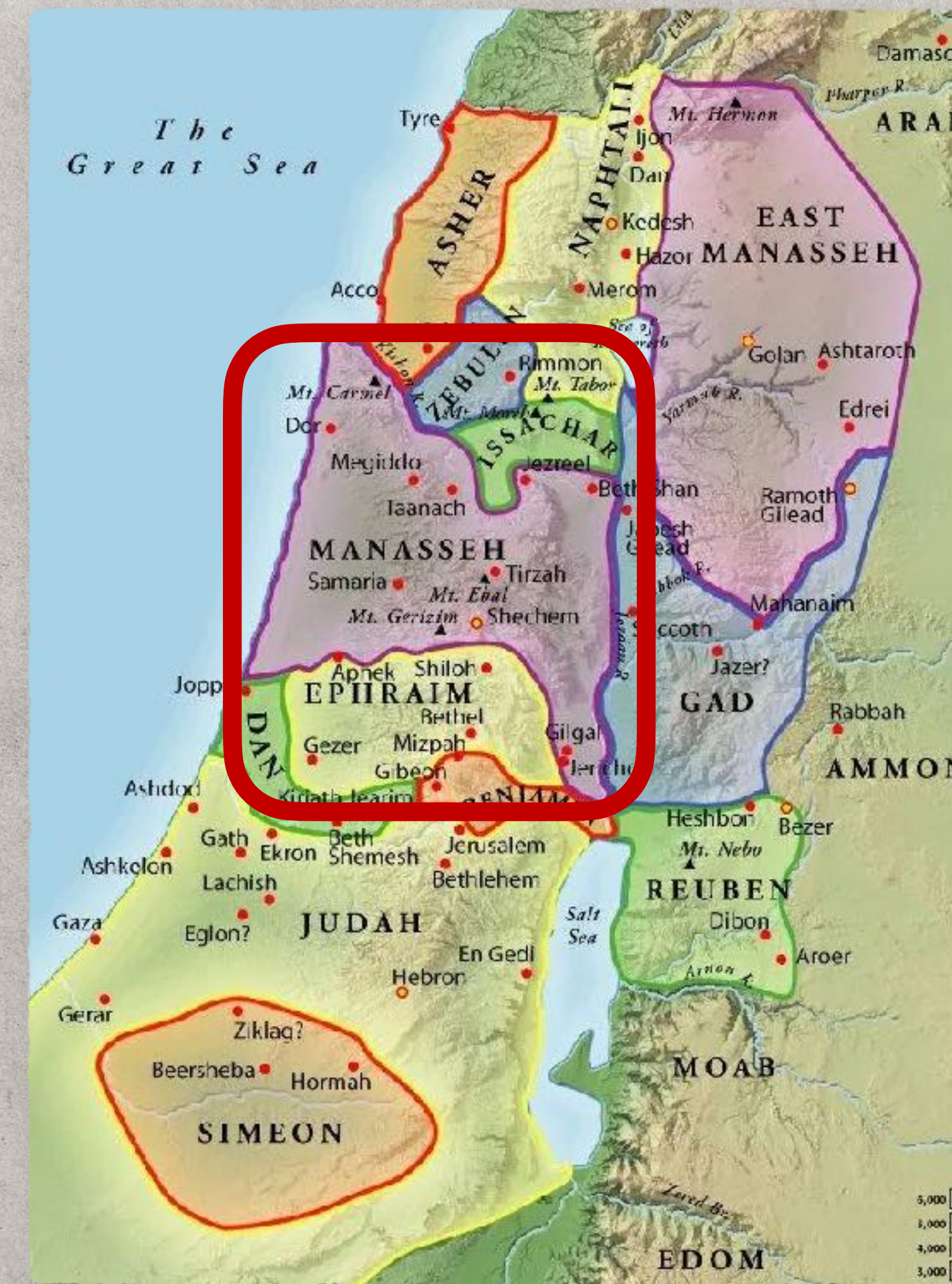






| SAMARIA |



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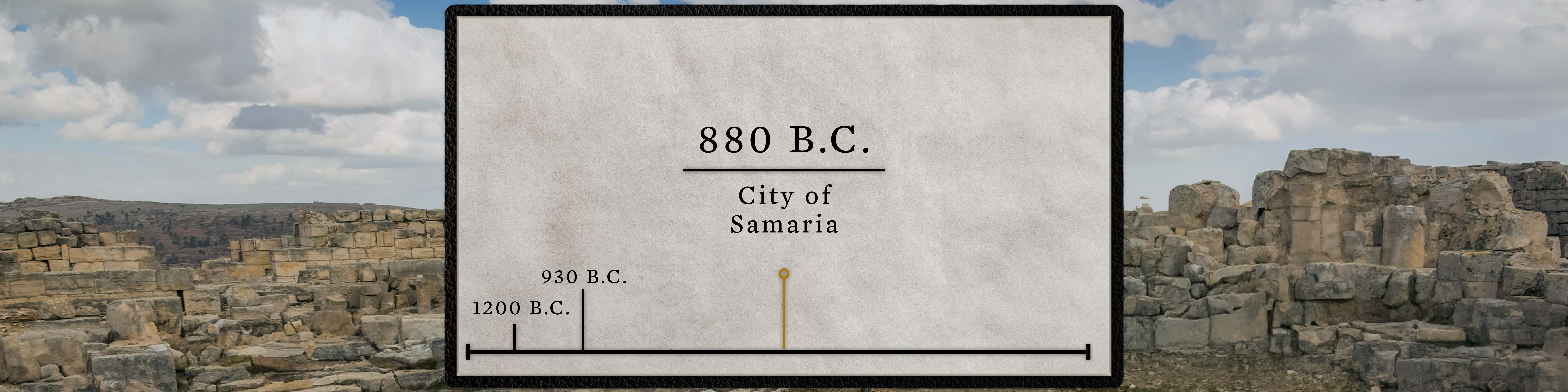
Ephraim and
 $\frac{1}{2}$ tribe of
Manasseh

1200 B.C.



930 B.C.

a civil war,
Israel vs. Judah

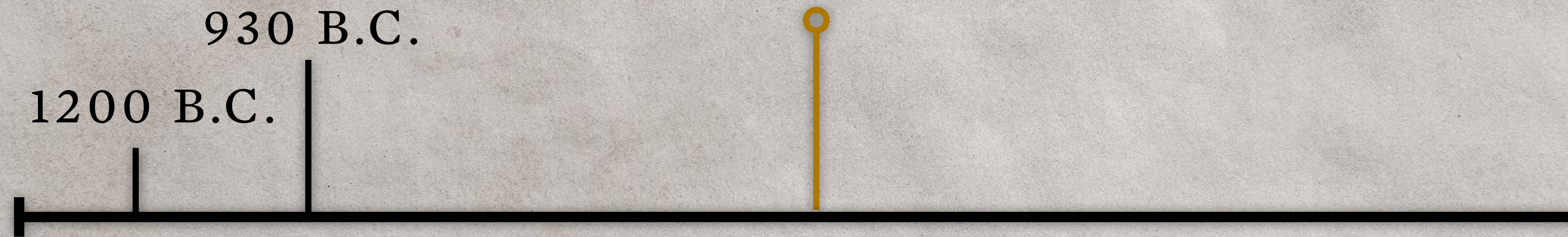


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City of
Samaria

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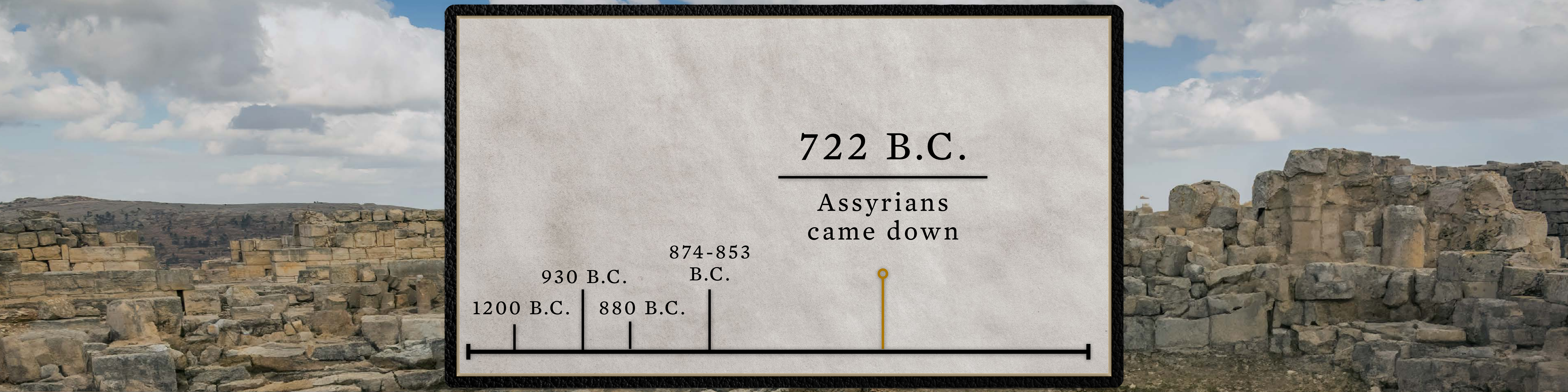


874-853 B.C.

Finished by Ahab

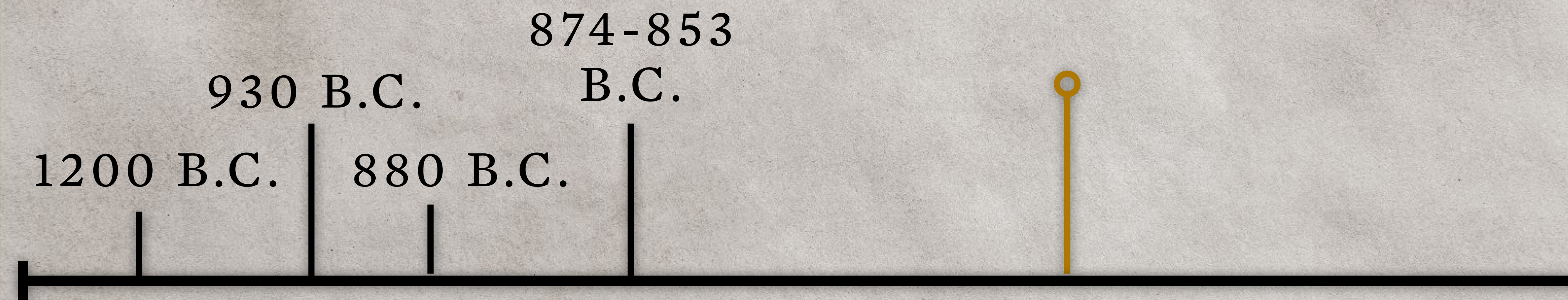
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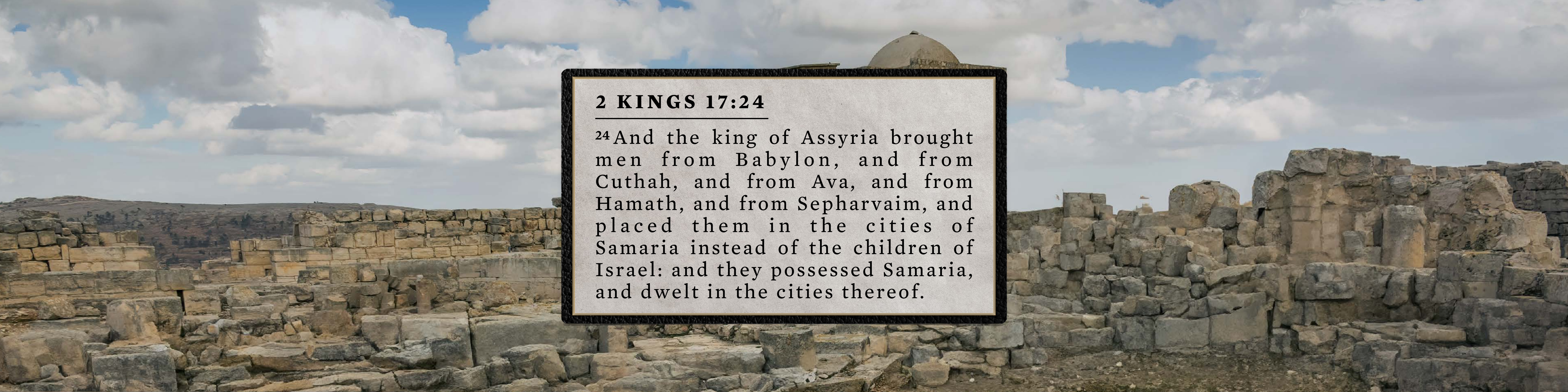




722 B.C.

Assyrians
came down



The background of the image shows a vast landscape of ancient stone ruins. In the foreground and middle ground, there are numerous walls and structures made of large, rectangular stone blocks, some of which are partially collapsed or in various states of disrepair. The stones are a mix of light tan and greyish-brown colors. In the distance, a small, rounded dome is visible on a hill. The sky is filled with large, white, fluffy clouds, with patches of blue visible between them. The overall scene conveys a sense of historical depth and the passage of time.

2 KINGS 17:24

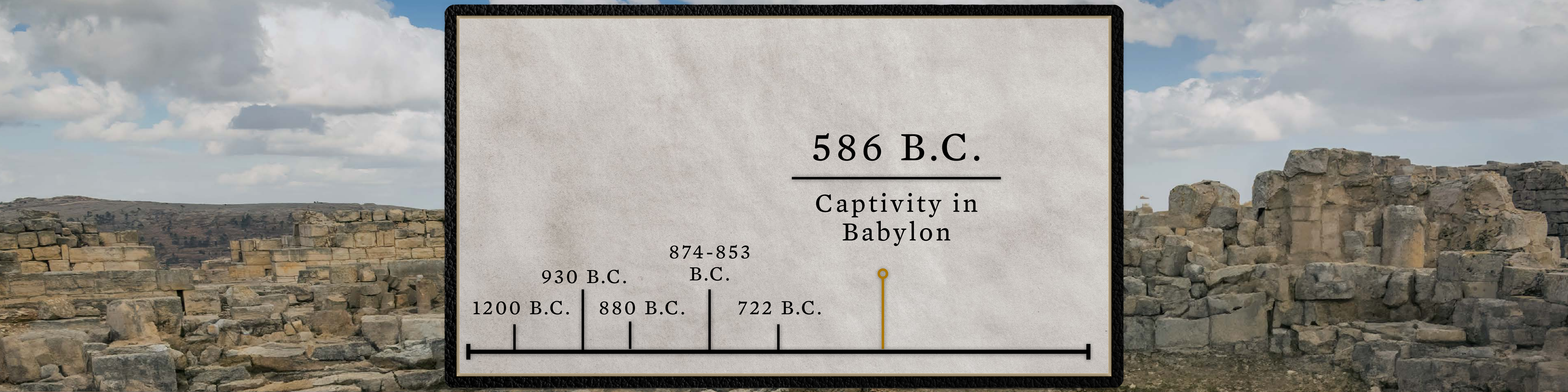
²⁴And the king of Assyria brought men from Babylon, and from Cuthah, and from Ava, and from Hamath, and from Sepharvaim, and placed them in the cities of Samaria instead of the children of Israel: and they possessed Samaria, and dwelt in the cities thereof.

2 KINGS 17:25

²⁵ And so it was at the beginning of their dwelling there, that they feared not the LORD: therefore the LORD sent lions among them, which slew some of them.

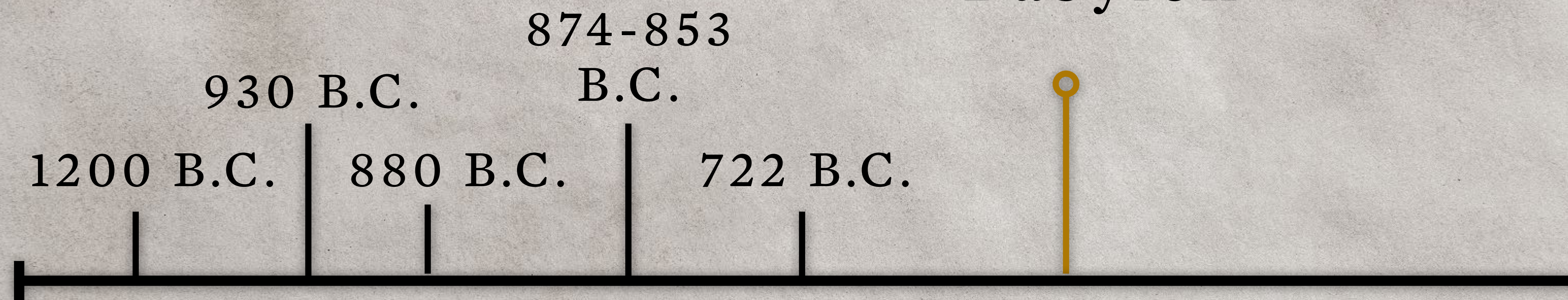






586 B.C.

Captivity in
Babylon





450 B.C.

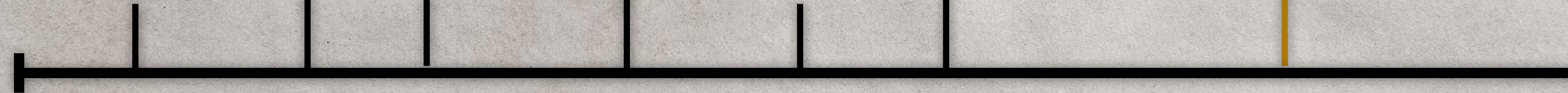
Temple on
Mount Gerizim

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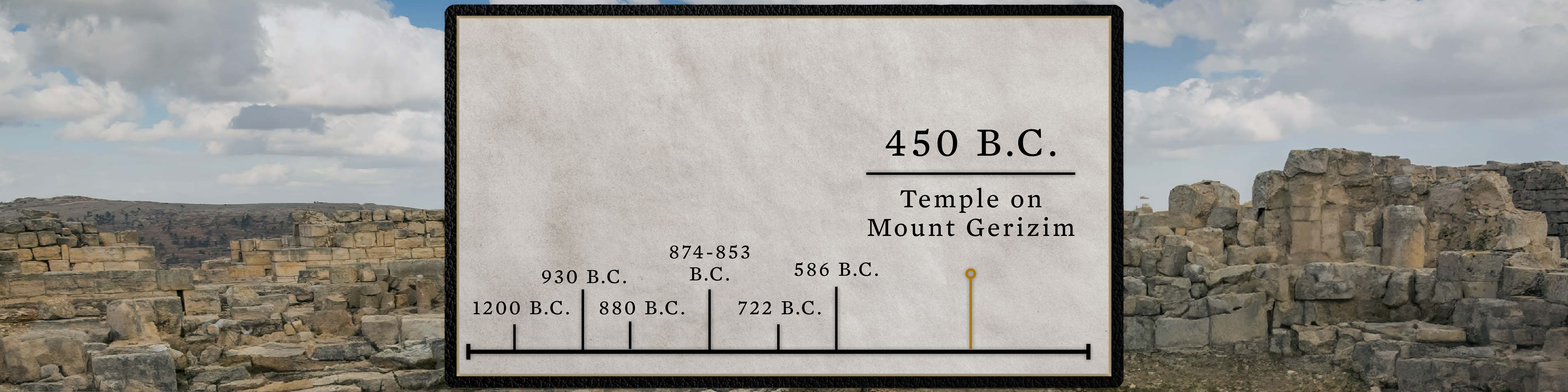
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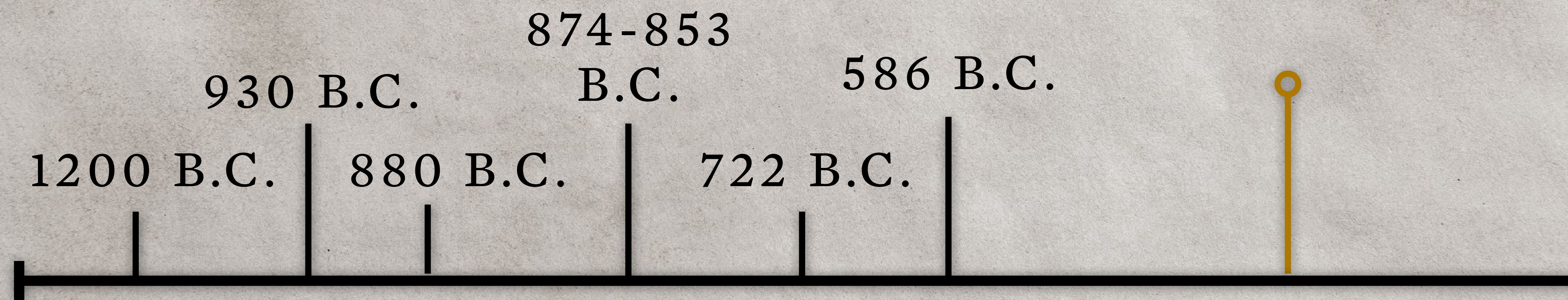


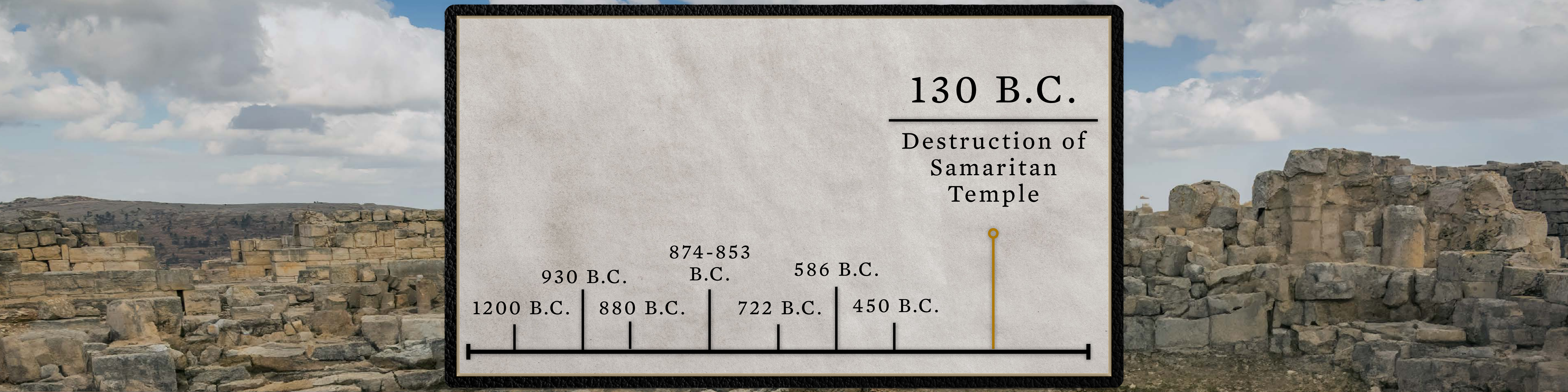




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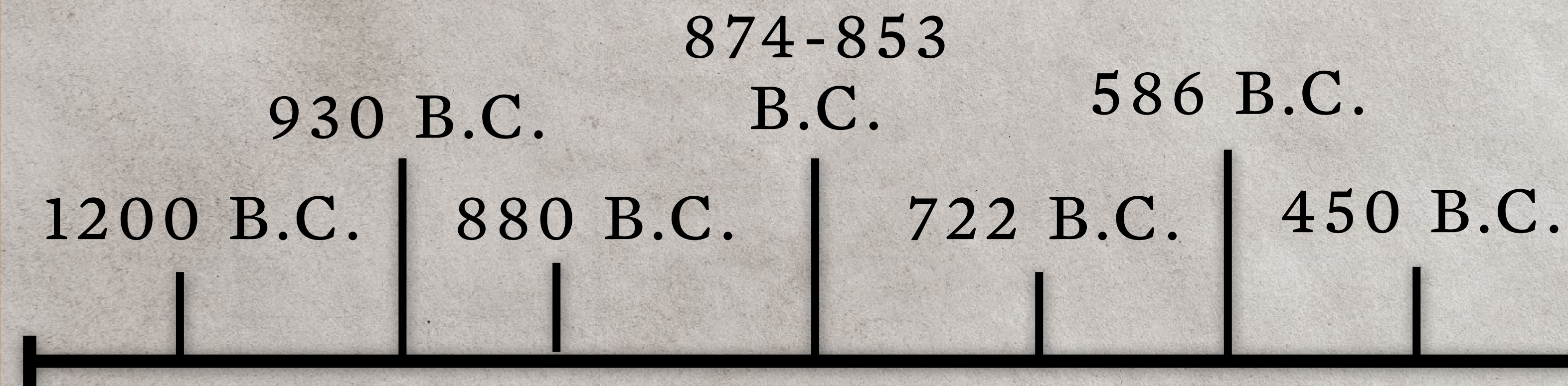
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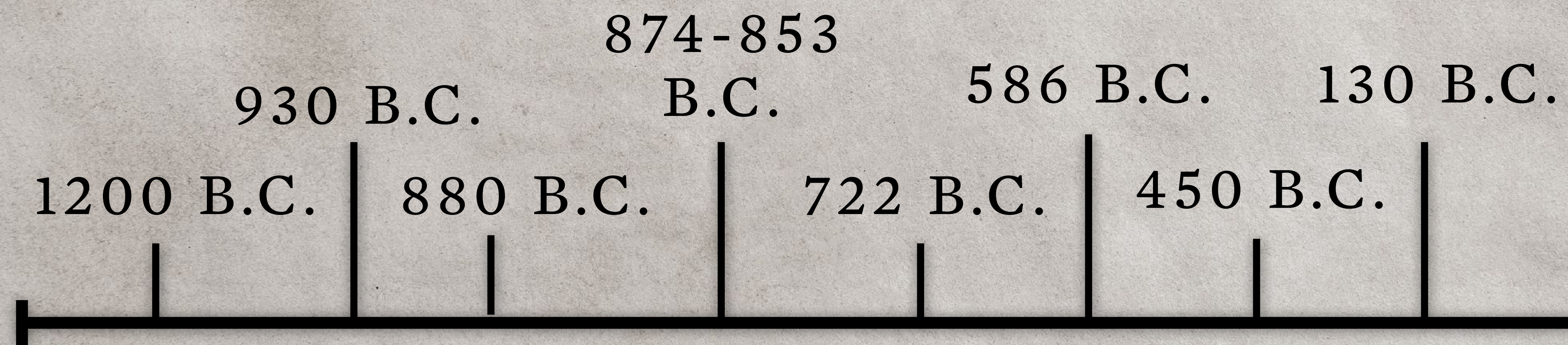


130 B.C.

Destruction of
Samaritan
Temple

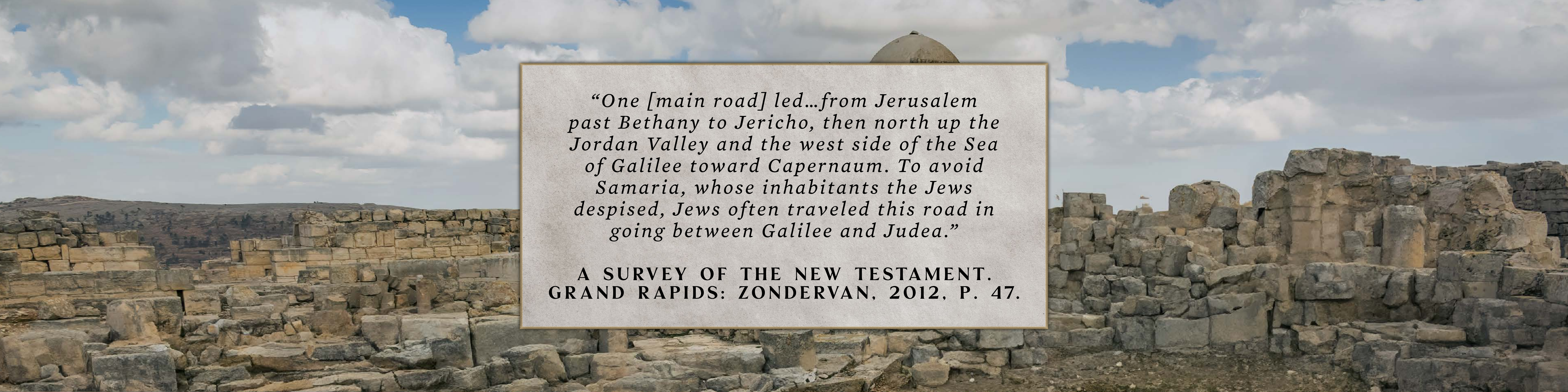


Time of Christ



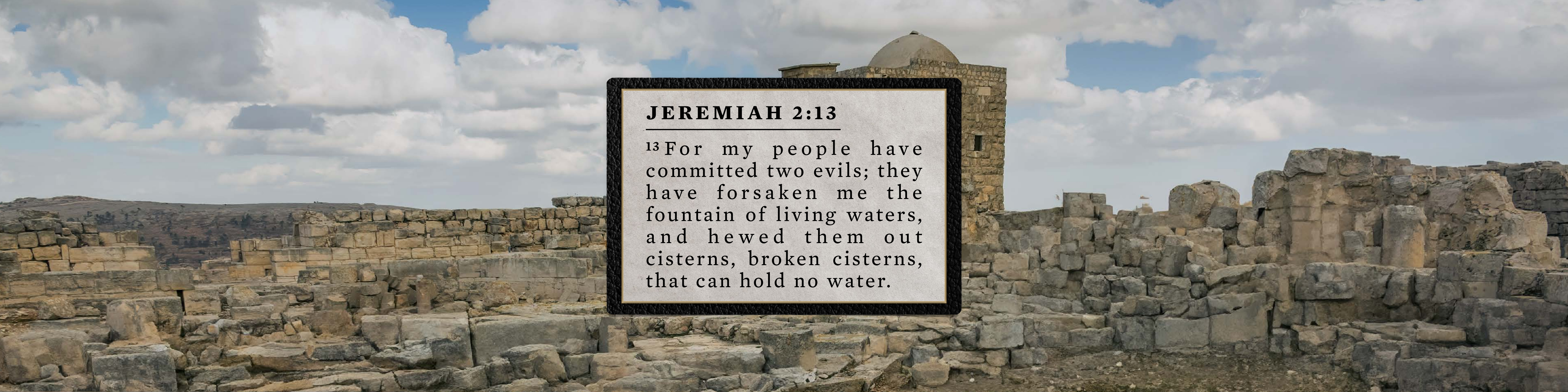


| JOHN 4 |



*“One [main road] led...from Jerusalem
past Bethany to Jericho, then north up the
Jordan Valley and the west side of the Sea
of Galilee toward Capernaum. To avoid
Samaria, whose inhabitants the Jews
despised, Jews often traveled this road in
going between Galilee and Judea.”*

**A SURVEY OF THE NEW TESTAMENT.
GRAND RAPIDS: ZONDERVAN, 2012, P. 47.**

The background image shows a panoramic view of ancient stone ruins. In the center, a tall, square stone tower with a domed roof stands prominently. The foreground and middle ground are filled with various stone walls and foundations, some of which appear to be cisterns or foundations of larger buildings. The sky is filled with large, white, fluffy clouds, and the overall scene is bathed in soft, natural light.

JEREMIAH 2:13

¹³ For my people have committed two evils; they have forsaken me the fountain of living waters, and hewed them out cisterns, broken cisterns, that can hold no water.

