# The Prophets



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The Kingdom of God

Kingdom Character

Kingdom Chronology









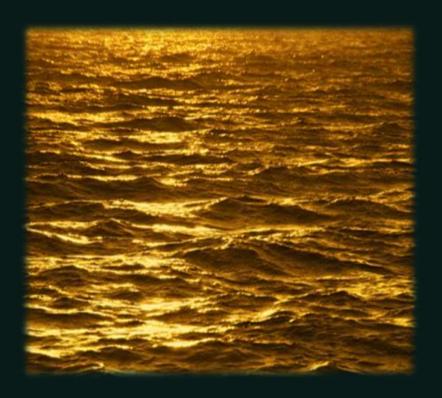


What is Kingdom?



"Some have sought to distinguish between a realm and the dynamic of God ruling and to opt for one or the other as the meaning of the kingdom... The Bible does not leave the kingdom in the abstract. If God rules, he rules somewhere... There is no abstract rule without a realm."

-Graeme Goldsworthy







"So Solomon sat on the throne of David his father, and his kingdom was firmly established."

1 Kings 2:12

### Kingdom: Earthly Realm

"May he have dominion from sea to sea, and from the River to the ends of the earth."

- Psalm 72:8



Kingdom: Character

King & Kingdom.

### Kingdom: Character

"I will take the people of Israel from the nations among which they have gone, and will gather them from all around, and bring them to their own land. And I will make them one nation in the land, on the mountains of Israel. And one king shall be king over them all, and they shall be no longer two nations, and no longer divided into two kingdoms."

- Ezekiel 37:21-22

### Kingdom: Character

"I saw in the night visions, and behold, with the clouds of heaven there came one like a son of man, and he came to the Ancient of Days and was presented before him. And to him was given dominion and glory and a kingdom, that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve him; his dominion is an everlasting dominion, which shall not pass away, and his kingdom one that shall not be destroyed."

- Daniel 7:13-14



#### Isaiah

National Supremacy. Isaiah 2

Throne & Government. Isaiah 9

Righteous Rule & Peace. Isaiah 11

Gentile Worship. Isaiah 19

Rejuvenation. Isaiah 35

Longer life. Isaiah 65





# Jeremiah

"Behold, the days are coming, declares the LORD, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In his days Judah will be saved, and Israel will dwell securely.

- Jeremiah 23:5-6





### Ezekiel

#### God's Glory: Removed

The Glory above the mercy seat. 9:3

The Glory moves to the threshold. 10:4

The Glory moves to the gate. 10:18-19

The Glory leaves the Temple. 11:22-25





# God's Glory: Restored

The residence for Glory's return. 40-42

The Glory's return. 43

The Glory's regulation. 44-46

The Glory & the Kingdom. 47-48

### Ezekiel





#### Hosea

"For the children of Israel shall dwell many days without king or prince...
Afterward the children of Israel shall return and seek the LORD their God, and David their king, and they shall come in fear to the LORD and to his goodness in the latter days."

- Hosea 3:4-5





# Joel

"So you shall know that I am the LORD your God, who dwells in Zion, my holy mountain. And Jerusalem shall be holy, and strangers shall never again pass through it. And in that day the mountains shall drip sweet wine, and the hills flow with milk."

- Joel 3:17-18





#### Amos

"In that day I will raise up the booth of David that is fallen and repair its breaches, and raise up its ruins and rebuild it as in the days of old... the mountains shall drip sweet wine and all the hills shall flow with it."

- Amos 9:11-13





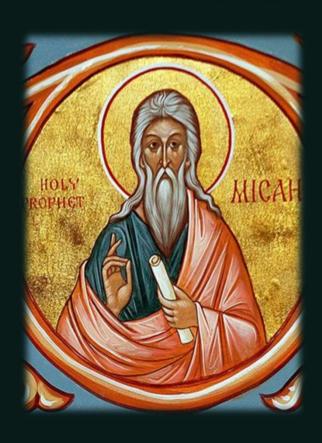
#### Micah 4: Kingdom Come

- Many nations shall come (v.2a)
- God's law is the standard (v.2b-3)
- Physical reign from Mt. Zion (v.7)

#### Micah 5:2 The King Come Forth

- "who is to be ruler in Israel"

#### Micah





# Habakkuk

"For the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the LORD as the waters cover the sea."

- Habakkuk 2:14





"The King of Israel, the LORD, is in your midst; you shall never again fear evil. On that day it shall be said to Jerusalem: Fear not, O Zion; let not your hands grow weak. The LORD your God is in your midst."

- Zephaniah 3:16-17

# Zephaniah





# Haggai

"I will shake all nations, so that the treasures of all nations shall come in, and I will fill this house with glory, says the LORD of hosts... The latter glory of this house shall be greater than the former, says the LORD of hosts. And in this place I will give peace, declares the LORD of hosts."

- Haggai 2:7-9





#### Zechariah: Kingdom Conditions

- Many nations "joined." (2:11-13)
- "Happy" streets (**8:1-8**)
- King *and* Conquering (9:9-10)
- Worldwide (14:9)

### Zechariah





# "From the rising of the sun to its setting my name will be great among the nations, and in every place incense will be offered to my name, and a pure offering. For my name will be great among the nations, says the LORD of hosts."

- Malachi 1:11

#### Malachi











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# The Prophets: Kingdom Recap

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# Next Week

# The Kingdom of God: Chronology









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