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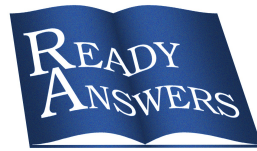
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Introduction

A correct understanding of major events in the Bible is important to see how God does fulfill his promises and can predict events that are many many years into the future. Understanding these dates also put into perspective where we are in the stream of time.

We have found it helpful to make a time line and put it up in the classroom. Students then practice putting these pictures at the correct place along the time line. This helps them to understand the magnitude of the difference between the dates. A simple way to create a time line is to buy 2 metric tape measures. Stretch one to the right for years A.D. and the other to the left for years B.C.

An easy approximation of the time is one millimeter = 1 year. So, 1 cm = 10 years, 10 cm = 100 years, etc.

The time line can be used as a supplement to any unit, or other curriculum. We have identified time points from some of our units, and other significant points in prophesy and history. You may choose to use all of them at once, or just pick out a few at a time to learn.

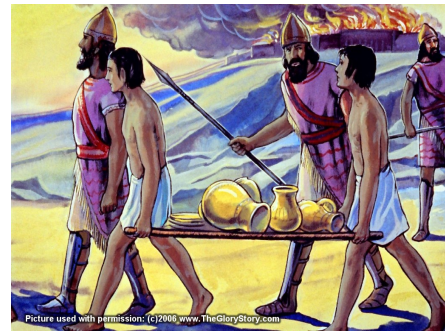
Cards can be printed on standard business cards, or card stock and cut along the cutting lines. They can be laminated for durability. Here are some ways to play with the Bible Timeline Cards.

1. **Five-O:** Two or three players. **Set up:** Alternately deal 5 cards face up to each player. Player must leave them in the order dealt, and arrange them in front of himself. The remaining cards are left in a pile face up, and there is a discard pile after the first turn. **How to play:** Player 1 may either choose the top card and replace it with one of the cards in front of him, and put his card face up in a discard pile, or may look underneath any one of his 5 cards, to see the date underneath. Player 2 may take the top card from either pile, or look under any one of his cards. When a player thinks he has all five cards in order from earliest date to latest date, he may end the play. The other players may inspect and challenge his card order. If the cards are not in chronological order, the player forfeits his turn, and play continues until another player has his in order.
2. **Single Flash:** For one player. Player shuffles cards and then looks at the face of the top card. Player says the date on the back of the card. If he is correct, he puts the card in a discard pile. If it is incorrect, he puts it at the back of the pile. Play is done when all the cards have been identified correctly. **Variation I:** Player must say the reference for the event. **Variation II:** Player must say the Bible text for the event. **Variation III:** Player must describe the event. Example: "Pope taken captive during French Revolution: Deadly wound to Papacy."
3. **Double Flash:** For two players: Dealer shuffles cards, and holds deck in his hand without looking at the cards. He then puts a card face up in front of player 2. Player 2 must say the date on the back of the card. If he is correct, he gets to keep the card. If he is incorrect, player one gets the card by default. Dealer then puts a card face up in front of himself, and must say the date on the back of the card. If he is correct, he keeps the card, and if not, player one gets it by default. Whoever has the most cards when the deck is finished is the winner. **Variation I:** Player must say the reference for the event. **Variation II:** Player must say the Bible text for the event. **Variation III:** Player must describe the event.
4. **Memory Pairs:** Dealer shuffles cards and places them in rows with date sides facing up. Player 1 may either look at the picture side of two cards, and return them to their original spots with the back side showing again, or he may capture the cards that go in pairs, or that are related. Player 2 may challenge the pairings of Player 1. If player 1 is incorrect, the cards are returned to the playing board, and player 1 loses his turn. Not all the cards have pairs, and play is finished when the single event cards are left. The person with the most cards captured at the end of the game is the winner. **Variation I:** Cards are displayed with the picture side up.

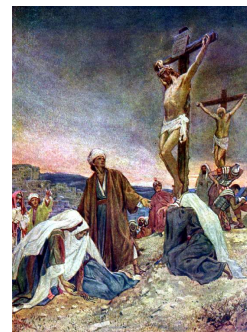
Variation II: Player must say the Bible texts for each pair before he can capture the cards.

Cards that may be captured together: **1.** Genesis 3:15 and Luke 2:11 **2.** Genesis 12:3 and II Samuel 7:16 and II Chronicles 36:20-21, and Luke 2:7 **3.** Daniel 9:25 and Ezra 7:11, and Mark 1:15, and The Destruction of Jerusalem **4.** Isaiah 7:14 and Matthew 1:18 **5.** Isaiah 11:1 and Revelation 22:16 **6.** Micah 5:2 and Matthew 2:1 **7.** Nebuchadnezzar's realm and Babylon Lions **8.** Chest and arms of silver and Cyrus Cylinder. **9.** Belly and thighs of brass and Greek Empire **9.** Legs of iron and Roman Empire **10.** Feet of iron/clay and map of modern European countries. **11.** Donation of Peppin, The Waldensians, Martin Luther, Gallileo, The French Revolution, and the Lateran Treaty as significant events in the Papacy (the little horn power that would come up from the 10 parts of the Roman Empire, **12.** The Declaration of Independence and the Twin Towers on fire for the beast in Revelation 13 that looked like a lamb, but spoke as a dragon. **13.** The Destruction of Jerusalem in AD 70, and The UN treaty in 1947 and the Soldiers at the Wailing Wall in Jerusalem in 1967, as possible fulfillments of the Time of the Gentiles is fulfilled. Luke 21:20-24

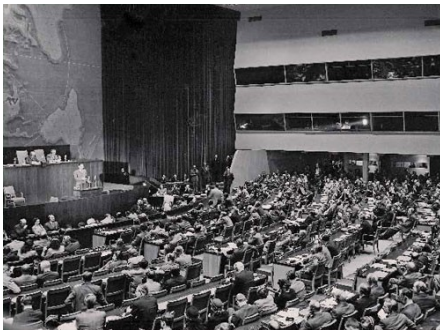
- 5. Show Down:** For 2 players: Dealer shuffles cards and deals the deck alternately to the players with the faces up. Player holds his stack so he cannot see the cards. Each player takes the top card from his stack and places it picture side up on the table. The player with the card that has the latest date in time order captures both cards. Players may challenge a capture, by looking at the backs of the cards for verification. If the challenger is correct, he captures the cards. Whoever has the most cards captured at the end of the stack is the winner. **Variation I:** The player with the earliest date in time order captures the cards. **Variation II: (for two or more decks of timecards):** If there is a “tie”, or the same card is showing from both players, then the players show two more cards. The player with the winning date on the third card captures all the cards showing.
- 6. Tic Tac Toe:** Dealer shuffles cards and places cards face up in 3 rows of 3 cards. Player 1 chooses a spot and must say the date on the back to capture the square. Player 2 may challenge if the date is not correct, and he captures the square by default if it was not correct. Winner is the first person to get three in a row vertically, horizontally, or diagonally. **Variation I:** Player must say the reference for the picture. **Variation II:** Player must say the Bible text for the picture.



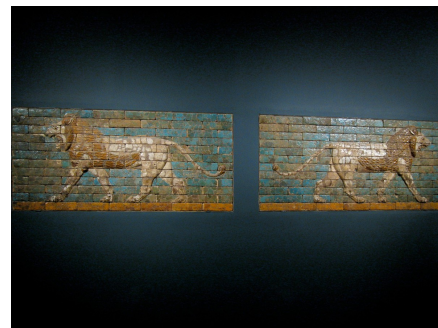
<p>1872 B.C.</p> <p>God's Covenant with Abraham Genesis 12:3</p> <p>Unit D</p>	<p>4004 B.C.</p> <p>God's promise to Adam and Eve Genesis 3:15</p> <p>Unit D</p>
<p>588 B.C.</p> <p>The carrying away into Babylon II Chronicles 36:20-21</p> <p>Unit D</p>	<p>1042 B.C.</p> <p>God tells King David his heirs will reign forever II Samuel 7:16</p> <p>Unit D</p>
<p>742 B.C.</p> <p>Isaiah's prophecy of a virgin birth Isaiah 7:14</p> <p>Unit D</p>	<p>4 B.C.</p> <p>Christ's Birth Luke 2:7</p> <p>Unit D</p>
<p>710 B. C.</p> <p>Micah's prophecy of God's birth in Bethlehem Micah 5:2</p> <p>Unit D</p>	<p>5 B.C.</p> <p>Virgin Mary is pregnant Matthew 1:18</p> <p>Unit D</p>
<p>537 B.C.</p> <p>God shows Daniel the time until the Messiah Daniel 9:25</p> <p>Unit D</p>	<p>3 B.C.</p> <p>Wise men come to Bethlehem Matthew 2:1</p> <p>Unit D</p>



<p>A.D. 27</p> <p>Jesus says the time is fulfilled Mark 1:15</p> <p>Unit D</p>	<p>457 B.C.</p> <p>The decree to restore and build Jerusalem Ezra 7:11</p> <p>Unit D</p>
<p>A. D. 96</p> <p>John writing Revelation Revelation 22:16</p> <p>Unit D</p>	<p>713 B. C.</p> <p>Isaiah's prophesy for a king from Jesse's line will reign again. Isaiah 11:1</p> <p>Unit D</p>
<p>2347 B. C.</p> <p>After the Flood Genesis 9:11-16</p> <p>Unit GH</p>	<p>4 B. C.</p> <p>Angel tells shepherds of Saviour's birth Luke 2:11</p> <p>Unit D</p>
<p>A. D. 31</p> <p>Jesus' Crucifixion Mark 15</p> <p>Unit GH</p>	<p>1491 B. C.</p> <p>The Exodus from Egypt Exodus 20:1-2</p> <p>Unit B</p>
<p>A. D. 321</p> <p>Edict of Milan Constantine changes day of worship from Saturday to Sunday</p>	<p>A. D. 70</p> <p>Roman soldiers destroy Jerusalem Matthew 24:15-20 Luke 21:20-24</p> <p>Unit A</p>



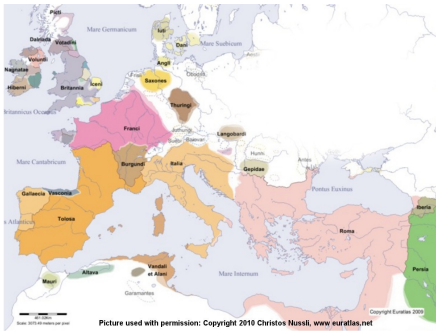
Rabbi Shlomo Goren at the Western Wall



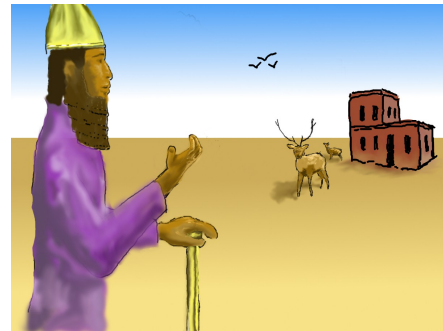
<p>A. D. 1517</p> <p>Martin Luther nails 95 Theses on Door starting a new phase of the Reformation</p>	<p>A. D. 1175</p> <p>The Waldensians keep the Sabbath and face persecution Daniel 7:24-25</p>
<p>A. D. 1776</p> <p>American Declaration of Independence Revelation 13:11 Beast Rising</p>	<p>A. D. 1633</p> <p>Gallelio Recants Nearing the end of the Inquisition Papal Power of 1260 years coming to a close Daniel 7:24-25</p>
<p>A. D. 1929</p> <p>The Lateran Treaty, Establishing the Papacy again as a Political force. The deadly wound healed: Revelation 13:5 Inscription at front of Archbasilica of St. John Lateran, cathedral church of the Bishop of Rome: "Most Holy Lateran Church, of all the churches in the city and the world, the Mother and Head"</p>	<p>A. D. 1798</p> <p>The French Revolution The Pope taken captive, ending the 1260 years of Papal supremacy Deadly wound inflicted Revelation 13:3 Daniel 7:24-25</p>
<p>A. D. 1967</p> <p>Chief Military Rabbi Shlomo Goren at the Western Wall June 11, 1967 shortly after the liberation of Jerusalem. (Photo: Wiki Commons) http://www.breakingisraelnews.com/40198/jerusalem-day-marks-48-years-of-israels-undivided-capital/#VwsDGcKEMCqGF8fg.99 Blowing shofar in Jubilee ceremony Daniel 9:27? Luke 21:20-24</p>	<p>A. D. 1947</p> <p>November 29, 1947, the UN General Assembly adopted Resolution 181, which called for the establishment of a Jewish state alongside an Arab state in Palestine. (UN Photo Library) http://jcpa.org/article/the-national-rights-of-jews/ Luke 21:20-24</p>
<p>538 B. C. to 330 B. C. Empire of the Medes and Persians Daniel 2:39 Daniel 5:31 Daniel 7:5 Daniel 8:20</p> <p>Unit E</p>	<p>605 B. C. to 538 B. C. Babylonian Empire Daniel 2:38 Daniel 7:4 Winged Lion as symbol</p> <p>Unit E</p>



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<p>September 11, 2001 A. D. Twin Towers Attacked. America changes significantly in freedoms allowed. Used as reason to invade Middle East Revelation 13:11-18 King of South pushing at King of North? Daniel 11:40?</p>	<p>756 A. D. The Donation of Peppin The Pope gets kingly authority Daniel 7:20-22,24-27</p>

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