

Notes on:

World Time Line of Biblical History

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- **100% Bible based**

Can be validated by anyone using the Scriptural references given who can add and subtract.

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Every letter, every word is important! The tense (present tense, past tense, future tense) is important, the way the verse is worded is important. Every detail is important.

Note #2

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Dr. David Cooper's – Messiah, His First Coming Scheduled, 1939

The Anno Hominis calendar – Year of Man {i.e. Creation of Man}

My modifications to Dr. Cooper's work:

Change of format, added Scriptural references, added notes on departures from traditional chronology, added dashes to indicate where backward dating is required.

[Dashed lines indicate that backward dating is required.]

A.H.	B.C.
0	(4042) Adam and Eve created (Gen. 1-2)

Differences in Dr. Cooper's chronology {1939 A.D.} and traditional chronology (Archbishop Ussher) {1650 A.D.}

38 year difference – creation event

[4004 B.C. (Archbishop Usher) vs 4042 B.C. (Dr. Cooper)]

Ammonite rule over the east, Philistine rule over west at same time? {31 year difference}

{This one interpretation removes all but 7 years of the difference in the two chronologies!}

Abimelech's 3 year judgeship (2826 A.H.) counted or not?

In the 480 years from entry into promised Land until 4th year of Solomon when the Temple construction was started? (I Ki. 6:1,38)

480 years + 114 years of oppression

Note: oppression years were not counted.

532 years are specifically accounted for in Scripture

4 year error? As to when Jesus was born

Exact lengths of kings' reign

{i.e. If Scripture says 38, was it 37 ½ or 38 ½ rather than exactly 38?}

Many “modern” chronologies have an 80 year difference in B.C. dates because they are based on secular historical records - which are based on the Roman calendar that used time periods of 80 years to divide up their calendar. I believe the Bible is superior to secular historical records and someone miscounted an 80 year time period prior to the time of Christ when doing their history records.

How to do a chronology

(Gen 5:3) And Adam lived an hundred and thirty years, and begat *a son* in his own likeness, after his image; and called his name Seth:

0+130 = 130 Seth was born 130 years after the year of creation

(Gen 5:6) And Seth lived an hundred and five years, and begat Enos:

130+105=235 Enos was born 235 years after creation.

(Gen 5:9) And Enos lived ninety years, and begat Cainan:

235+90=325 Cainan was born 325 years after creation

Gen 5:12) And Cainan lived seventy years, and
begat Mahalaleel: $325+70 = 395$

(Gen 5:15) And Mahalaleel lived sixty and five
years, and begat Jared: $395+65=460$

(Gen 5:18) And Jared lived an hundred sixty and
two years, and he begat Enoch: $460+162=622$

(Gen 5:21) And Enoch lived sixty and five years,
and begat Methuselah: $622+65=687$

Methuselah was born 687 years after creation.

Note: Methuselah means “It shall be sent”

**Methuselah lived 969 years and died the year of
the flood.**

Note #3

Examples of backward dating:

Reckoning Jacob's age:

Jacob was **147** when he died, he had lived **17 years** in Egypt [Gen 47:28]

He came to Egypt in the 2nd year of the famine at the age of **130 [147-17]** [Gen. 45:6]

Joseph was **39 [30 + 7 +2]**

Jacob was **91** when Joseph was born [**130 - 39**]

Jacob had been in the east **14 years** when Joseph was born [Gen. 45:6; 47:28; 30:26; 31:41]

Jacob was **77** when he fled from Esau [**91 - 14**]

Note #4

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{Gen. 11:10} we know that Noah was 502 when Shem was born. Shem is listed first in Gen. 5:32 because of his importance (as an ancestor of Jesus.)

Japheth is referred to as the “elder” (oldest) of Noah’s sons in Gen. 10:21

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- . 1556 (2486) Japheth born to Noah age 500
 (Gen. 5:32)
 (It is possible that Japheth and Ham
 Were twins.)**
- 1558 (2484) Shem born to Noah age 502
 (Gen. 11:10)**

Note #5

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**At first glance at Gen 11:26 it appears that Terah was
70 when Abram was born, but since Terah lived to
the age of 205 {Gen. 11:32} and Abram left for
Canaan after Terah's death {Acts 7:4}**

**Terah had to be 130 at the time of Abram's birth.
although Nahor#2 is the oldest son of Terah,
Abraham is listed first in Gen. 11 because of his
Importance and his being an ancestor of Jesus. See
note on Shem's birth {1558 A.H.} above.**

Acts 7:4 {Stephen's testimony}

(4) Then came he {Abraham} out of the land of the Chaldaeans, and dwelt in Charran (Haran): and from thence, when his father was dead, he removed him into this land (Canaan), wherein ye now dwell.

----1948 (2094) Nahor#2 born to Terah

age 70 (Gen. 11:26)

1997 (2045) Nahor#1's death

age 148 (Gen. 11:25)

2006 (2036) Noah's death age 950

**(Gen. 9:28-29) [349 years after
end of the flood.]**

2008 (2034) Abram born to Terah age 130

(Gen. 11:31-32; Gen. 12:4; Acts 7:4)

| 2008 [1] (2034) Abram born to Terah age
| 130 (Gen. 11:31-32; Gen. 12:4;
| Acts 7:4)
| {Note that Abram is the tenth
| generation from Noah.}
| 2083 (1959) Terah's death age 205
| (Gen. 11:31-32)
--1/15/2083 (1959) Abram age 75
called to Canaan, (After Terah's
death Acts 7:4)

[Jewish chronologies do not accept Acts 7:4 and therefore assume Terah was only 70 when Abram was born.]

Note #1

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{Galatians 3:16-17},

(16) Now to Abraham and his seed were the promises made. He saith not, And to seeds, as of many; but as of one, And to thy seed, which is Christ.

Galatians 3:17

(17) And this I say, *that* the covenant, that was confirmed before of God in Christ, the law, which was four hundred and thirty years after, cannot disannul, that it should make the promise of none effect.

{i.e. the law came 430 years after the Promise was made to Abraham who was 75 at the time}

If Israel was in slavery 400 years as some say

Then Isaac was 5 years old and Abraham had to be 105 when the slavery started!! (Abraham lived to be 175 years old.)

All of Abraham's grandchildren including Jacob and Esau would have to have been born in slavery!!!

We know that none of this is true!

|---- Abraham was 75 {Gen. 11:31-32} when the
| promise was given
| Ishmael was born to Abram at age 86 {Gen. 16:16}
| Isaac was born to Abram at age 100 {Gen. 21:5}
| 25 years after the promise Abraham died at age
| 175 {Gen. 25:7}
| {100 years after promise given}

Israel came out of Egypt 430 years after the
Promise was given {Gal. 3:16-17}
according to Paul who was a “pharisee” Phil. 3:5

{All Jewish chronologies agree with the 430 years
being counted from the time of the Promise.}

Where did the idea that Israel was in slavery for 400 years come from?

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{Gen. 15:13}

(13) And he said unto Abram, Know of a surety that thy seed shall be a stranger in a land *that is* not theirs, and shall serve them; and they shall afflict them four hundred years;

.....

(16) But in the fourth generation they shall come hither again: for the iniquity of the Amorites *is* not yet full.

(See Ex. 6:20- Moses is 5th generation through his father Amram, but is 4th generation through his mother Jochebed)

Exodus 12:40-41

(40) Now the sojourning (history) of the children of Israel, who dwelt in Egypt, was four hundred and thirty years.

(1) And it came to pass at the end of the four hundred and thirty years, even the selfsame day it came to pass, that all the hosts of the LORD went out from the land of Egypt.

{I.e. “The history of Abraham and his descendants (who lived in Egypt) was 430 years to the very day from when the promise was given to Abraham to when Israel came out of Egypt.}

Concerning the long life spans of people before the flood (the average life span was 912 years) Dr. Larry Mitcham, in The Canopy and the Pre-Flood Earth states:

“If that was made up, if that was fabricated, someone did an excellent job. Do you know how much math it takes to get all of that to work out right. ... It is letter perfect.”

From the chronology of the Old Testament, to the use of numbers in Scripture, to the 'gematria' (numerical values of words and phrases), to the 'Equal Distance Letter Sequences' (commonly called the Hebrew code) – from Genesis to the Revelation -- The Bible is 100% mathematically consistent and 100% mathematically accurate in every detail. The Author of the Bible is the Author of our salvation through Jesus Christ our Lord. To God be the Glory!!