

GENtoREV

GENESIS 12-50 | LESSON 2

MONTH, DAY, YEAR



WELCOME!

- Prayer, Quick review, Maps, **Gen. 12-50** Intro
11:00-11:15
- Discussion Groups
11:15-11:40
- **“Covenant & Lineage”** Lecture, Prayer
11:40-12:10



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REDEMPTION PLAN

- **The Father—Promised Redemption**
 - Next Week—Gen. 3 “Protoevangelium” Promise L1
 - In 2 Weeks—Gen. 12 “Abrahamic Covenant” L2-16
- **The Son—Christ Enacted Redemption**
 - His death and resurrection are the Act of Redemption L16-19
- **The Holy Spirit—Offers Redemption**
 - Brings the Gospel through the Church to the World L20-30

7 ERAS OF GOD'S PLAN

- **1. Harmony**—Genesis 1-2. In God's perfect creation, God the Father is in perfect harmony and relationship with man and woman. All mankind, created in His image, are assigned to be His overseers in charge of all creation.
- **2. Rebellion**—Genesis 3-11. Tempted by Satan and evil, man, woman and all who succeed them fall into selfish temptation and sin against God and others. Perfect harmony with God, others and nature is broken.
- **3. Redemption**—Genesis 12-Ruth. God makes a Covenant of Redemption with Abraham and all of Israel, to bless them. Through this covenant the whole world will be blessed.
- **4. Fallen Kingdoms**—1 Samuel-Malachi. God allows His chosen people of Israel to self-govern with kings like all the other sinful nations. They rise and fall dramatically, but through chosen leaders and prophets He gently calls them to Himself, to follow Him in faith waiting for a new Redeemer King.

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- **5. *The Kingdom of God***—Matthew-John. Christ comes as mankind's Servant and completes His redemptive work on the cross. He acclaims and proves Himself the Son of God, Savior, Messiah, Redeemer, and Resurrected King of Kings.
- **6. *The Church Shares the Gospel***—Acts-Jude. God the Holy Spirit descended at Pentecost, and counsels and guides Christians and His church in all truth throughout the world.
- **7. *Eternal Harmony with God***—Revelation. In God's final story of redemption of His people, Christ gives John and us visions of Christ's return, His final defeat of Satan and all evil on earth, and of glory in Heaven with perfect harmony for us.

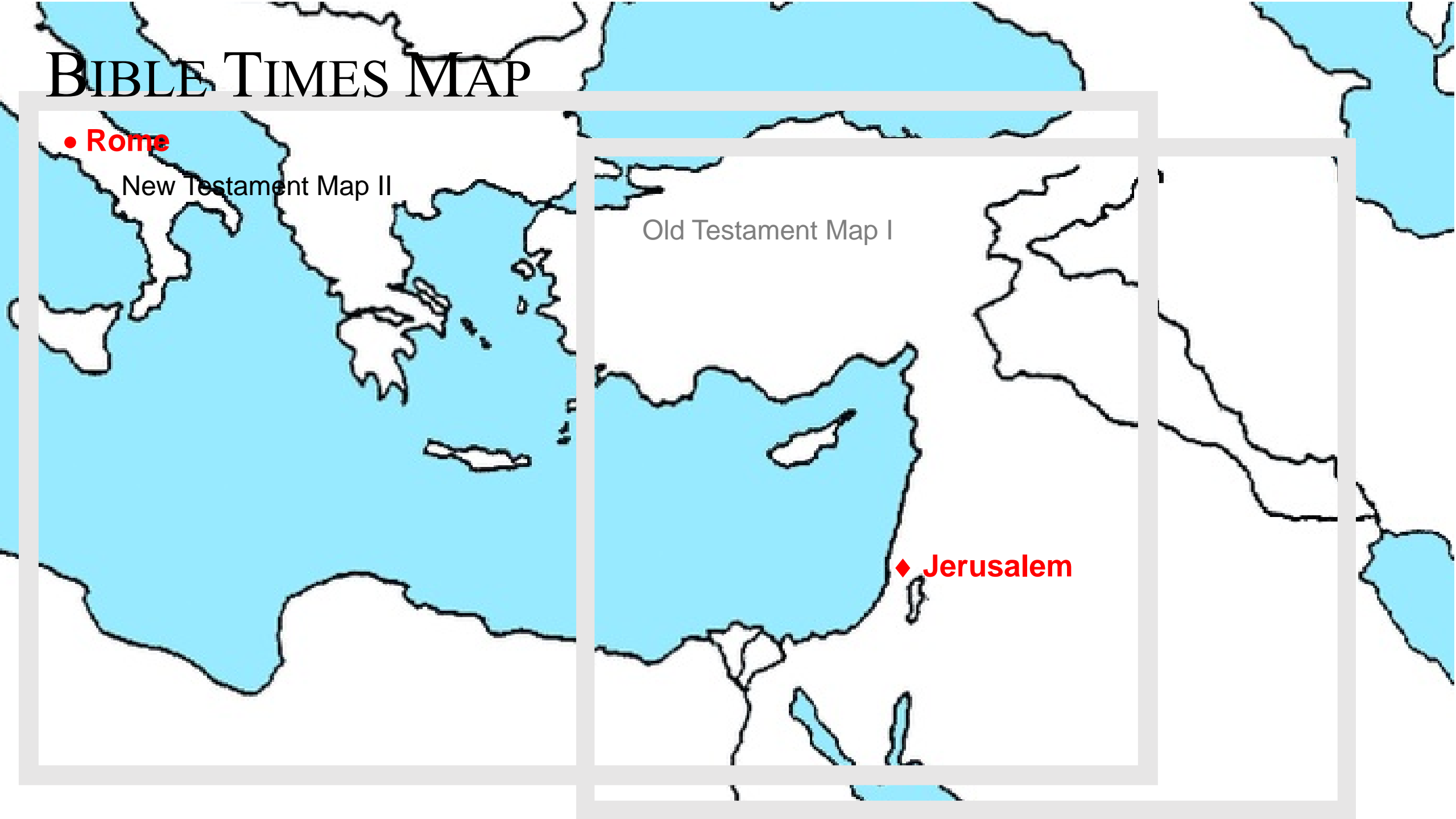
BIBLE TIMES MAP

• **Rome**

New Testament Map II

Old Testament Map I

◆ **Jerusalem**



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Gen. 12:10-37 *his sons & lineage*

Gen. 37-50 *his remnant in Egypt*



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1. God Promised and Instituted the Covenant..

Gen. 12-20

- a. Abram (**Abraham**) and Sarai (**Sarah**) were **chosen**. **Promises** were made (Ch. 12, 15, 17).
- b. Abraham's **line would be blessed** and protected **to bring a blessing to the world** (Ch. 12:1-4).
- c. **Faith** was tested and failed; **Ishmael** was born to Abraham but **not Sarah** (Ch. 18).
- d. **Lot was separated** (Ch. 13) and **Sodom destroyed** (Ch. 19).

COVENANT AND LINEAGE

KEY VERSES

*“Now **the Lord said to Abram, ‘Go from your country and your kindred and your father's house to the land that I will show you. And I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing. I will bless those who bless you, and him who dishonors you I will curse, and in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed.’ So Abram went, as the Lord had told him...**” Gen. 12:1-4a*

COVENANT AND LINEAGE

2. **God Blessed and Multiplied the Lineage...**

Gen. 21-36

- a. **Isaac was born. Abraham's faith was tested and confirmed (Ch. 21-22).**
- b. **Jacob was born second; but gained Esau's firstborn blessing (Ch. 27).**
- c. **Jacob became Israel—the 12 tribes (Ch. 30, 35). Christ's lineage was planned (Matt. 1).**

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*“But the angel of **the Lord** called to him from heaven and said, ‘Abraham, **Abraham!**’ And he said, ‘Here I am.’ He said, ‘Do not lay your hand on the boy or do anything to him, for **now I know that you fear God**, seeing you have not withheld your son, your only son, from me.’” ... **“I am God Almighty: be fruitful and multiply. A nation and a company of nations shall come from you.”** ... **“So all the generations from Abraham to David were fourteen generations, and from David to the deportation to Babylon fourteen generations, and from the deportation to Babylon to the Christ fourteen generations,”** Gen. 22:11-12 ... 35:11 ... Matt. 1:17*

COVENANT AND LINEAGE

3. Fall, Famine and Bondage of the Lineage.

Gen. 37-50

- a. **Joseph's family sinned** against both him and **God** (Ch. 37).
- b. **Joseph was tested** and **exalted in Egypt** (Ch. 39-41).
- c. The broken **family reconciled in forgiveness, safety** and **protection** (Ch. 43-50).

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“And Joseph said to his brothers, ‘I am Joseph! Is my father still alive?’ But his brothers could not answer him, for they were dismayed at his presence. So Joseph said to his brothers, ‘Come near to me, please.’ And they came near. And he said, ‘I am your brother, Joseph, whom you sold into Egypt. And now do not be distressed or angry with yourselves because you sold me here, for God sent me before you to preserve life,”

Gen. 45:3-5

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