

Bible Survey: Section 7: The Divided Kingdom

Dynasties of Judah & Israel

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The Davidic dynasty began when God replaced Saul with David. David's son, Solomon, ruled the united kingdom of Israel. After the division, the Davidic dynasty continued in Judah until its fall to Babylon. Meanwhile, Israel had nine dynasties.

Dynasties of Israel

1st - Jeroboam I, Nadab

2nd - Baasha, Elah

3rd - Zimri

4th - Omri, Ahab, Ahaziah, Jehoram

5th - Jehu, Jehoahaz, Jehoash, Jeroboam II, Zechariah

6th - Shallum

7th - Menahem, Pekahiah

8th - Pekah

9th - Hoshea

Notes

Zimri's reign only lasted 7 days. After his death, two candidates battled for Israel's throne. Some followed Omri and some followed Tibni. Omri eventually won.

The Davidic dynasty had one interruption for about six years when Queen Athaliah, the granddaughter of Omri, king of Israel, ruled. She'd married Jehoram, king of Judah. When her son, King Ahaziah, died, she seized the throne and killed the princes. One young child, Joash, was saved and protected until Athaliah was overthrown. Joash was made king at age seven, restoring the Davidic dynasty.