

God's Redemptive History on Maps (I)

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Genesis

Pre-Historical

Adam – Noah – Terah

Eden

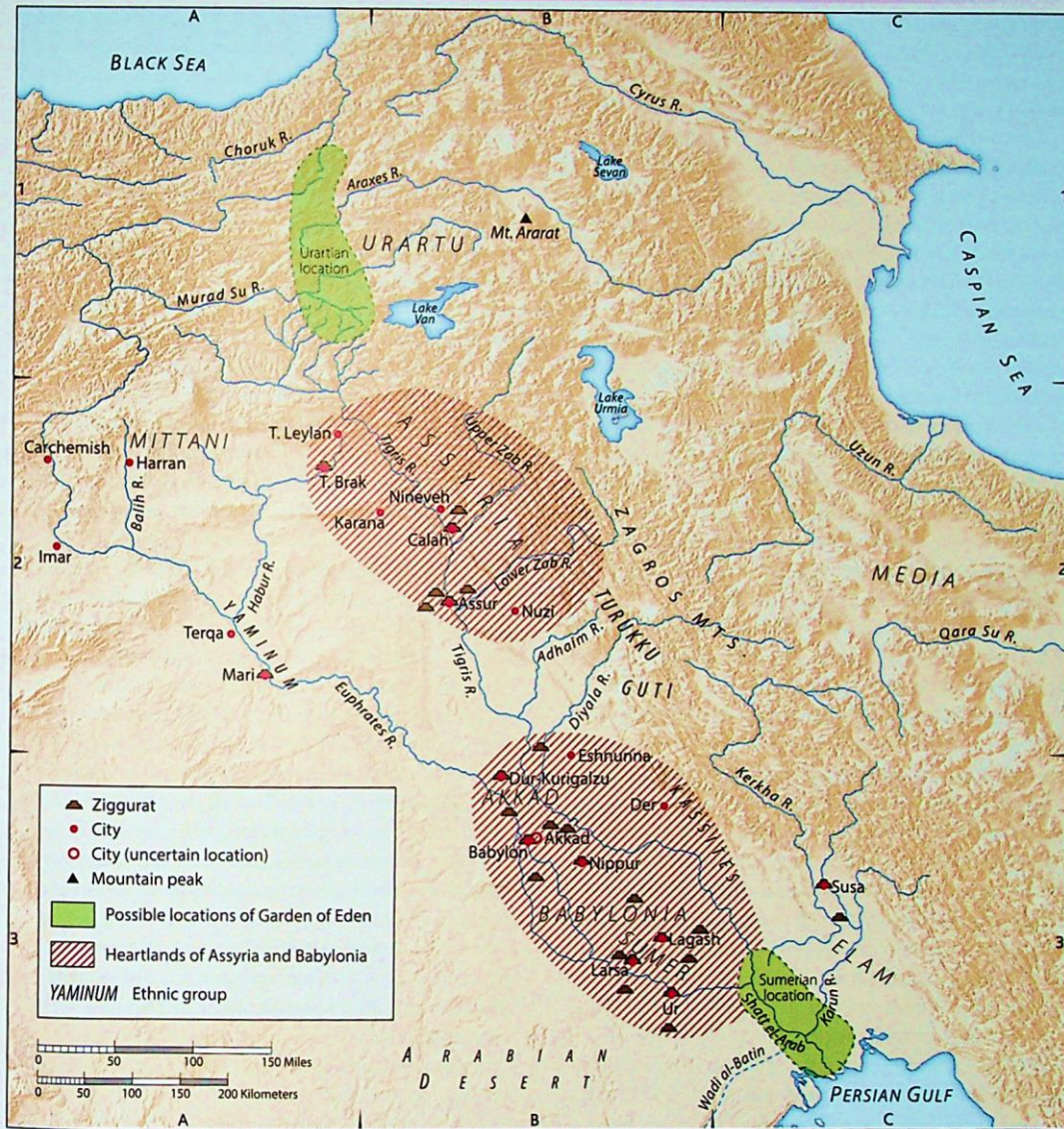
Now the Lord God had planted a garden in the east, in Eden; and there he put the man he had formed.

(Genesis 2:8)

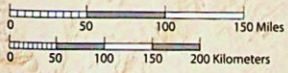


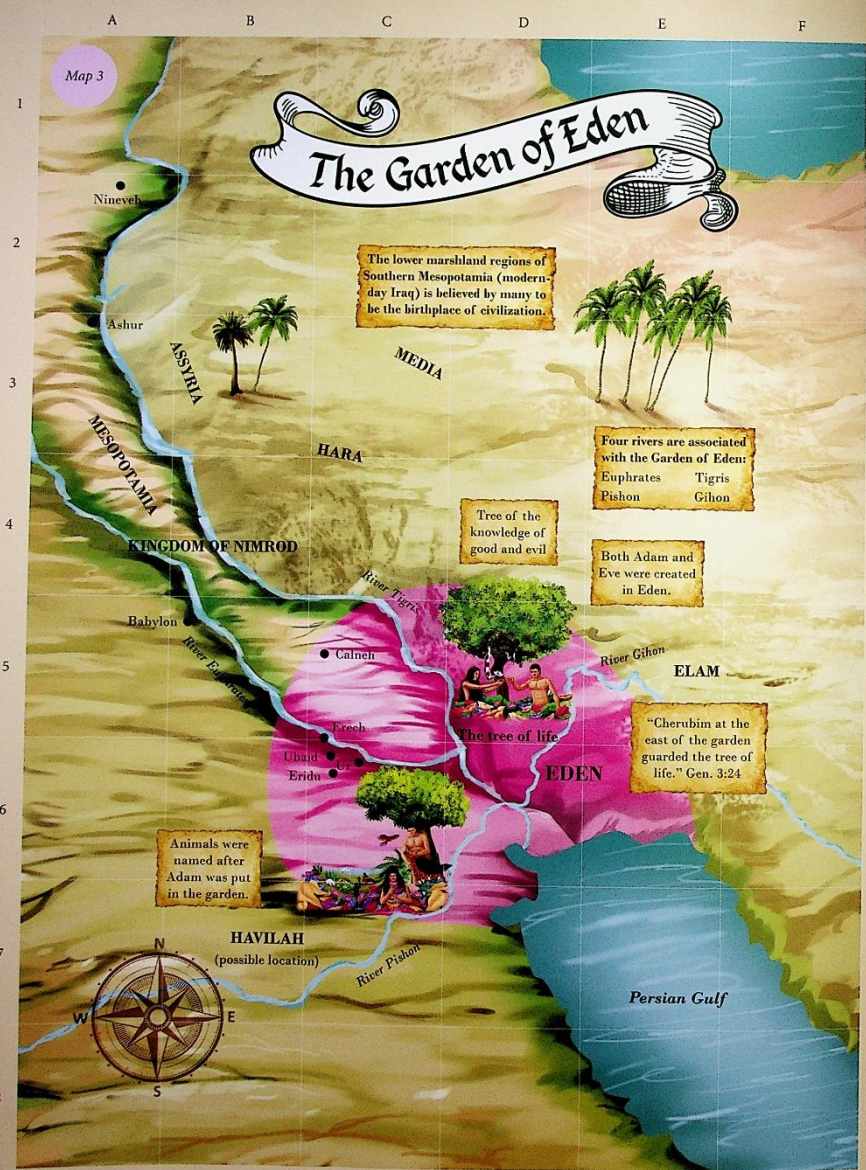
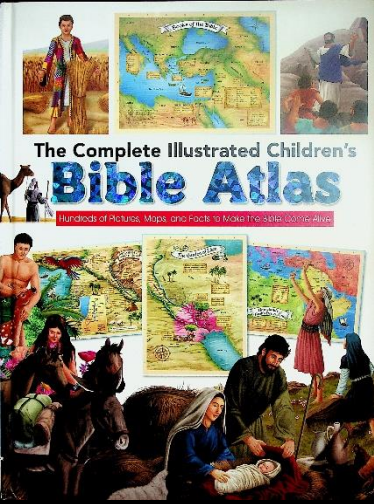
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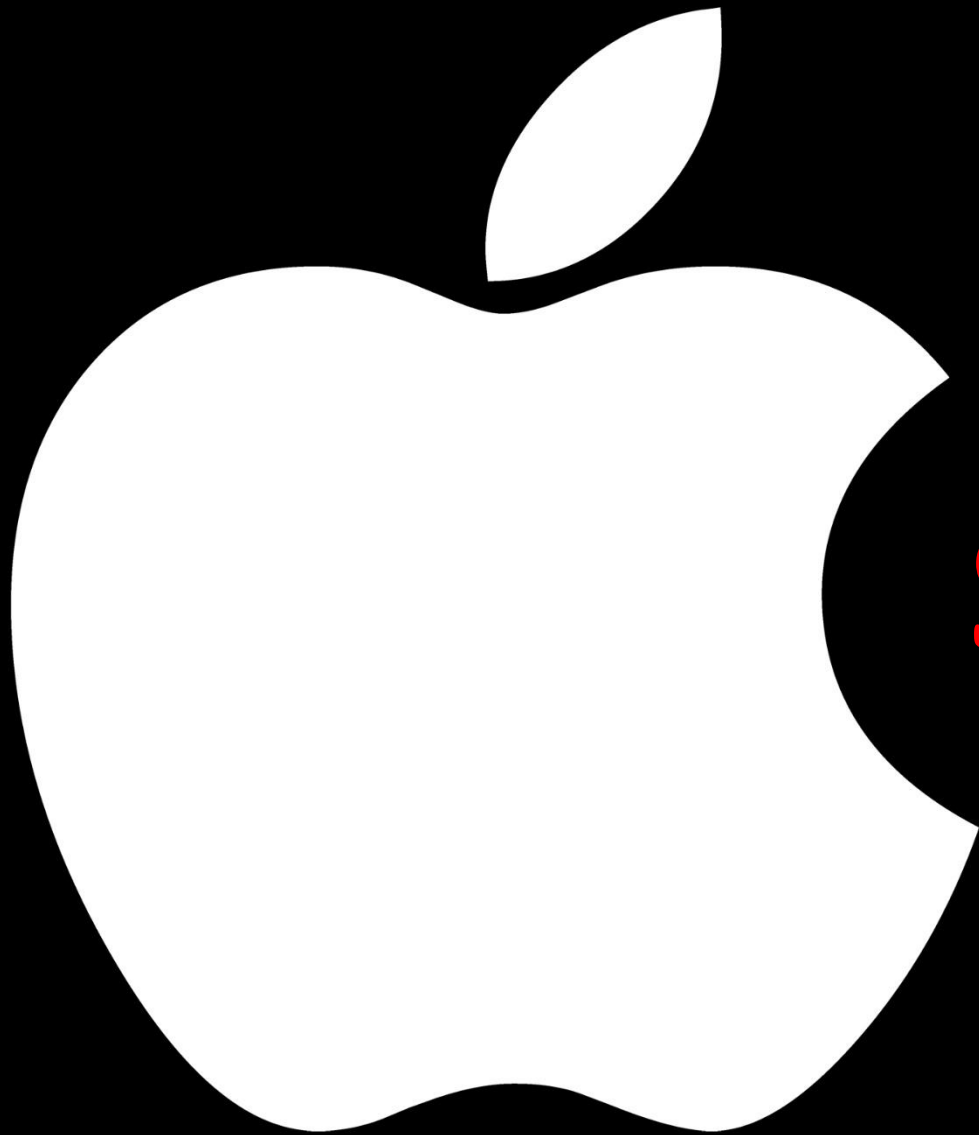
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- ▲ Ziggurat
- City
- City (uncertain location)
- ▲ Mountain peak
- Possible locations of Garden of Eden
- ▨ Heartlands of Assyria and Babylonia
- YAMINUM Ethnic group







Sin

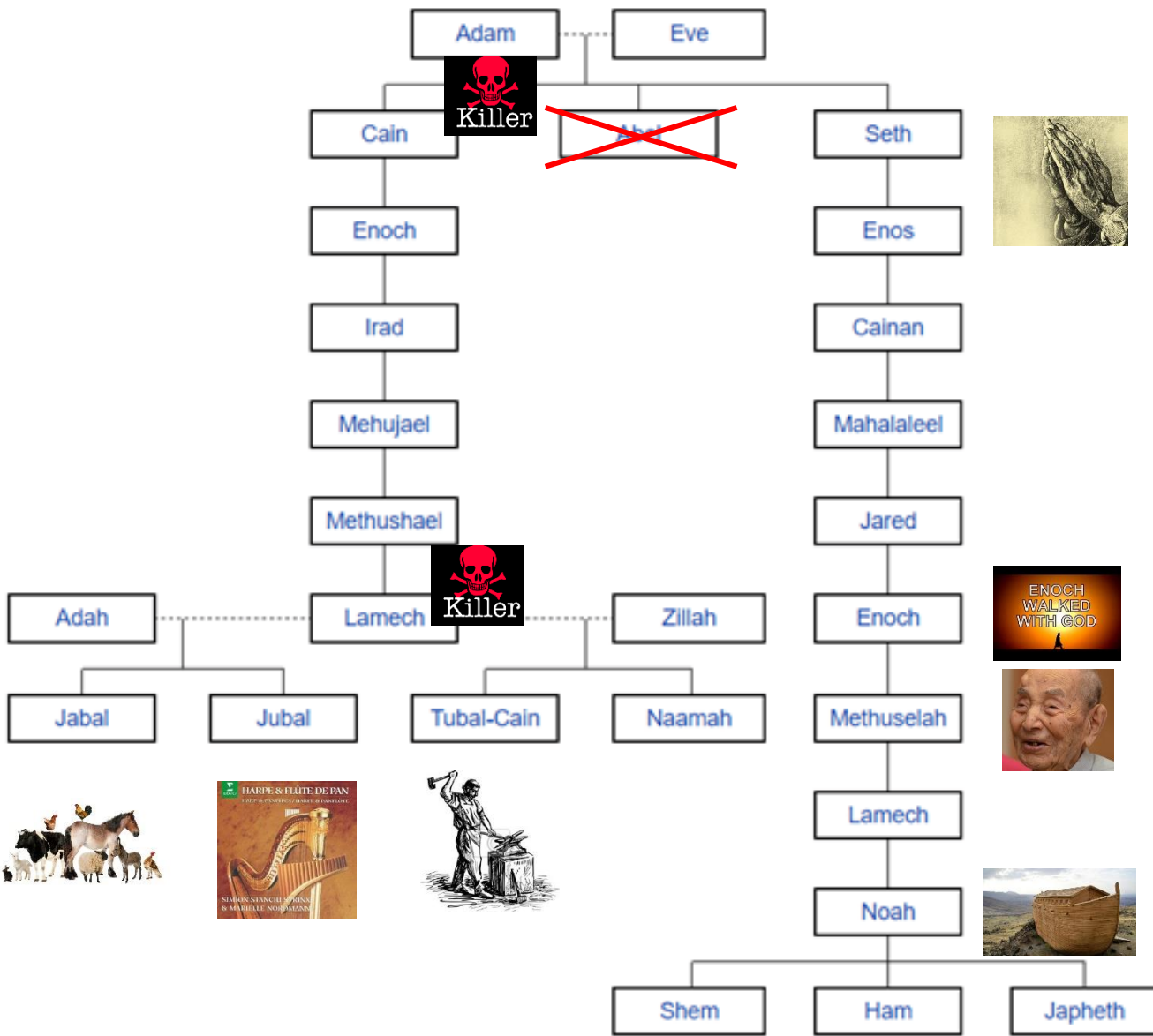


Table of Nations

This is the account of Shem, Ham and Japheth,
Noah's sons, who themselves had sons after the
flood.

(Genesis 10:1)

The Genealogy of Noah

The Ark came to rest on Mt Arrarat (in Turkey)

Noah

China

Fohi or Yao
(Noah)

Shin-Nong

Whang-Ti

Shem

Asia

Arphaxad 438

Shalah 433

Eber 464

Peleg 239

Reu 239

Serug 230

Nahor 148

Terah 205

Nahor

Abram 175
(Abraham)

Haran
Lot



Japheth

Europe

Gomer

Magog

Madai

Javan
Greece

Tubal

Meshech

Tiras

Cush

Mizraim
Egypt

Phut

Canaan
Canaan

Historical Source

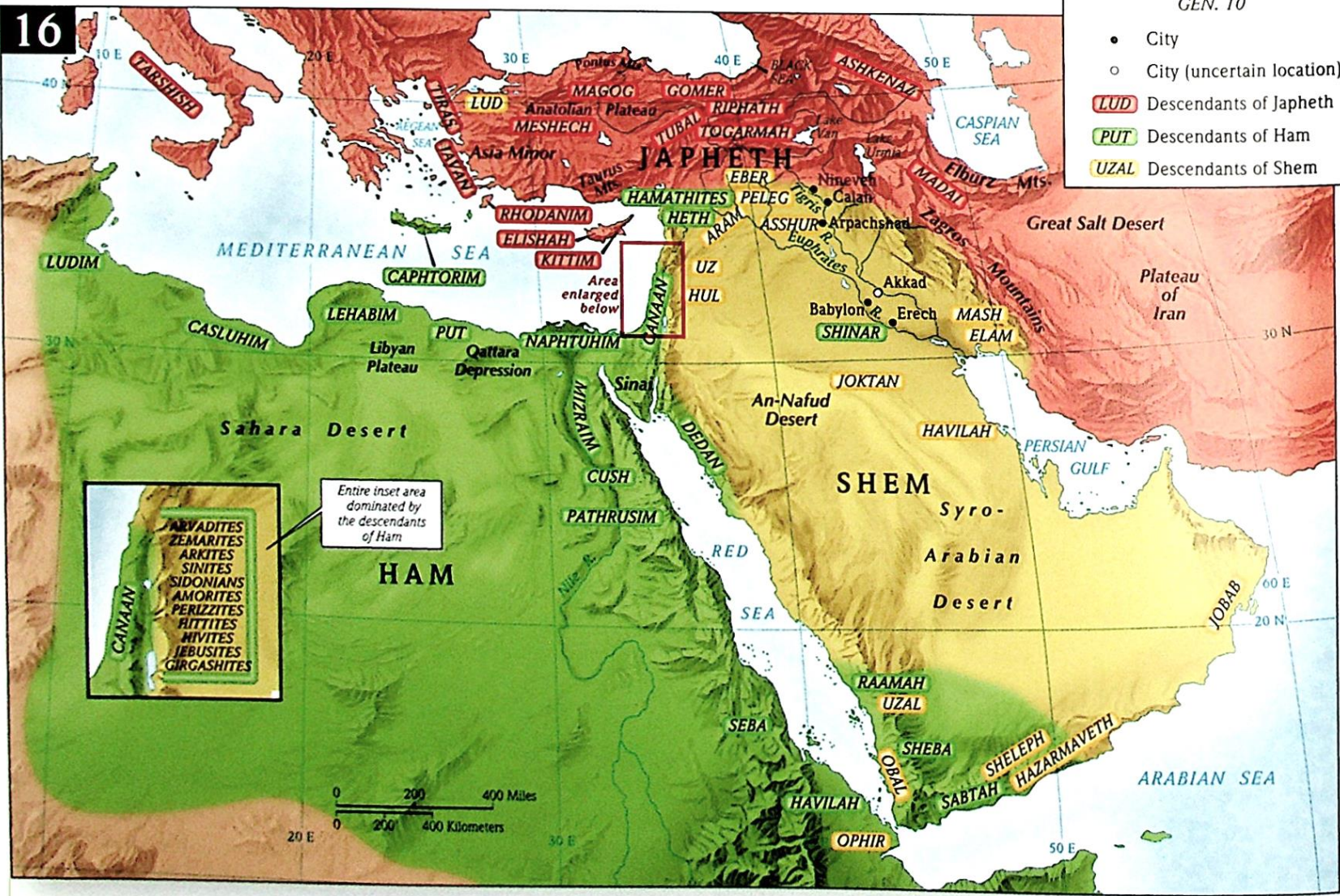
Biblical Records

Non-Biblical Sources



THE TABLE OF NATIONS
GEN. 10

- City
- City (uncertain location)
- LUD** Descendants of Japheth
- PUT** Descendants of Ham
- UZAL** Descendants of Shem

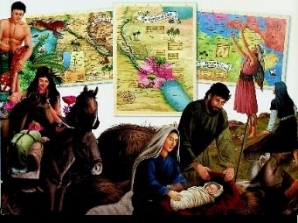
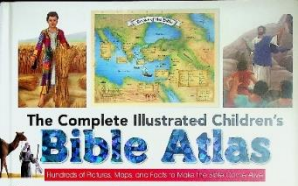


CANAAN

ARVADITES
ZEMARITES
ARKITES
SINITES
SIDONIANS
AMORITES
PERIZZITES
HITTITES
HIVITES
JEBUSITES
GIRGASHITES

Entire inset area dominated by the descendants of Ham

0 200 400 Miles
0 200 400 Kilometers



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Map 4



Canaan was dominated by the descendants of Ham

Arvadites	Zemarites	Cush
Arkites	Sinites	Pathrusim
Sidonians	Amorites	
Perizzites	Hittites	
Hivites	Jebusites	
Girgashites		

Homelands of Noah's Descendants

SONS OF NOAH
Shem, Ham, Japheth

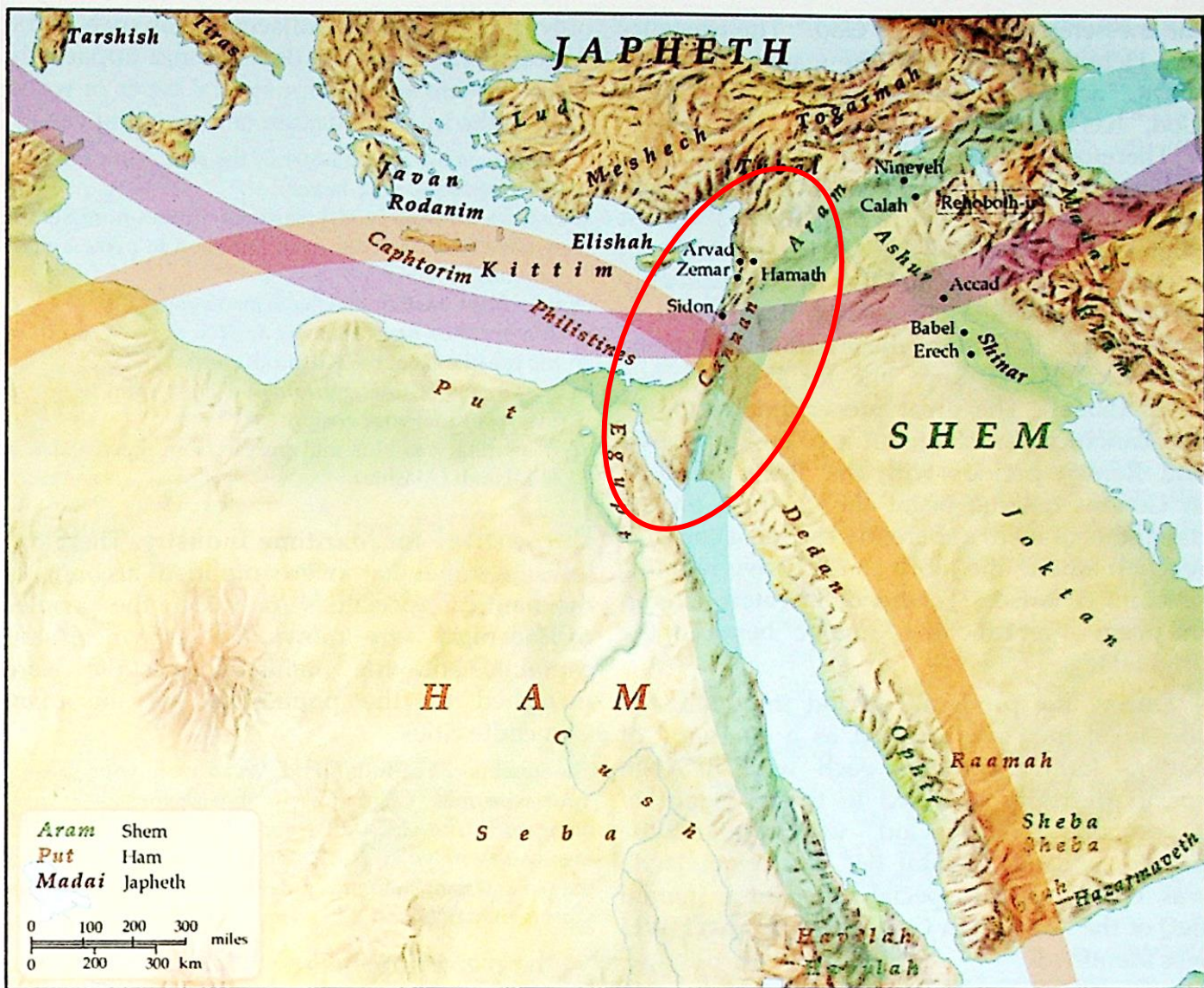
— Descendants of Shem
— Descendants of Ham
— Descendants of Japheth

Some place names are uncertain and open to conjecture



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The Family of Nations.



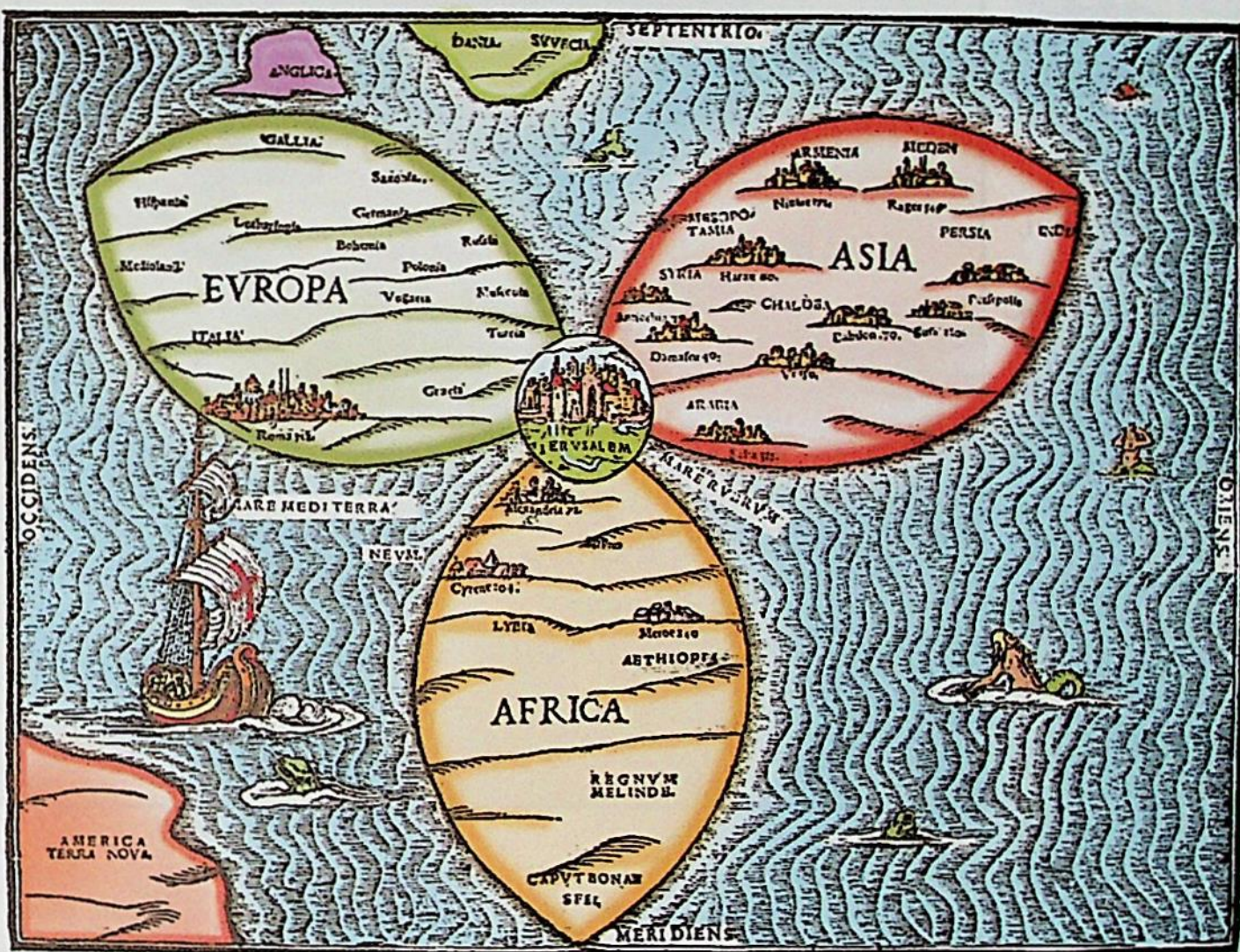
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EXPLANATIONS.	
Bible Names	EDOM (Provinces), " " " " (Places), MOAB (Races),
Greek Names	PONTUS (Provinces), " " " " (Places),
Modern Names	HELIPOLIS (Prov.), " " " " (Places), HILLAH (Places).



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Jerusalem as the center of the world, the pivot of three continents, with America—Terra Nova—in the lower left-hand corner. (c. 1580, from *Itinerarium Sacrae Scripturae* by Heinrich Bünting of Hanover, Germany)



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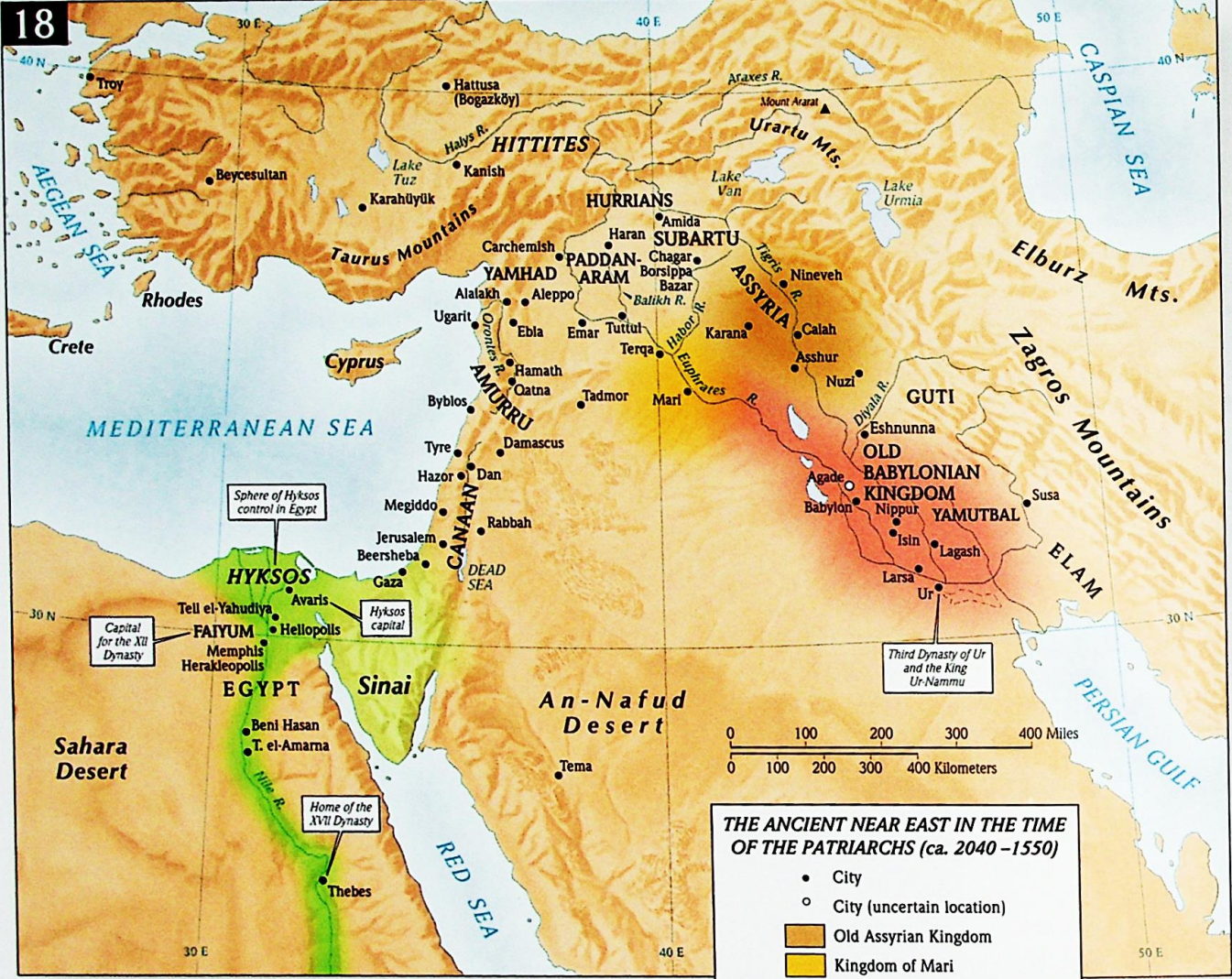
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- City
- International Coastal Highway
- King's Highway
- Sea routes
- Other routes

The Patriarchs

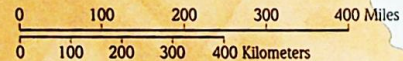
Abraham





**THE ANCIENT NEAR EAST IN THE TIME
OF THE PATRIARCHS (ca. 2040 -1550)**

- City
- City (uncertain location)
- Old Assyrian Kingdom
- Kingdom of Mari
- Old Babylonian Kingdom
- Egypt
- Egyptian influence



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Abram sets out for the promised land

The Lord had said to Abram, “Go from your country, your people and you father’s household to the land I will show you.”

(Gen 12:1)

Abra(ha)ms Route

- Genesis 12:4 – Haran
- Genesis 12:6 – Shechem
- Genesis 12:8 – Bethel
- Genesis 12:9 – Negev
- Genesis 12:14 – Egypt
- Genesis 13:1 – Negev
- Genesis 13:3 – Bethel
- Genesis 14:13 – Trees of Mamre
- Genesis 14:17 – Valley of Shaveh (King's valley)

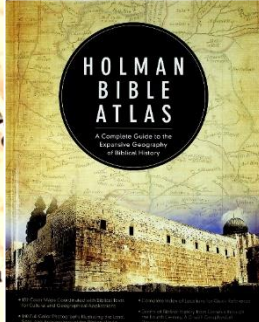
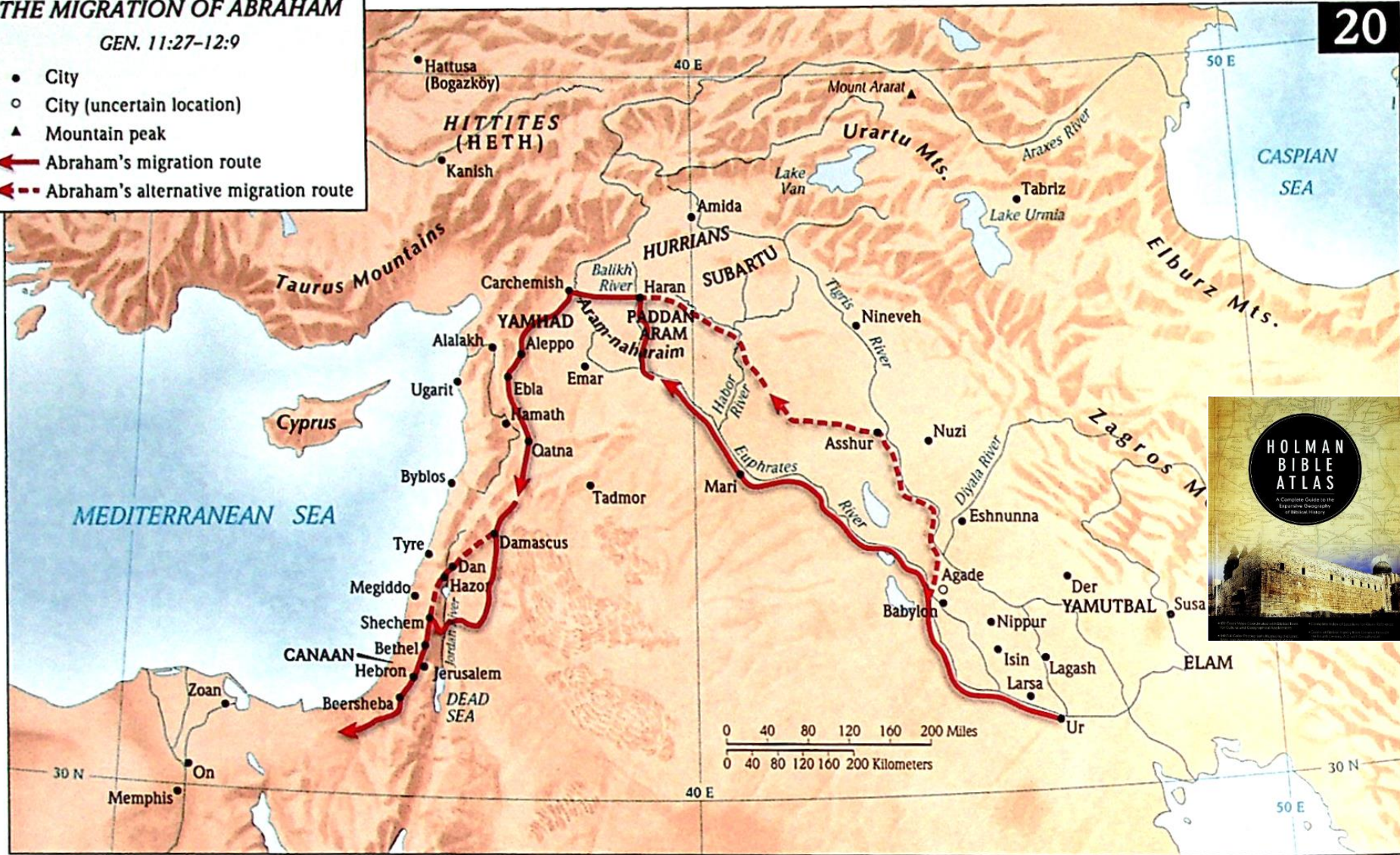
Abra(ha)ms Route

- Genesis 16:7 – Road to Shur
- Genesis 18:1 – Great trees of Mamre
- Genesis 20:1 – Gerar
- Genesis 21:32 – Beersheba
- Genesis 22:2 – Region of Moriah
- Genesis 22:19 – Beersheba
- Genesis 23:2 – Kiriath Arba (Hebron)
- Genesis 23:9 – Cave of Machpelah (near Mamre) – Sarah
- Genesis 25:9 – Cave of Machpelah (near Mamre) – Abraham

THE MIGRATION OF ABRAHAM

GEN. 11:27-12:9

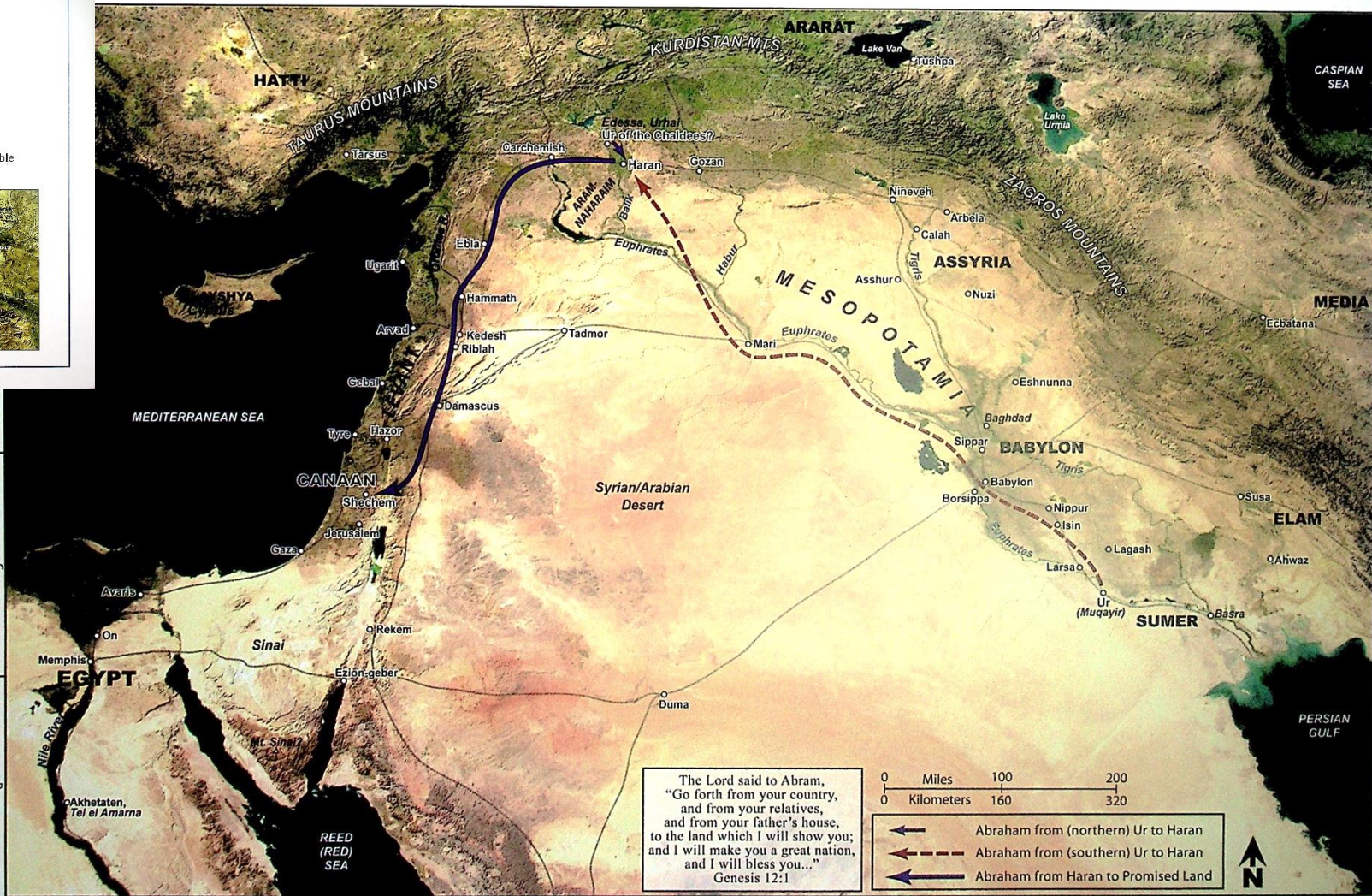
- City
- City (uncertain location)
- ▲ Mountain peak
- ▶ Abraham's migration route
- - -▶ Abraham's alternative migration route

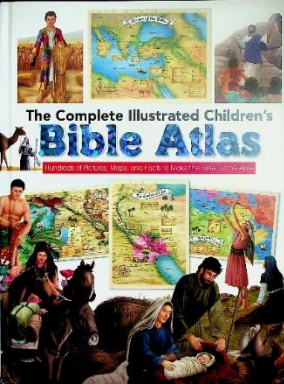




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Abraham's Wanderings

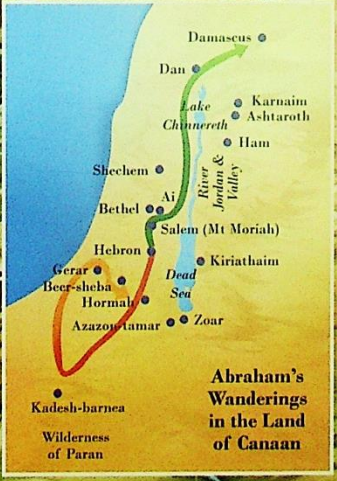
Map 5

Alternative location of Ur of the Chaldeans

Alternative route to Haran

Abraham's journey from Ur to Canaan

Traditional location of Ur of the Chaldeans



Abraham's Wanderings in the Land of Canaan

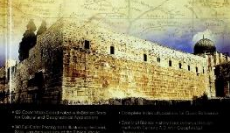
Route of Abraham's rescue of Lot
Abraham's wanderings in the "south country"



God shows Abram the Land

The Lord said to Abram after Lot had parted from him, “Look around from where you are, to the north and south, to the east and west. All the land that you see I will give to you and our offspring forever. [...] Go, walk through the length and breadth of the land, for I am giving it to you.”

(Gen 13:14,15,17)



ABRAHAM IN CANAAN
GEN. 12:10–14:24; GEN. 18–22

- City
- City (uncertain location)

Abraham's migration to Egypt and return to Canaan
 Abraham's route of battle with enemy kings
 Military route of the kings from the north in Gen. 14



Abram rescues Lot

When Abram heard that his relative had been taken captive, he called out the 318 trained men born in his household and went in pursuit as far as Dan. During the night Abram divided his men to attack them and he routed them, pursuing them as far as Hobah, north of Damascus.

(Genesis 14:14,15)

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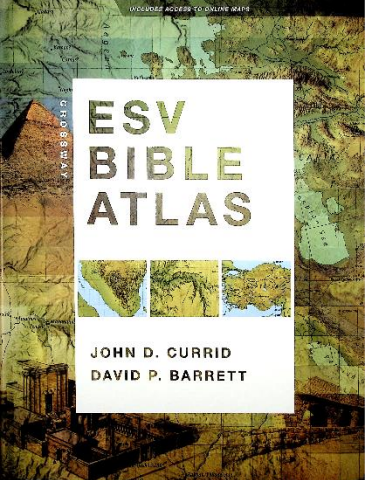


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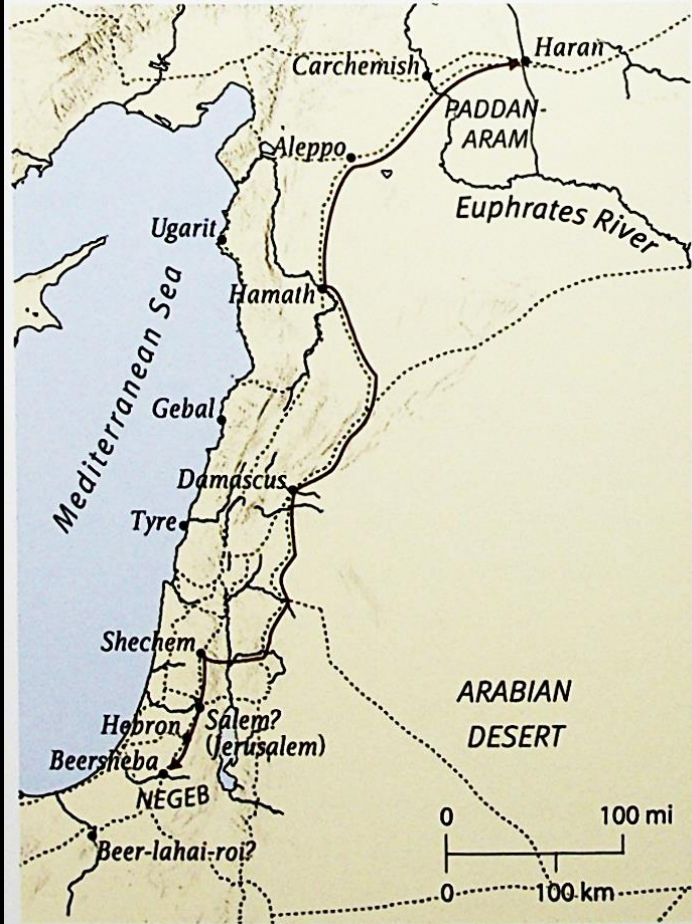
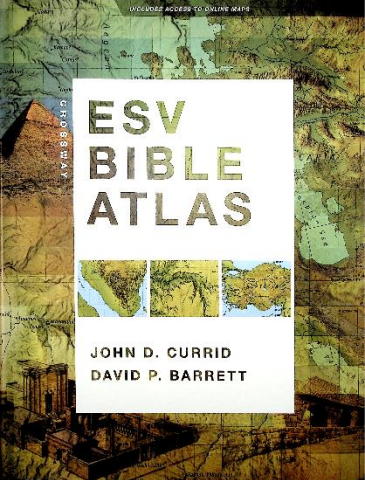


2-3. The Destruction of Sodom and Gomorrah, c. 2000 B.C. (Genesis 19:1–29; Deuteronomy 29:23; Isaiah 13:19; Matthew 10:15; 11:23–24) At Abraham's request, the Lord spared Lot and his family from the destruction that came upon Sodom and Gomorrah. Afterwards, Lot's two daughters feared that their isolation would result in the end of their family line, so they plotted to get their father drunk in order that they might conceive children by him. Each daughter bore a son, from whom the Moabites and the Ammonites were descendants.

Abraham sends his servant

He said to the senior servant in his household, the one in charge of all that he had, “Put your hand under my thigh. I want you to swear by the Lord, the God of heaven and the God of earth, that you will not get a wife for my son from the daughters of the Canaanites, among whom I am living, but will go to my country and my own relatives and get a wife for my son Isaac.”

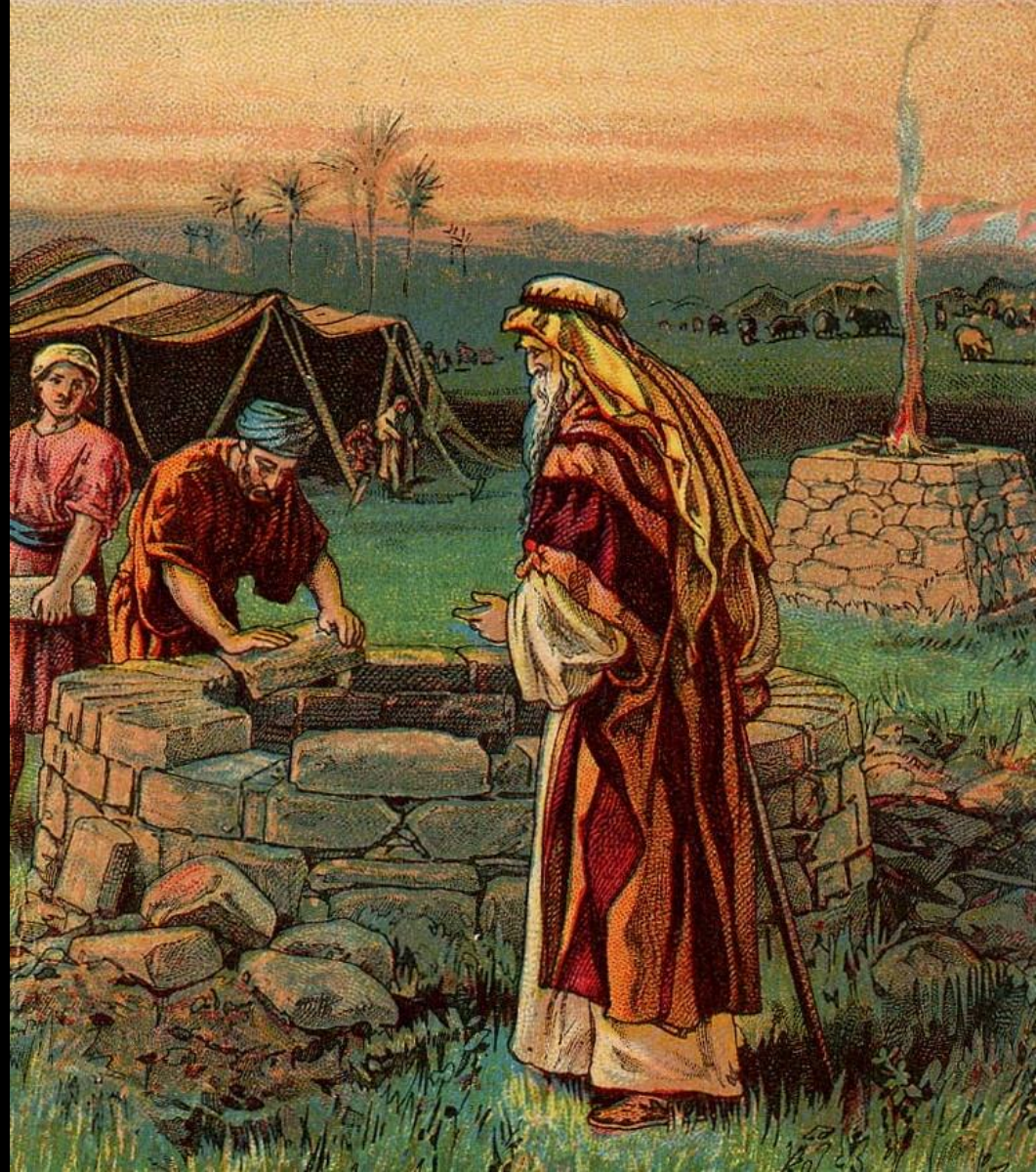
(Genesis 24:2-4)



2-4. Journeys to Paddan-aram, c. 2000 b.c. (Genesis 25:19–20; 28:1–7) When Isaac was 40 years old, Abraham sent his eldest servant back to Paddan-aram, the land of his relatives, to obtain a wife for Isaac. The servant found Rebekah, the granddaughter of Abraham's brother Nahor, and brought her back to Isaac, who was living in the Negeb. Later, Jacob would make this same journey as he fled from his brother Esau.

The Patriarchs

Isaac



Isaac

Stay in this land for a while, and I will be with you
and will bless you. For to you and your
descendants I will give all these lands and will
confirm the oath I swore to your father Abraham.

(Gen 26:3)

Isaac's Route

- Genesis 24:62 – **Beer Laha Roi** (Negev)
- Genesis 25:11 – **Beer Laha Roi** (Negev)
- Genesis 26:1 – **Gerar**
- Genesis 26:33 – **Beersheba**

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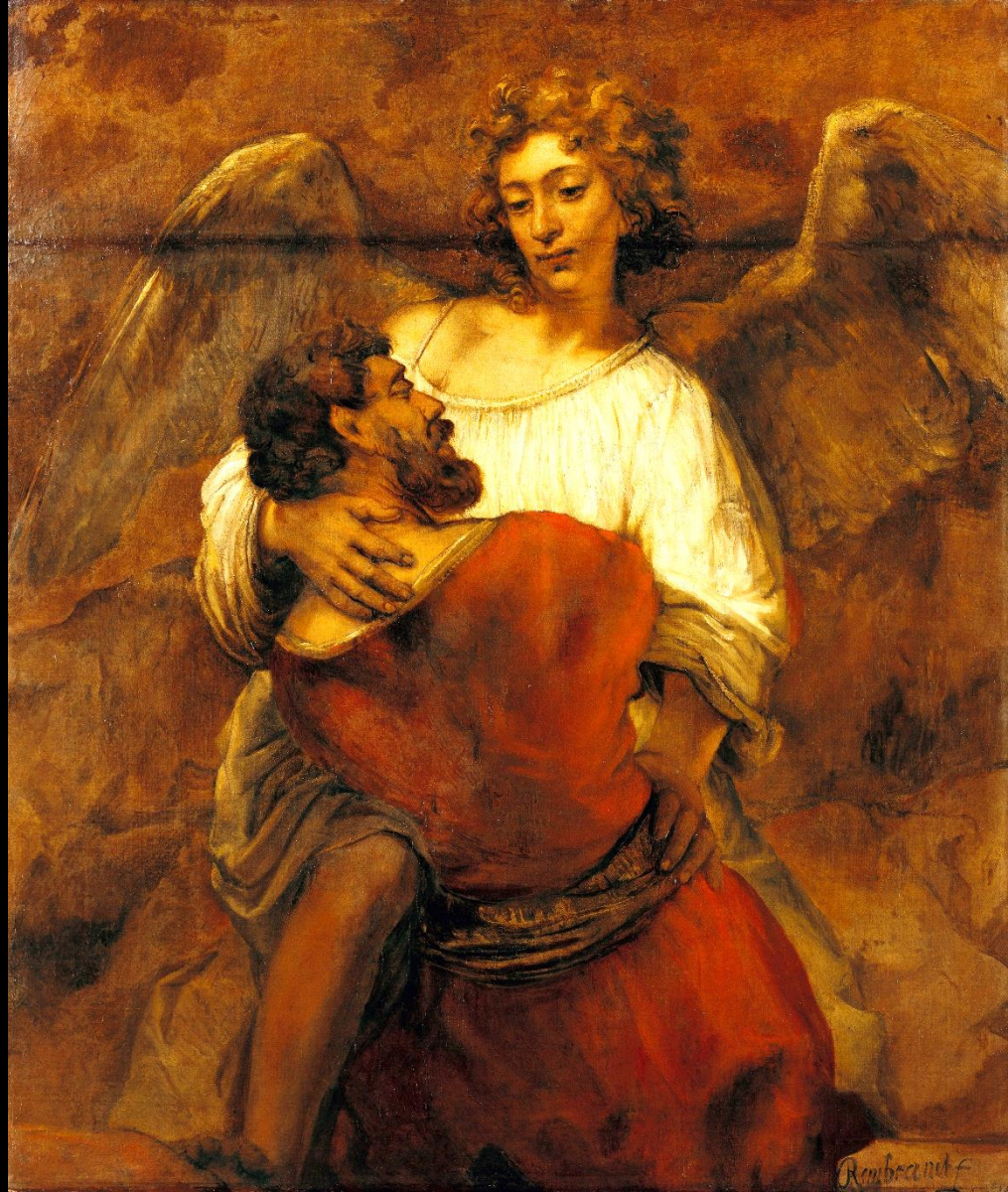
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The Patriarchs

Jacob



Jacob's Route

- Genesis 25:26 – Beer Lahai Roi (Negev) – Birth
- Genesis 28:10 – Beersheba – Run from Esau's wrath
- Genesis 28:19 – Bethel (formerly Luz) – Vision of angels
- Genesis 29:2 – Well of Rachel (Paddan Aaram / Haran) – Love
- Genesis 31:23 – Hill Country of Gilead – Laban catches Jacob
- Genesis 31:49 – Mizpah – Laban and Jacob depart in peace
- Genesis 32:2 – Mahanaim – Camp of God
- Genesis 32:31 – Peniel – Jacob wrestles with God
- Genesis 33:17 – Succoth

Jacob's Route

- Genesis 34:18 – Shechem – Jacob settles
- Genesis 35:6 – Bethel – Revival
- Genesis 35:16 – Distance from Ephrath – Rachel's death, Benj. Birth
- Genesis 35:27 – Kiriath Arba (Hebron) – Isaac's Death

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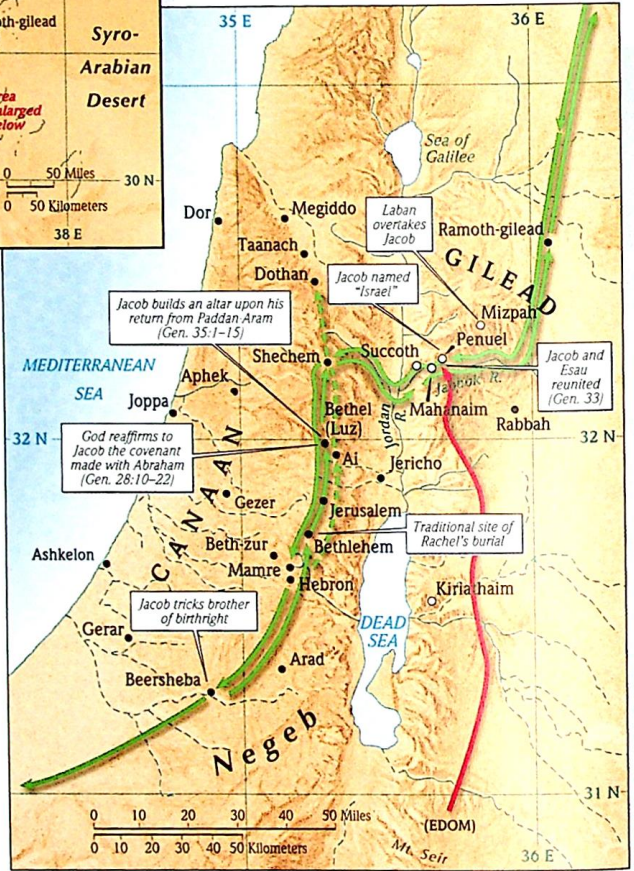


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TRAVELS OF JACOB
 GEN. 28-33; 35

- City
- City (uncertain location)
- Jacob's journey
- Jacob's sons seek pasturage
- Esau's journey



God of Penuel

Then the man said, “Your name will no longer be Jacob, but Israel, because you have struggled with God and with humans and have overcome.”

So Jacob called the place Peniel, saying, “It is because I saw God face to face, and yet my life was spared.”

(Genesis 32:28,30)

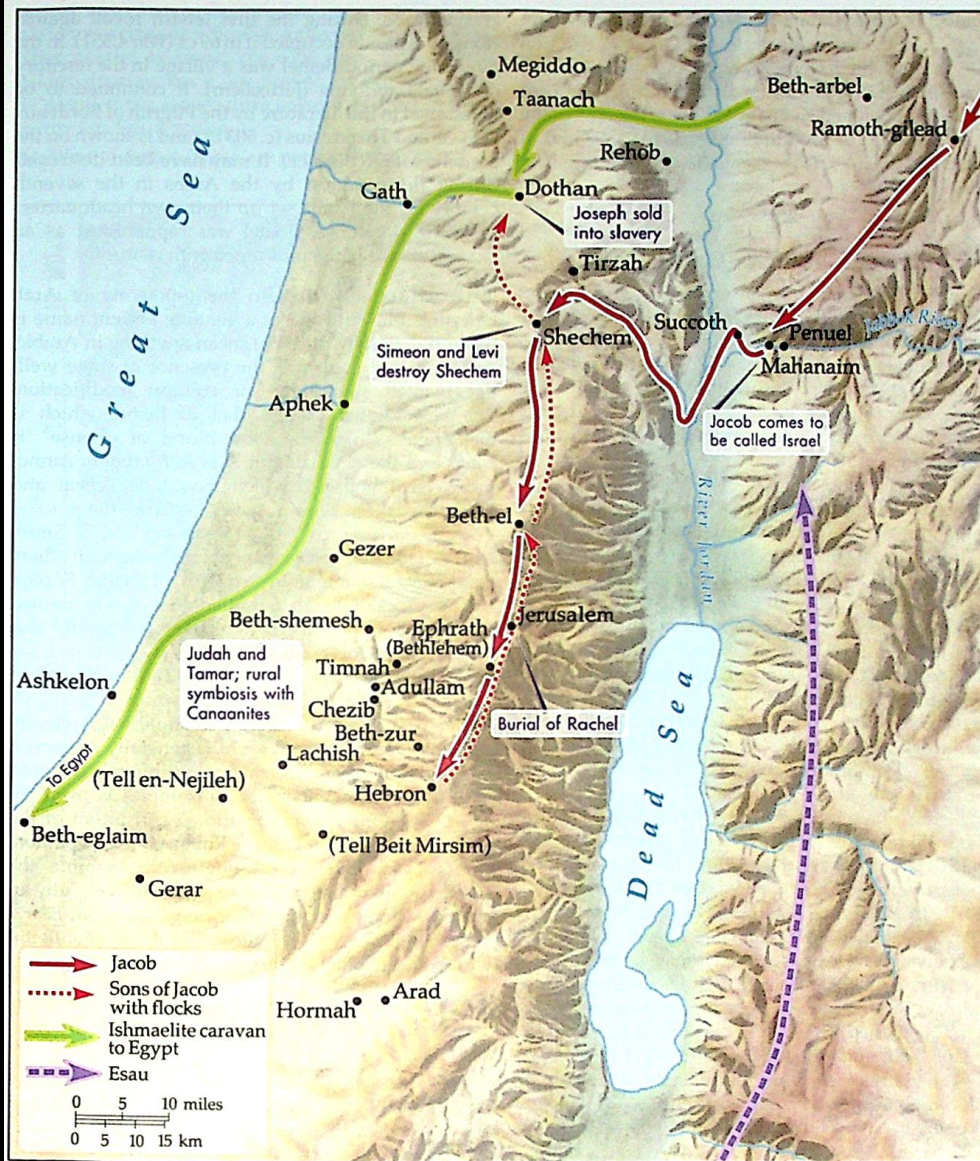
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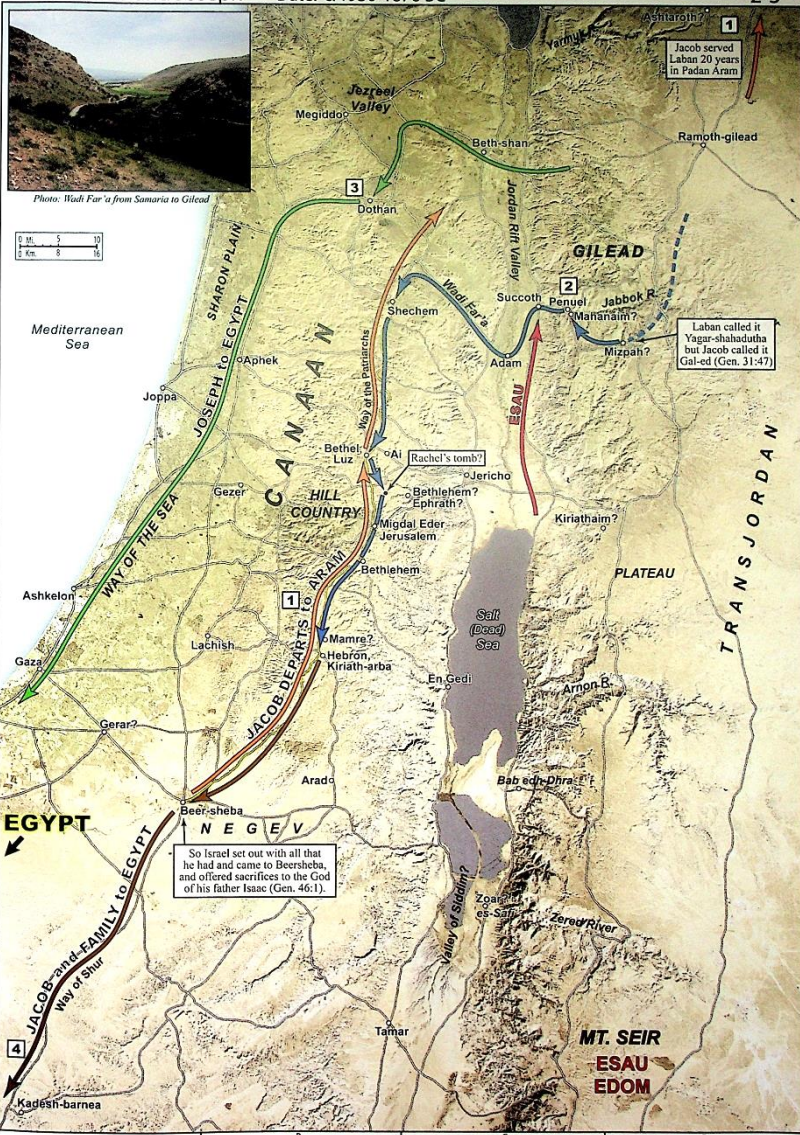


Jacob and his sons.



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The Patriarchs

Joseph



Joseph

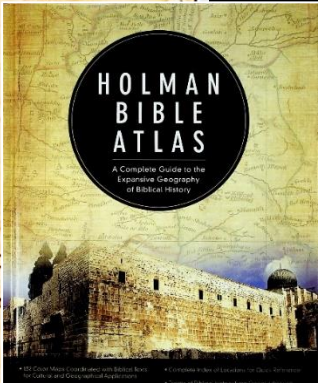
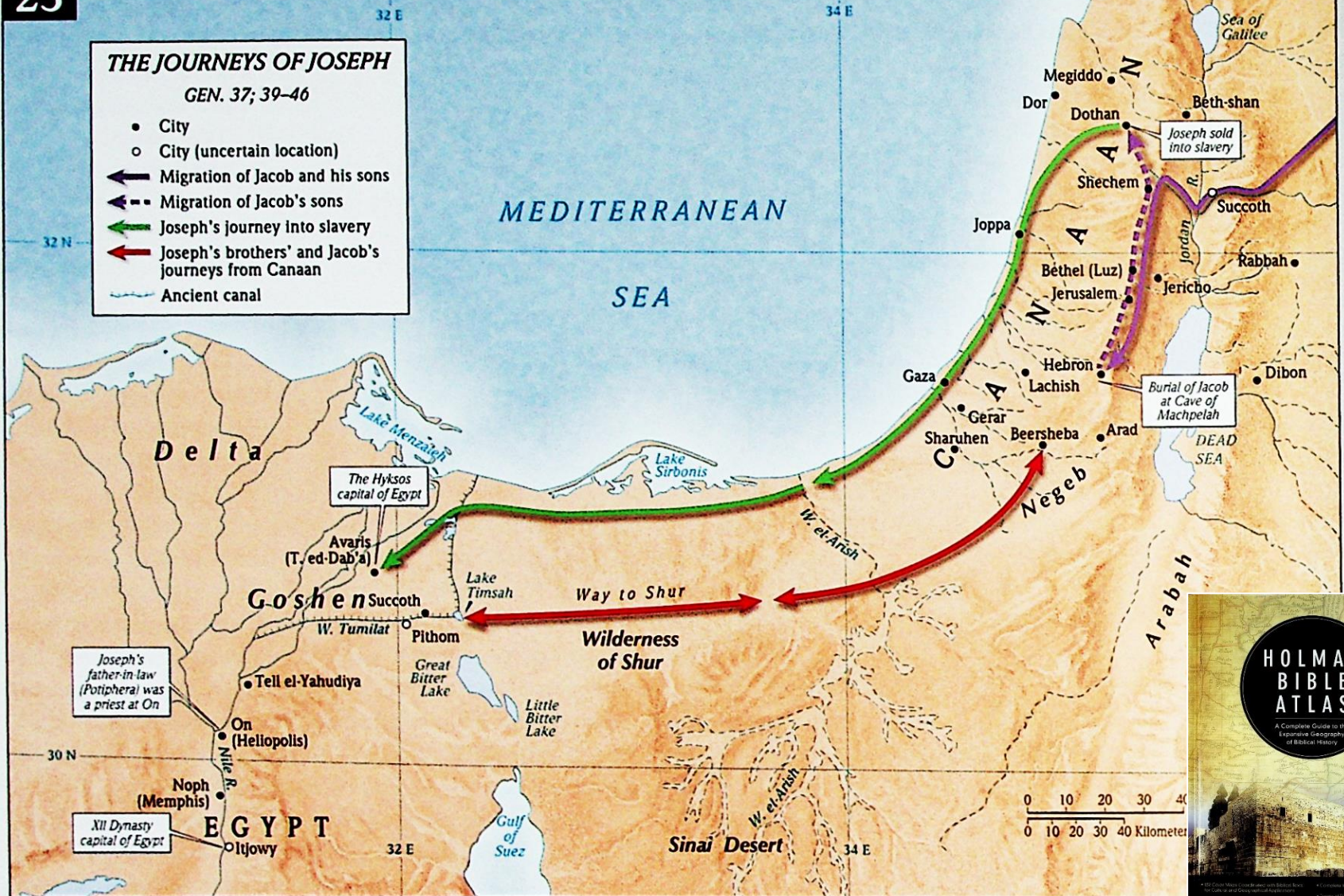
But God sent me ahead of you to preserve for you
a remnant on earth and to save your lives by a
great deliverance.

(Gen 45:7)

THE JOURNEYS OF JOSEPH

GEN. 37; 39-46

- City
- City (uncertain location)
- ← Migration of Jacob and his sons
- ← - - - Migration of Jacob's sons
- ← (Green) Joseph's journey into slavery
- ← (Red) Joseph's brothers' and Jacob's journeys from Canaan
- (Blue) Ancient canal



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