

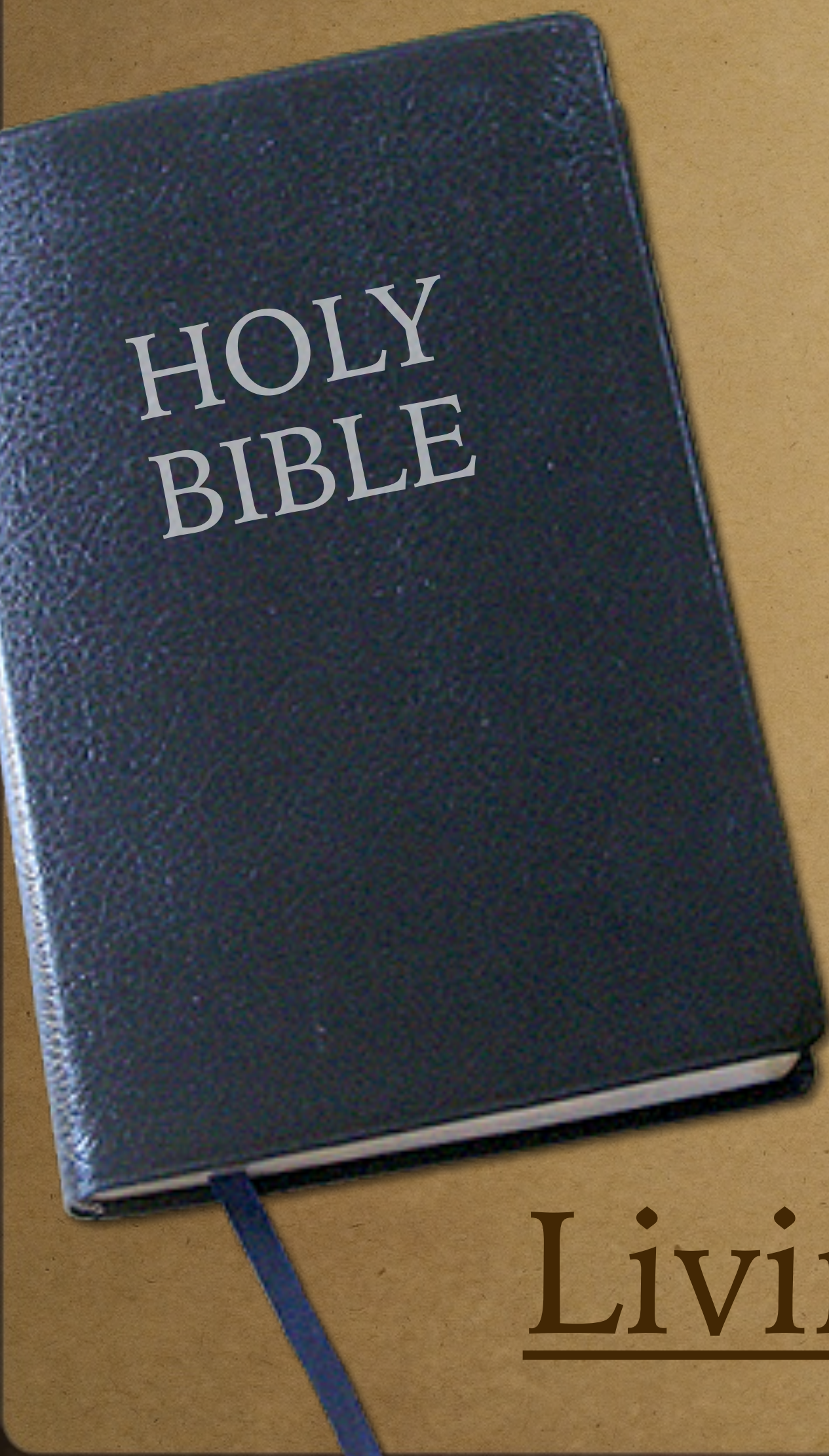


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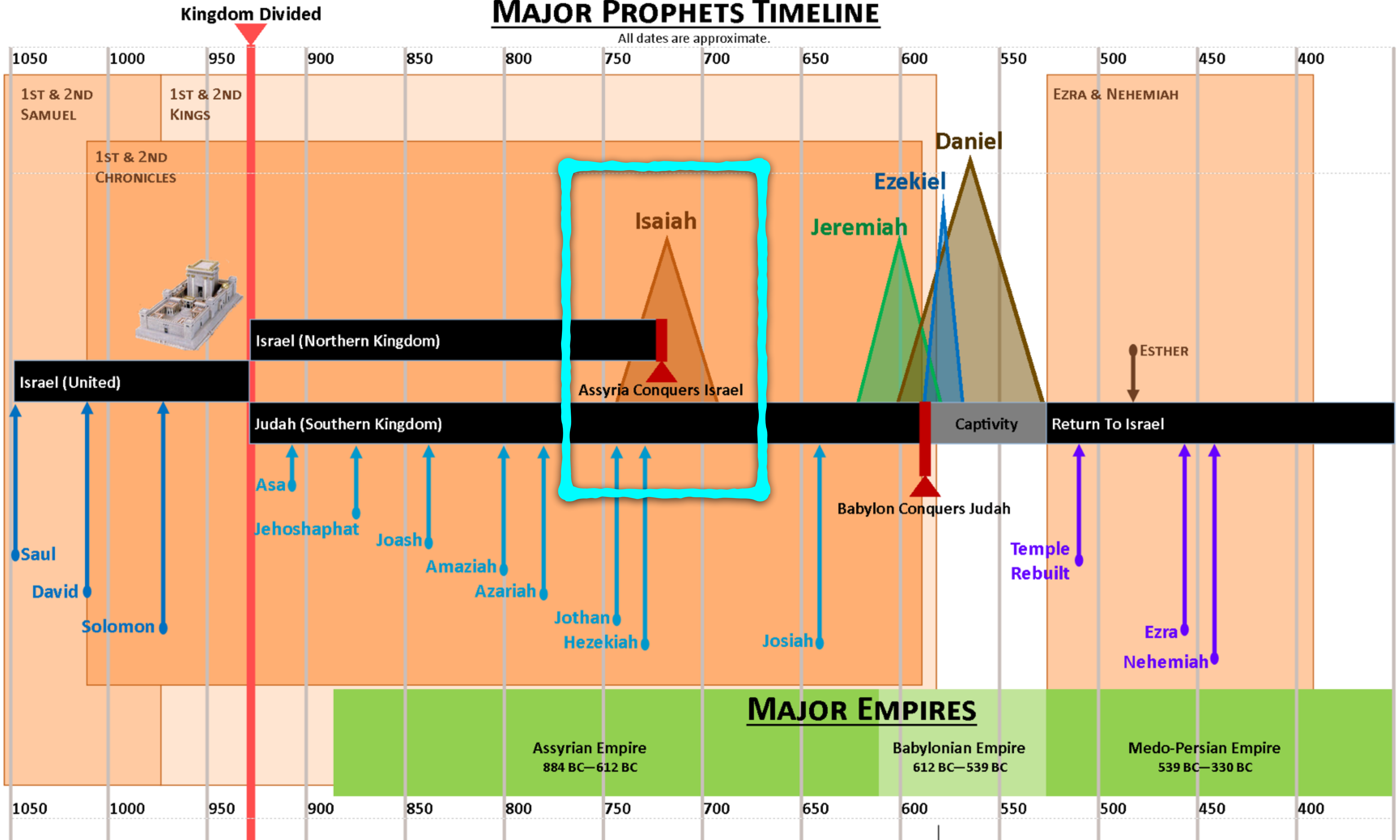
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- ◆ Isaiah
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*Song of Solomon 1:1-3:5*

### ACT 2

Wedding

*Song of Solomon 3:6-5:1*

### ACT 3

Marriage

*Song of Solomon 5:2-8:14*

A romantic couple in a field. A woman with long dark hair is leaning into a man with a beard. They are both looking at each other. The background is a soft-focus field of tall grass and wildflowers.

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### THE CAST

**The Shulamite:** Bride from Northern Israel

**The Beloved:** King Solomon

**Daughters of Jerusalem:** Female Chorus

**Shulamite's Brothers:** Male Chorus

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Now the works of the flesh are evident,  
which are: adultery, fornication, uncleanness,  
lewdness,

**Galatians 5:19**

A romantic couple is shown in silhouette, embracing and kissing in a field of tall grass. The background is a warm sunset with orange and yellow light. The couple is positioned in the center-right of the frame, with the woman on the left and the man on the right.

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## Love Without Limits

**David Guzik:** This is the moment of yielded virginity, where the beloved is invited to enjoy the previously protected and sealed sexuality of the maiden. A line before, the maiden called it "my garden"; now it was his garden.

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## Love Without Limits

The wife does not have authority over her own body, but the husband does. And likewise the husband does not have authority over his own body, but the wife does.

**1 Corinthians 7:4**

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### ACT 2: Wedding

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## Love Without Limits

Do not deprive one another except with consent  
for a time, that you may give yourselves to  
fasting and prayer; and come together again so  
that Satan does not tempt you because of your  
lack of self-control.

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Marriage is honorable among all, and the bed undefiled; but fornicators and adulterers God will judge.

**Hebrews 13:4**

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### ACT 3: Marriage

*Song of Solomon*  
5:2-8:14

Love In Spite Of Limits

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### ACT 3: Marriage

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5:2-8:14

## Love In Spite Of Limits

**David Guzik:** Here the writer gave us an emotionally accurate picture of the dynamic of conflict in a relationship, especially in marriage.

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### ACT 3: Marriage

*Song of Solomon*  
5:2-8:14

### Love In Spite Of Limits

**Glickman:** "Whereas the wedding night focused on the purpose of sex as the consummation of marriage, this night focuses on the purpose of sex as the nourishment of marriage . . . As they fell asleep the last kiss lingered in each other's minds like the aftertaste of good wine."

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