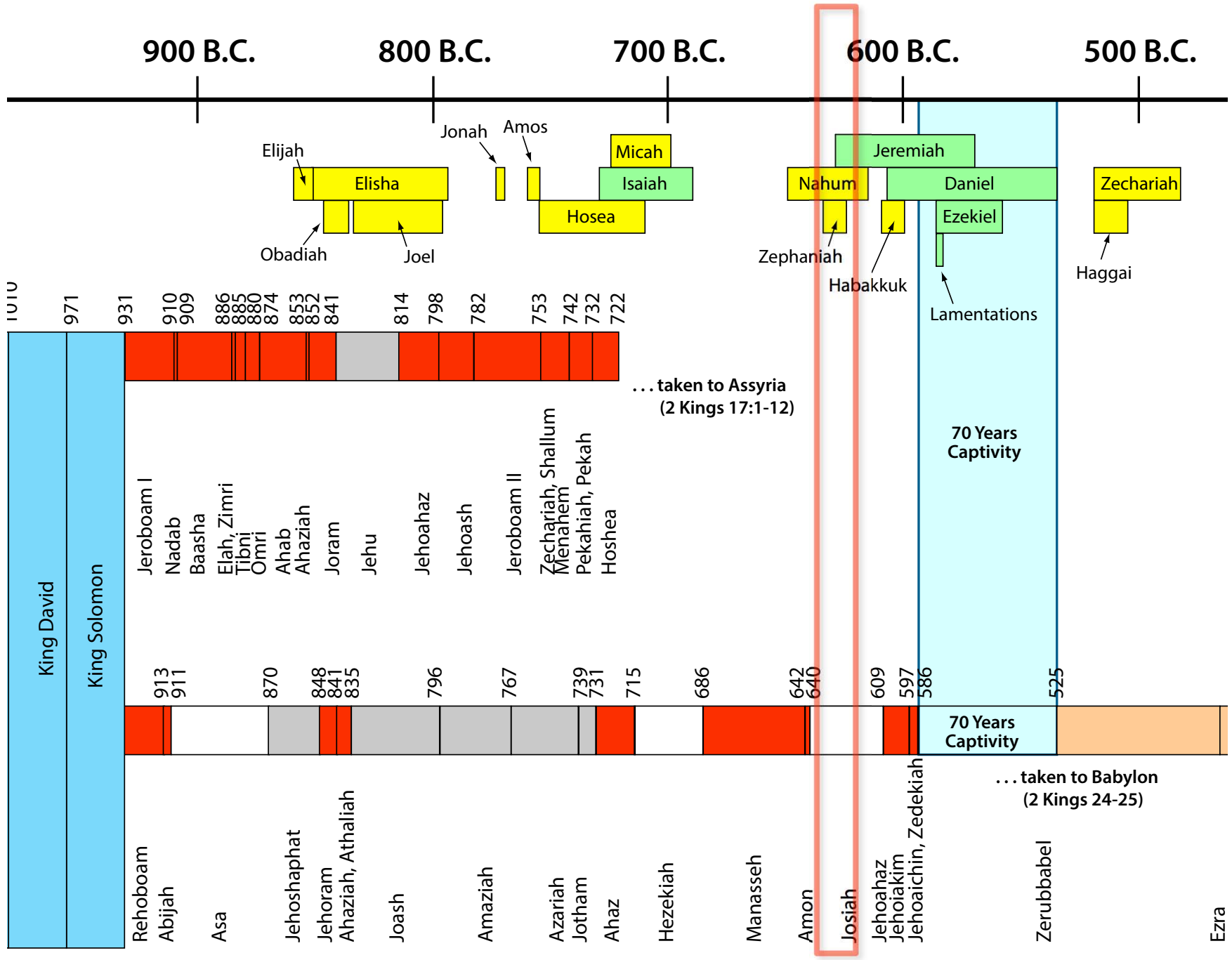
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Old Testament

Isaiah 2:12; 13:6, 9

Ezekiel 13:5; 30:3

Joel 2:31; 3:14

Amos 5:18-20

Obadiah 15-21

Zephaniah 1:7, 14

Zechariah 14:1

Malachi 4:5

New Testament

Acts 2:20

1 Thess. 5:2

2 Thess. 2:2

2 Peter 3:10

****Day of the Lord Far***

Outline of Zephaniah

1:1 – 2:3 ***Day of God's Judgment, part 1***

2:4 – 3:7 ***Day of God's Judgment, part 2***

3:8 – 20 ***Day of God's Blessing***

Our Study

1:1 *Introduction*

1:2-3 *Universal Day of the Lord*

1:4 – 2:3 *Day of the Lord on Judah*

Universal Day of the Lord

Zephaniah 1:2-3

- ***God will one day destroy everything***
- ***Day of The Lord Extends to the end of our current universe***

2 Peter 3:10-13

Revelation 20:11

Day of the Lord Against Judah

Zephaniah 1:4-6

Reasons For Judgment:

v. 4 ***Who never believed in Jehovah***

v. 5 ***Who had split allegiance***

v. 6 ***Apostates and unrepentant***

Reasons We Suffer

Sin

Heb. 12:4-11

Prevention to sin

2 Cor 12:7-10

Glory for God

John 9:1-2

Spiritual growth

James 1:2-5

For Christ

Matt. 5:10-12

We have pulled away from God

Zeph. 1:4-6

Day of the Lord Against Judah

Zephaniah 1:7-13

Reasons For Judgment:

- v. 8*** ***Leaders adopted customs of other nations***
- v. 9*** ***Wealthy were eager to exploit poor***
- v. 10-13*** ***God will destroy the financial industry***

Day of the Lord Against Judah

Zephaniah 1:14-2:3

v. 14 -18 ***Great day of the Lord described***

2:1-3 ***Call to repentance***

Mark Of God's Saints

Zephaniah 2:3

Seeks to obedient

Seeks to be holy

Seeks to be humble

- ***Phil. 2:3-8***

- ***1 Pet. 5:5-6***