

"And I will establish the throne
of his kingdom forever."

I Samuel 7:12-16

1390 B.C. 1050 B.C. 1010 B.C. 970 B.C.

"In those days there
was no king in Israel
and every man did right
in his own sight"

Judges 21:25

"We want a
king over us."
I Samuel 8:19

KING
SAUL
40 years

THE JUDGES

Military leaders
who helped to
regain the land

A united kingdom
under Saul

KING
DAVID
40 years

KING
SOLOMON
40 years

"OBEDIENCE IS
BETTER
THAN SACRIFICE"

I Samuel 15:22

Under Solomon, Israel reached
its zenith, but immediately after
Solomon's death, the decline was
rapid and tragic.

ISRAEL IN THE LAND

Judges
(Ruth)

I Samuel
(Psalms)

I Kings 1-11
(Proverbs, Ecclesiastes,
Song of Solomon)

← I Chronicles — X — II Chronicles →

Prophets in Israel: Hosea, Amos, Jonah
Prophets in Judah: Joel, Obadiah

I Kings 12 - II Kings 16

THE NORTHERN KINGDOM of Israel
(Samaria) ruled by 19 kings who
were all evil.
TEN TRIBES
Reuben, Simeon, Gad, Issachar,
Zebulun, Ephraim, Manasseh, Dan,
Asher, Naphtali

NORTHERN
SAMARIA

KINGDOM
DIVIDED

JERUSALEM

SOUTHERN

THE SOUTHERN KINGDOM of JUDAH (Jerusalem) ruled by 19 kings
and 1 queen. 8 were good and the rest were evil.
TWO TRIBES: Judah and Benjamin