



The Kings of Israel

Lesson #79

In our last study:

Josiah reigned in Judah (639
BC – 608 BC)

In this study:

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continued...

Jehoahaz reigns in Judah (608 BC)

Jehoiakim reigns in Judah (608 BC – 597 BC)

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Zedekiah/Mattaniah (597 BC – 586 BC)

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Hilkiah Finds the Book of the Law

2 Chronicles 34:14 – 32

2 Kings 22:14 – 17



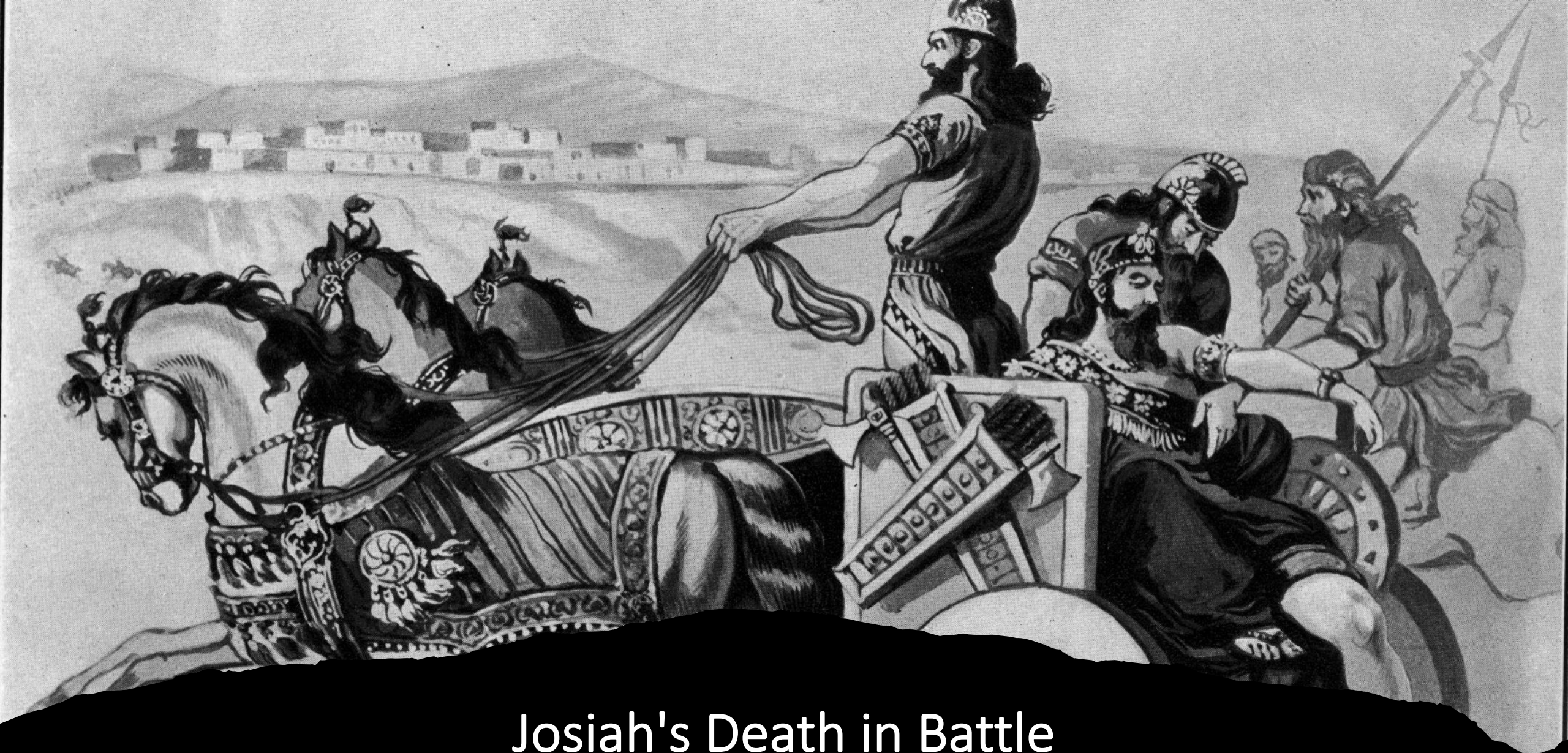
Josiah's Reforms:

- 2 Chronicles 34:33
- 2 Kings 23:4 – 24
- 2 Chronicles 35:1 – 7
- 2 Chronicles 35:16 – 19



2 Kings 23:25 – 27 (ESV)

25 Before him there was no king like him, who turned to the LORD with all his heart and with all his soul and with all his might, according to all the Law of Moses, nor did any like him arise after him. 26 Still the LORD did not turn from the burning of his great wrath, by which his anger was kindled against Judah, because of all the provocations with which Manasseh had provoked him. 27 And the LORD said, "I will remove Judah also out of my sight, as I have removed Israel, and I will cast off this city that I have chosen, Jerusalem, and the house of which I said, My name shall be there."



Josiah's Death in Battle

2 Kings 23:28 – 30 ; 2 Chronicles 35:20 – 21

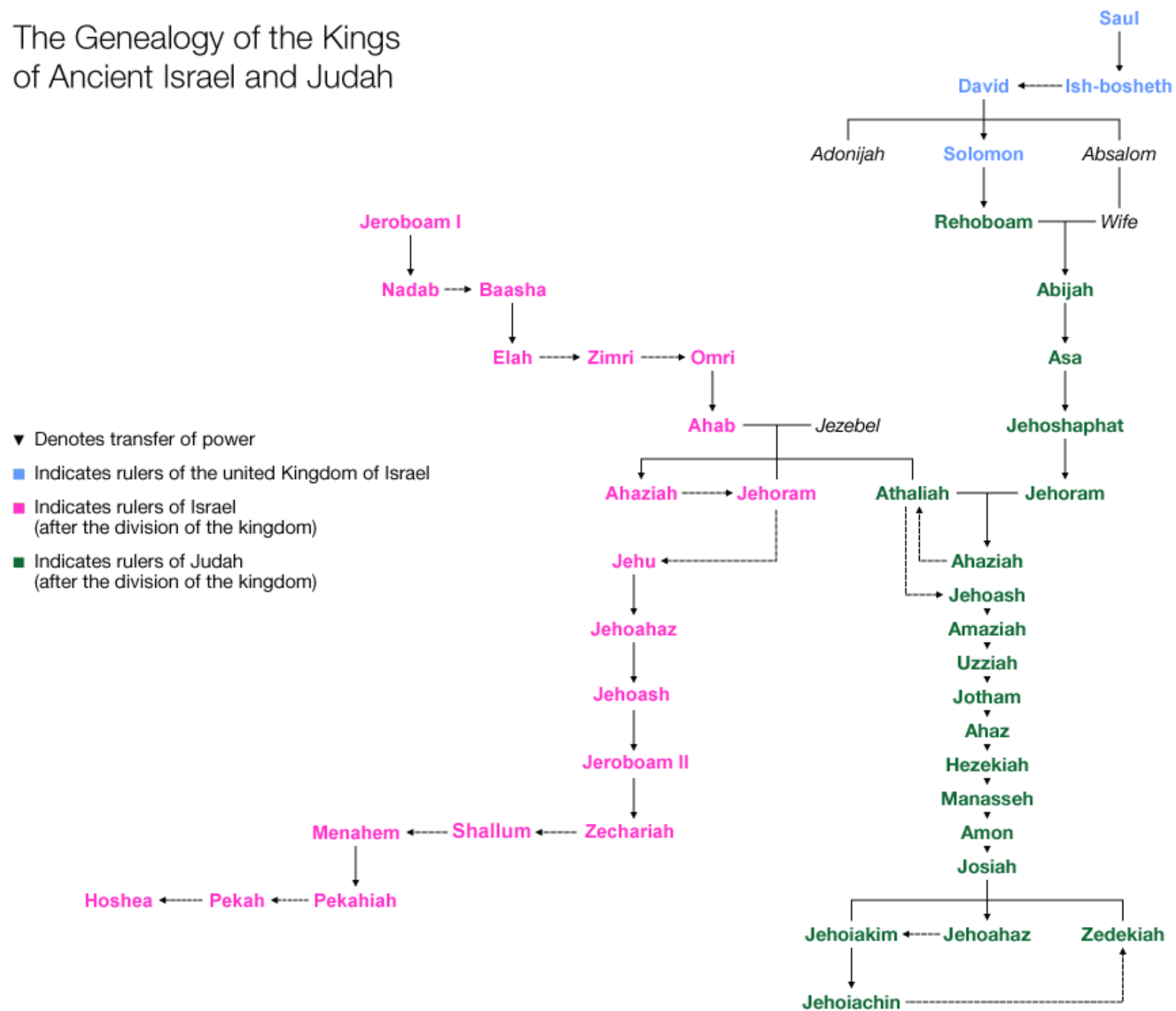
Jehoahaz reigns in Judah

(608 BC)

2 Kings 23:31 (ESV)

31 Jehoahaz was twenty-three years old when he began to reign, and he reigned three months in Jerusalem. His mother's name was Hamutal the daughter of Jeremiah of Libnah.

The Genealogy of the Kings of Ancient Israel and Judah




KINGS

of Israel and Judah

1 SAMUEL 8 – 2 CHRONICLES

UNITED KINGDOM

 **Saul**
1050–1010 BC

 **David**
1010–970 BC


 **Solomon**
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DIVIDED KINGDOM

Kings of Israel

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 **Shallum**
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748–738 BC


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738–736 BC

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 **Hoshea**
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Kings of Judah


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933–916 BC

 **Abijah**
915–913 BC

 **Asa**
912–872 BC


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 **Jotham**
749–734 BC


 **Ahaz**
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 **Hezekiah**
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 **Manasseh**
697–642 BC


 **Amon**
641–640 BC

 **Josiah**
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 **Jehoahaz**
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2 Kings 23:32 (ESV)

*32 And he did what was evil in the sight of the LORD,
according to all that his fathers had done.*

2 Kings 23:33 (ESV)

33 And Pharaoh Neco put him in bonds at Riblah in the land of Hamath, that he might not reign in Jerusalem, and laid on the land a tribute of a hundred talents of silver and a talent of gold.

2 Kings 23:34 (ESV)

34 And Pharaoh Neco made Eliakim the son of Josiah king in the place of Josiah his father, and changed his name to Jehoiakim. But he took Jehoahaz away, and he came to Egypt and died there.

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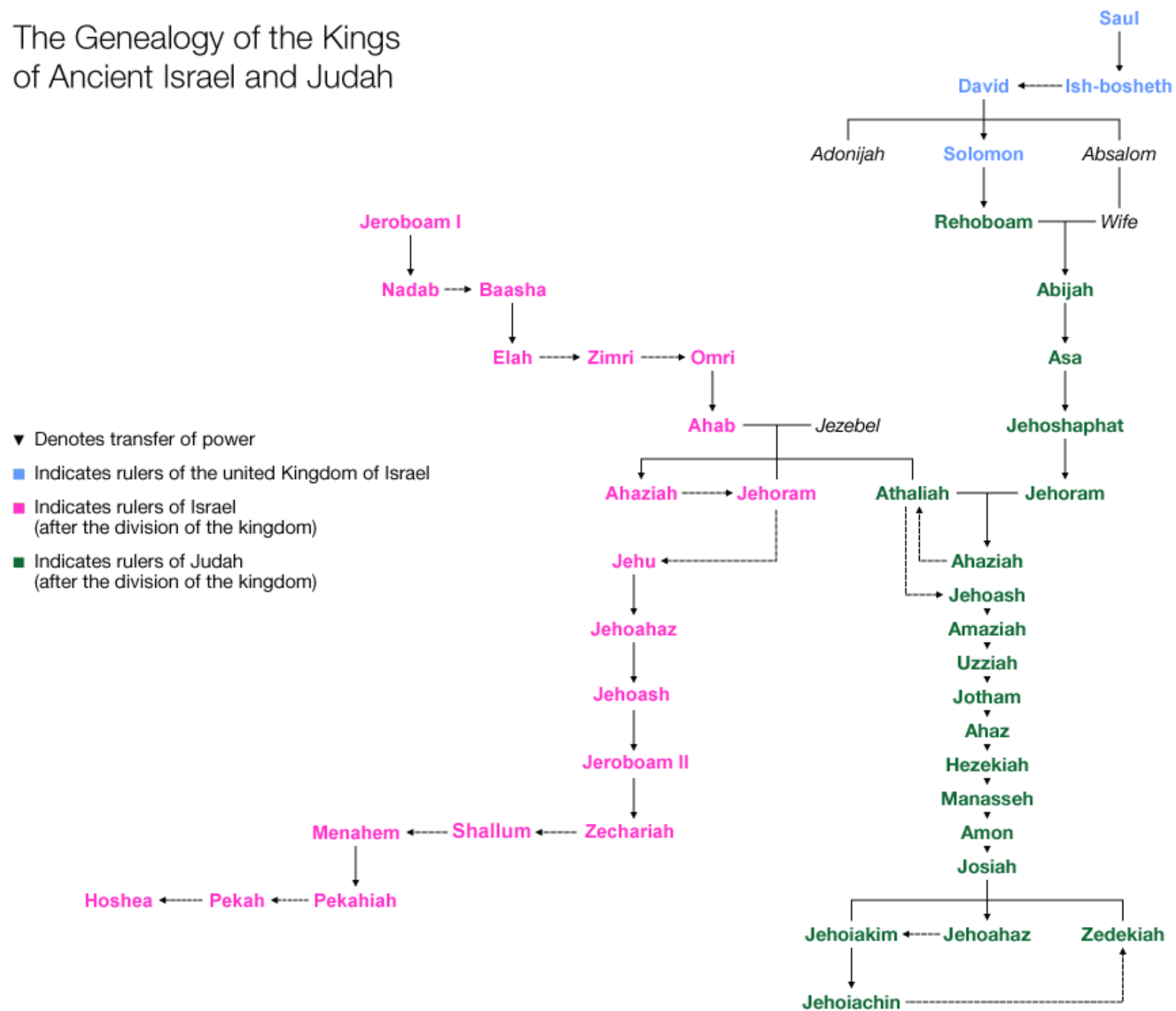
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36 Jehoiakim was twenty-five years old when he began to reign, and he reigned eleven years in Jerusalem. His mother's name was Zebidah the daughter of Pedaiiah of Rumah.


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
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2 Kings 23:35 (ESV)

35 And Jehoiakim gave the silver and the gold to Pharaoh, but he taxed the land to give the money according to the command of Pharaoh. He exacted the silver and the gold of the people of the land, from everyone according to his assessment, to give it to Pharaoh Neco.



In our next study, we will continue
examining the period of the divided
Kingdom!