

Timeline of Kings and Prophets

Kings of ...		Start of reign	Length of reign (years)	Prophets to ...	
Judah	Israel			Judah	Israel
Saul			32		
David			40		
Solomon, good king did not finish well		970 BC	40		
1. Rehoboam, bad king.		931 BC	17		
	1. Jeroboam	931 BC	22		(Ahijah)
2. Abijam, from 18th year of Jeroboam, bad king.	He made two golden calves so that people would not worship the Lord in Jerusalem.	913 BC	3		
3. Asa, fr 20 yrs of Jeroboam, good king.		911 BC	41		
	2. Nadab, fr 2 yrs of Asa	910 BC	2		
	3. Baasha, fr 3 yrs of Asa	909 BC	24		(Jehu the son of Hannani)
	4. Elah, fr 26 yrs of Asa	886 BC	2		
	5. Zimri, fr 27 yrs of Asa	885 BC	7 days		
	6. Omri, fr 31 yrs of Asa	885 BC	12		
	7. Ahab, fr 38 yrs of Asa. He sold himself to do evil in the sight of the LORD.	874 BC	22		(Elijah)
4. Jehoshaphat, fr 4 yrs of Ahab. Good king.		873 BC	25	(JEHU THE SON OF HANNANI (ELIEZER))	(Micaiah)
He formed an alliance with Ahab by allowing his children to marry Ahab's daughters.	8. Ahaziah, fr 17 yrs Jehoshaphat	853 BC	2		(Elisha)
	9. Joram (Jehoram) fr 18 yr Jehoshaphat	852 BC	12		
5. Jehoram (Joram), fr 5 yrs Joram, bad king. He married Athaliah, the daughter of Ahab		848 BC	8		
6. Ahaziah, fr 20 yrs Joram. A bad king, he also married Ahab's daughter.		841 BC	1	Obadiah (841 or 586) Judgement on Edom	
	10. Jehu (He killed both Joram and Ahaziah)	841 BC	28		
7. Queen Athaliah, daughter of Ahab who murdered the heirs to the throne.		841 BC	6		
8. Joash (Jehoash), fr 11 yrs of Jehu, good king did not finish well.		835 BC	40	Joel (835) The Day of the Lord and the judgement of the nations	
	11. Jehoahaz, fr 23 yrs of Joash	814 BC	17		
	12. Jehoash (Joash), fr 37 yrs of Joash	798 BC	16		
9. Amaziah, fr 2 yrs of Jehoash, good king did not finish well.		796 BC	29		
	13. Jeroboam II, fr 15 yrs of Amaziah	794 BC	41		
10. Uzziah (Azariah), fr 27 yrs of Jeroboam II. Good king did not finish well.		790 or 768 B	52		
(He was probably co-regent from 790 BC when his father was imprisoned)		760 BC			Jonah (760) Nineveh called to repent
		755 BC			Amos (755) Divine punishment follows persistent sin
	14. Zechariah, fr 38 yrs of Uzziah	753 BC	6 months		
	15. Shallum, fr 39 yrs of Uzziah	752 BC	1 month		
	16. Menahem, fr 39 yrs of Uzziah	752 BC	10		
(Jotham was co-regent with Uzziah)	17. Pekahiah, fr 50 yrs of Uzziah	742 BC	2		
	18. Pekah, fr 52 yrs of Uzziah	740 BC	20	Isaiah (740-680) The coming Saviour and King of Israel	
		753 BC			Hosea (about 753) God's love for Israel
11. Jotham, fr 2 yrs of Pekah. A good king.		750 or 739 B	16		
12. Ahaz, fr 17 yrs of Pekah. A bad king.		731 BC	16		
	19. Hoshea, fr 12 yrs of Ahaz	732 BC	9		
(Hezekiah, a co-regency with Ahaz from 729 BC)	Assyria captured Samaria in the sixth year of Hezekiah	722 BC			
13. Hezekiah, fr 3 yrs of Hoshea. The best king after David.		716 BC	29		
		700 BC		Micah (700) Doom and deliverance	
14. Manasseh. The most evil and wicked king.		695 BC	55		
		663 BC		Nahum (663-612) Doom of Nineveh and Assyria	
15. Amon. An evil king.		642 BC	2		
16. Josiah. A born-again king but his reform failed to bring back his people to the Lord.		640 BC	31		
		627 BC		Jeremiah (into exile, 627-585) Jerusalem's judgement and coming glory	
		625 BC		Zephaniah (625) Judgement on Judah and rescue of a remnant	
17. Jehoahaz. An evil king who was carried to Egypt.		609 BC	3 months		
18. Jehoiakim. An evil king.		609 BC	11		
		606 BC		Habakkuk (606 - 604) Babylonian captivity	
19. Jehoiachin (Jeconiah, Coniah). The youngest evil king, carried to Babylon the same time with Daniel. From him came Joseph, the husband of Mary. (see Jeremiah 22:24-30)		597 BC	3 months		
20. Zedekiah. An evil king.		597 BC	11		
		592 BC		Ezekiel (592-570) Future restoration of Israel and the land	
Babylon captured Jerusalem		586 BC		Obadiah (841 or 586) Judgement on Edom	
Cyrus of Persia decrees return of Jews		538 BC			
		537 BC		Daniel (537) The times of the Gentiles and Israel's kingdom	
		520 BC		Haggai (520) Restoration of the temple; Zechariah (520-518) Hope in the return of the Messiah	
(Esther)		465 BC			
(Ezra 450-444)		450 BC		Malachi (450-400) God's complaint and warning against Israel	
(Nehemiah 445-425)		445 BC			