



Samuel-Kings & Chronicles Harmony

Old Testament Survey - Fall 2011

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MINISTRY SCHOOL

DAVIDIC KINGDOM EVENT	SAMUEL-KINGS	CHRONICLES
Death of King Saul: Final Battle	1 Samuel 31	1 Chronicles 10
David Hears of the Deaths	2 Samuel 1	
War between David & House of Saul	2 Samuel 2-4	
David becomes King of Northern Kingdom	2 Samuel 5	1 Chronicles 11:1-9; 14:1-6
<i>David's Army (significant variation)</i>	<i>2 Samuel 23</i>	<i>1 Chronicles 11:10 -12:40</i>
Moving of Ark to Jerusalem	2 Samuel 5:17 - 6:5	1 Chronicles 14:8-17; 13:1-8
Uzzah touches Ark and dies	2 Samuel 6:6-12	1 Chronicles 13:9-14
Moving of Ark, cont'd		1 Chronicles 15:1-14
Sacrifices offered	2 Samuel 6:13	1 Chronicles 15:15
Levitical singers appointed		1 Chronicles 15:16-27
David's "undignified" dance	2 Samuel 6:14-19	1 Chronicles 15:28 - 16:3
Ark ministers appointed; David sings praises		1 Chronicles 16:4-43
David rebuked by Saul's daughter Michal	2 Samuel 6:20-23	
YHWH refuses David's request to build Temple	2 Samuel 7	1 Chronicles 17
David's war victories, expansion of Kingdom	2 Samuel 8	1 Chronicles 18
David makes peace with House of Saul	2 Samuel 9	
Ammonite War narrative	2 Samuel 10:1 - 11:1	1 Chronicles 19:1 - 20:1
David's affair with Bathsheba, plot against Uriah	2 Samuel 11	
Ammonite War narrative, cont'd	2 Samuel 12:26-31	1 Chronicles 20:1-3
Philistine War narrative		1 Chronicles 20:4-8
Ammon & Absalom episode	2 Samuel 13:1 - 20:26	
Burial of Saul and Jonathon's bones	2 Samuel 21:1-14	
Defeat of Philistine giants	2 Samuel 21:15 - 23:7	
David's lack of faith (counting of enlistable males)	2 Samuel 24	1 Chronicles 21
David prepares Temple furnishings		1 Chronicles 22:1-19
Adonijah attempts to take throne	1 Kings 1:1-42	
David appoints Solomon to succeed him on throne	1 Kings 1:43-53	1 Chronicles 23:1
David's last religious and political appointments		1 Chronicles 23:2 - 27:34
Solomon commissioned to build Temple		1 Chronicles 28:1 - 29:22
David's death, transfer of throne to Solomon	1 Kings 2:1-11	1 Chronicles 29:23-30

SOLOMONIC KINGDOM EVENT	SAMUEL-KINGS	CHRONICLES
Early events in Solomon's reign	1 Kings 2:12 - 3:3	
Solomon's prayer for wisdom	1 Kings 3:4-15	2 Chronicles 1
Solomon's Court	1 Kings 3:16 - 4:34	
Solomon consults King Hiram of Tyre	1 Kings 5	2 Chronicles 2
<i>Solomon builds Temple (significant variation)</i>	1 Kings 6-7	2 Chronicles 3:1 - 5:1
Dedication of Temple	1 Kings 8:1-9	2 Chronicles 5:2-10
Glory of YHWH fills Temple	1 Kings 8:10-11	2 Chronicles 5:11-13
Blessing of congregation	1 Kings 8:12-21	2 Chronicles 6:1-11
Solomon's prayer	1 Kings 8:22-53	2 Chronicles 6:12-42
<i>First royal offerings (significant variation)</i>	1 Kings 8:54-66	2 Chronicles 7:1-11
YHWH appears to Solomon again	1 Kings 9:1-9	2 Chronicles 7:12-22
Hiram and Solomon exchange goods	1 Kings 9:10-14	2 Chronicles 8:1-6
Taxes levied	1 Kings 9:15-19	
Foreigners made to serve as bondservants	1 Kings 9:20-23	2 Chronicles 8:7-10
Solomon receives Pharaoh's daughter as a wife	1 Kings 9:24	2 Chronicles 8:11
Annual sacrifices made	1 Kings 9:25	2 Chronicles 8:12-16
Commissioning of royal navy	1 Kings 9:26-28	2 Chronicles 8:17-18
Queen of Sa'aba (or Sheba?)	1 Kings 10	2 Chronicles 9
Solomon's foreign wives	1 Kings 11:1-40	
Solomon's death	1 Kings 11:41-43	2 Chronicles 9:29-31

	SAMUEL-KINGS	CHRONICLES
DAVIDIC ACCOUNT AUTHORIAL PURPOSE		
SOLOMONIC ACCOUNT AUTHORIAL PURPOSE		

RULER OF JUDAH (S.K.)	SAMUEL-KINGS	CHRONICLES	PROPHETS
Rehoboam (933-917 BCE)	1 Kings 12:1-24 1 Kings 14:21-31	2 Chronicles 9:31-12:16	(non-writing prophets)
Abijah/Abijam (917-915 BCE)	1 Kings 15:1-8	2 Chronicles 13	
Asa (914-874 BCE)	1 Kings 15:8-24	2 Chronicles 14:1 - 16:14	
Jehoshaphat (874-850 BCE)	1 Kings 22:41-50	2 Chronicles 17:1 - 20:37	
Jehoram (850-843 BCE)	2 Kings 8:16-24	2 Chronicles 21	
Ahaziah (843-842 BCE)	2 Kings 8:25-29 2 Kings 9:27-29	2 Chronicles 22:1-10	Joel
Queen Athaliah (842-837 BCE)	2 Kings 11	2 Chronicles 22:10 - 23:21	Joel
Joash/Jehoash (837-798 BCE)	2 Kings 12	2 Chronicles 24	Joel, Zechariah
Amaziah (798-770 BCE)	2 Kings 14:1-22	2 Chronicles 25	Joel, Jonah
Azariah/Uzziah (792-740 BCE)	2 Kings 15:1-7	2 Chronicles 26	Isaiah
Jothan (740-735 BCE)	2 Kings 15:32-38	2 Chronicles 27:1-9	Hosea, Isaiah, Micah
Ahaz (735-720 BCE)	2 Kings 16	2 Chronicles 28	Hosea, Isaiah, Micah
Hezekiah (720-692 BCE)	2 Kings 18-20	2 Chronicles 29-32	Hosea, Isaiah 36-39, Micah
Manasseh (692-638 BCE)	2 Kings 21:1-18	2 Chronicles 33:1-20	
Amon (638 BCE)	2 Kings 21:19-26	2 Chronicles 33:21-25	
Josiah (638-608 BCE)	2 Kings 22:1 - 23:30	2 Chronicles 33:25 - 35:27	Zephaniah, Jeremiah 1
Jehoahaz (3 mos. in 608 BCE)	2 Kings 23:31-33	2 Chronicles 36:1-4	
Jehoiakim/Eliakim (608-597 BCE)	2 Kings 23:34 - 24:7	2 Chronicles 36:5-8	Jeremiah 25-27; Daniel 1-2; Habakkuk
Jehoiachin (3 mos. in 597 BCE)	2 Kings 24:8-17	2 Chronicles 36:9-10	
Zedekiah/Mattaniah (597-586 BCE)	2 Kings 24:18 - 25:26	2 Chronicles 36:11-21	Jeremiah 28-52, Ezekiel
EXILE			
<i>Cyrus of Persia (allowed return)</i>		2 Chronicles 36:22-23	Ezra 1:1-4; 3:1-3; prophesied in Isaiah 45
<i>Darius I of Persia</i>			Ezra 4:5; Haggai, Zechariah
<i>Ahasuerus & Esther (30 yrs)</i>			Esther; Nehemiah

NOTE: The Northern Kingdom (Israel) rulers, all of whom were wicked, are not mentioned in Chronicles.

HIGHLIGHT the Southern Kingdom (Judah) rulers which are judged in the text as good.