

Old Testament Walk Thru (Acts 7 Stephen & Acts 13 Paul)

- I. Creation to Abraham-----Primeval (First age of the world)
- Creation/Fall/Flood/Babel (First 11 chapters Genesis/Moses wrote John 1:45, 5:46)
- II. From Abraham to Moses -----Patriarchal
1. Ur established 4000 B.C.
 2. Persian Gulf
 3. 4 People to be the SALT of the Earth (Approx. 2000 BC/Job written) Sarah- Abraham-Lot-Terah
 4. Between the Tigris and Euphrates rivers
 5. All 4 journey to Haran, Terah dies
 6. Comes down into the promised land-Sea of Galilee/Jordon River/Dead Sea/Mediterranean Sea/Palestine
 7. With “eyes of faith” two sons Ishmael/Isaac
 8. God blessed Isaac with two sons-- Esau—hairy/Jacob smooth
 9. God blessed Jacob with 12 sons—Dinah—Someone’s in the kitchen—Focus on Joseph—the Dreamer
 10. Joseph’s sold down into Egypt—into slavery—400 years
- III. From Moses to Joshua-----Mosaic
1. God raised up a deliverer—Moses
 2. Went to Pharaoh—Let my people go
 3. NO!
 4. Ten Plagues (Ex. 12:12 against their gods)
 5. Crossing the Red Sea
 6. Sharp right turn and down to Mt. Sinai—Receives the Law—three parts—MORAL/CIVIL/CERIMONIAL—Receives the instructions for the Tabernacle—and rules for the Priests/Levites
 7. Left Mt. Sinai and went to Kadesh-Barnea (wide spot in the road)—Sent out 12 spies—10 said “no”—2 said “yes”—Lived by faith—Joshua/Caleb
 8. Unbelief and therefore wandered for 40 years Manna/Rock/Quail/Generation died
 9. Come to the Top of the Dead Sea
 10. Moses preaches 3 long sermons and dies
- IV. From Joshua to Samuel-----Judges
1. Five Star General—Joshua took over
 2. Crossed the Jordon
 3. Conquered Jericho—Walls came down
 4. Ai sin in the camp dealt with
 5. Divide and conquer—First South then North
 6. Conquest took 7 years
 7. Divide up the land into 12 tribes
 8. Period of the Judges 400 years
 9. Four of the more prominent Judges—Deborah/Gideon/Samson /Samuel (last judge first prophet to the nation)
 10. 7 Periods of Ups and Downs—“Every man did what was right in his own eyes” (the last verse of Judges)
- V. From Samuel to Solomon-----United Kingdom
1. People kept looking over their shoulder
 2. First King—Saul—no heart
 3. Second King—David—whole heart
 4. Third King—Solomon—half heart
 5. Each reigned 40 years—Total of 120 years
 6. After Solomon dies, the nation split over taxes
 7. S/D/S split
 8. Northern Kingdom called Israel
 9. Southern Kingdom called Judah
 10. Date of the split—931 B.C.
- VI. DIVIDED KINGDOM TO THE EXILES
1. Israel was more sinful
 2. Israel had 19 Kings—None good
 3. Judah had 20 Kings—8 good
 4. Assyria conquered Israel
 5. Assyria scattered the people all over
 6. Assyrian Invasion in 722 B.C. (200 years after the split)
 7. 150 years later, Babylon conquered Judah
 8. Babylonian journey is commonly called the EXILE—Captives were taken out of the country
 9. Captives were brought back to Babylon
 10. Exile lasted 70 years
- VII. RESTORATION TO 400 YEARS OF SILENCE
1. All the promised land is in RUBBLE
 2. God remembers His covenant
 3. Zerubbabel
 4. Ezra
 5. Nehemiah
 6. 100 year period while these three men bring back 50,000 people
 7. Zerubbabel rebuilds the Temple
 8. Ezra rebuilds the People
 9. Nehemiah rebuilds the WALLS (decree to rebuild city 3.14.444 B.C.)
 10. From the time of Nehemiah to the time of Christ is 400 years commonly referred to as the “400 SILENT YEARS”