

AN UNLIKELY GIFT

PROTECTING GOD'S PROMISES

Part 4 – Ruth 4

Series 13 – A Live Interactive Study
In The Book of Ruth
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BACKGROUND

TIMING

RUTH 1, JUDGES 6:3-4

AUTHORSHIP

SAMUEL?

KEY CONCEPTS

LEVIRITE MARRIAGE

DEUTERONOMY 25:5-10

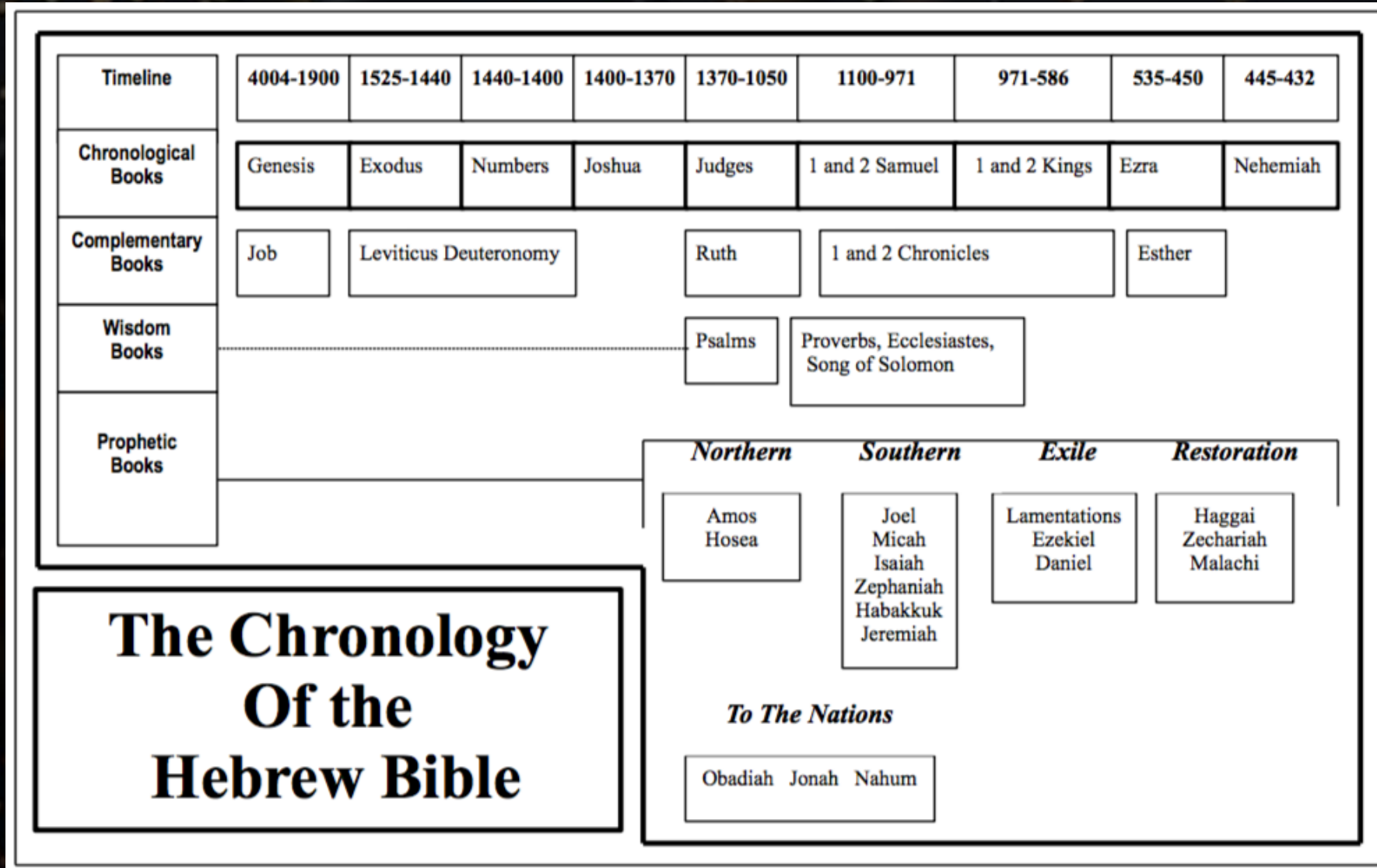
LINEAGE OF DAVID

GENESIS 49:10

RUTH 4:22

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KEY VERSES

“I went out full, but the Lord has brought me back empty. Why do you call me Naomi, since the Lord has witnessed against me and **the Almighty has afflicted me?**” – Ruth 1:21

“Blessed is the Lord who **has not left you without a redeemer** today, and may his name become famous in Israel.” – Ruth 4:14



WORLDVIEW IMPLICATIONS

OUTLINE

Ruth: God Protects A Lineage

1:1-5 Naomi's Loss

1:6-22 Ruth's Loyalty

2:1-7 Ruth's Diligence

2:8-23 Boaz' Kindness

3 Naomi's Plan: God's Provision

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QUESTIONS FROM RUTH 4

What does Boaz's strategy tell us about Boaz and about the other relative? 4:1-4

What does the relative's response tell us about himself and the predicament that God ultimately resolved? 4:5-8

How does Boaz's redemption exceed the Levirite responsibility? 4:9-10

What is significant about the blessings of the witnesses? 4:11-12

What is significant about the blessing of the women after Obed was born? 4:13-17

What is significant about the closing genealogy?
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