

Official Genealogical Records: Other Descendants of Judah (c. 538 BC)

1 Chronicles 4:1–23

- 1 The sons of Judah: Perez, Hezron, Carmi, Hur, and Shobal.
- 2 And Reaiah the son of Shobal fathered Jahath, and Jahath fathered Ahumai and Lahad. These *were* the clans of the Zorathites.
- 3 And these *were* the sons of Etam: Jezreel, Ishma, and Idbash. And the name of their sister *was* Hazzelelponi,
- 4 and Penuel *was* the father of Gedor, and Ezer *was* the father of Hushah. These *were* the sons of Hur, the firstborn of Ephrathah, the father of Bethlehem.
- 5 And Ashhur, the father of Tekoa, had two wives: Helah and Naarah.
- 6 And Naarah bore him Ahuzzam, Hopher, Temeni, and Haahashtari. These *were* the sons of Naarah.
- 7 The sons of Helah: Zereth, Izhar, and Ethnan.
- 8 And Koz fathered Anub, Zobebah, and the clans of Aharhel, the son of Harum.
- 9 And Jabez *was* more honorable than his brothers. And his mother called his name Jabez, saying, “Because I bore him in pain.”
- 10 And Jabez called upon the God of Israel, saying, “Oh that you would surely bless me and enlarge my border. And may your hand be with me, that you would keep me from evil so that it might not harm me!” And God granted what he asked.
- 11 Chelub, the brother of Shuhah, fathered Mehir. He *was* the father of Eshton.
- 12 And Eshton fathered Beth-Rapha, Paseah, and Tehinnah, the father of the city of Nahash. These *are* the men of Recah.
- 13 The sons of Kenaz: Othniel and Seraiah. And the sons of Othniel: Hathath.
- 14 And Meonothai fathered Ophrah; and Seraiah fathered Joab, the father of Ge-Harashim, because they *were* craftsmen.
- 15 The sons of Caleb, the son of Jephunneh: Iru, Elah, and Naam. And the sons of Elah: Kenaz.
- 16 The sons of Jehallelel: Ziph, Ziphah, Tiria, and Asarel.
- 17 The sons of Ezra: Jether, Mered, Ephraim, and Jalon. And she became pregnant with Miriam, Shammai, and Ishbah, the father of Eshtemoa.
- 18 And his Judahite wife bore Jered the father of Gedor, Heber the father of Soco, and Jekuthiel the father of Zanoah. And these *were* the sons of Bithiah daughter of Pharaoh, whom Mered married.
- 19 The sons of the wife of Hodiah, the sister of Naham, *were* the fathers of Keilah the Garmite and Eshtemoa the Maacathite.
- 20 The sons of Shimon: Amnon, Rinnah, Ben-Hanan, and Tolon. The sons of Ishi: Zoheth and Ben-Zoheth.
- 21 The sons of Shelah, the son of Judah: Er the father of Lecah, Laadah the father of Mareshah, and the families of the house of linen workers at Beth Ashbea;
- 22 and Jokim, and the men of Cozeba, and Joash, and Saraph, who ruled in Moab and returned to Lehem. (Now the records are ancient).
- 23 These *were* the potters and inhabitants of Netaim and Gederah. They lived there with the king in his service.

Official Genealogical Records: Simeon’s Descendants (c. 538 BC)

1 Chronicles 4:24–43

- 24 The sons of Simeon: Nemuel, Jamin, Jarib, Zerah, Shaul.
- 25 Shallum his son, Mibsam his son, Mishma his son.
- 26 The sons of Mishma: Hammuel his son, Zaccur his son, Shimei his son.
- 27 Shimei had sixteen sons and six daughters, but his brothers did not have many children. But all their families did not multiply like the men of Judah.
- 28 And they lived in Beersheba, Moladah, Hazar Shual,
- 29 Bilhah, Ezem, Tolad,
- 30 Bethuel, Hormah, Ziklag,
- 31 Beth-Marcaboth, Hazar-Susim, Beth-Biri, and Shaaraim. These *were* their cities until David reigned.
- 32 And their villages *were* Etam, Ain, Rimmon, Token, and Ashan, five cities
- 33 and all their villages that surrounding these cities as far as Baal. These *were* their settlements, and they kept a genealogical record for them.
- 34 Meshobab, Jamlech, and Joshah the son of Amaziah,
- 35 Joel, and Jehu the son of Joshibiah, son of Seraiah, son of Asiel.
- 36 And Elioenai, Jaakobah, Jeshohaiah, Asaiah, Adiel, Jesimiel, Benaiah,
- 37 and Ziza the son of Shiphi, son of Allon, son of Jedaiah, son of Shimri, son of Shemaiah.
- 38 These mentioned by name *were* leaders in their families, and their fathers’ households increased greatly.
- 39 And they went to the entrance of Gedor, up to the east side of the valley, to seek pasture for their flocks.
- 40 And they found fertile and good pasture, and the land *was* very broad, quiet, and at ease, for the former inhabitants there *were* from Ham.
- 41 These, mentioned by name, came in the days of Hezekiah, king of Judah, and attacked their tents and the Meunites who were found there. And they devoted them to destruction to this day, and they settled among them because *there was* pasture there for their flocks.

42 And some of them from the Simeonites went to Mount Seir, five hundred men. And Pelatiah, Neariah, Rephaiah, and Uzziel, the sons of Ishi, *were* under their leadership.

43 And they destroyed the remainder of the Amalekites who had escaped, and they have lived there to this day.

Official Genealogical Records: Reuben's Descendants (c. 538 BC)

1 Chronicles 5:1–10

1 The sons of Reuben the firstborn of Israel (for he was the firstborn, but when he defiled the couch of his father, his birthright was given to the sons of Joseph, the son of Israel, so that he was not enrolled in the genealogy as the firstborn,

2 though Judah became strong among his brothers and a chief *came* from him, but the birthright belonged to Joseph).

3 The sons of Reuben the firstborn of Israel: Enoch, Pallu, Hezron, and Carmi.

4 The sons of Joel: Shemaiah his son, Gog his son, Shimei his son,

5 Micah his son, Reaiah his son, Baal his son,

6 Beerah his son, a leader of the Reubenites, whom Tiglath-Pilneser king of Assyria deported into exile.

7 And his kinsmen by their families, when their generations were recorded in *the* genealogy: the chief, Jeiel, and Zechariah,

8 and Bela son of Azaz, son of Shema, son of Joel, who lived in Aroer, as far as Nebo and Baal-Meon.

9 He also lived to the east up to the entrance of the desert this side of the River Euphrates, for their livestock had multiplied in the land of Gilead.

10 And in the days of Saul they made war against the Hagrites, and they fell into their hand. And they lived in their tents in all the region east of Gilead.

Official Genealogical Records: Gad's Descendants (c. 538 BC)

1 Chronicles 5:11–17

11 And the sons of Gad lived near to them in the land of Bashan as far as Salecah:

12 Joel the chief, Shapham the second, Janai, and Shaphat in Bashan.

13 And their kinsmen according to their fathers' households: Michael, Meshullam, Sheba, Jorai, Jacan, Zia, and Eber, seven.

14 These *were* the sons of Abihail the son of Huri, son of Jaroah, son of Gilead, son of Michael, son of Jeshishai, son of Jahdo, son of Buz.

15 Ahi son of Abdiel, son of Guni, *was* chief in their fathers' households.

16 And they lived in Gilead, in Bashan, and in its towns, and in all the pasturelands of Sharon to their limits.

17 All of them were enrolled in *the* genealogy in the days of Jotham, king of Judah, and in the days of Jeroboam, king of Israel.

Official Genealogical Records: East Manasseh's Descendants (c. 538 BC)

1 Chronicles 5:23–25

23 And the sons of the half-tribe of Manasseh lived in the land from Bashan to Baal-Hermon, Senir, and Mount Hermon. They *were* numerous.

24 Now these *were* the heads of their fathers' households: Ephraim, Ishi, Eliel, Azriel, Jeremiah, Hodaviah, and Jahdiel, mighty men of strength, famous men, heads of their fathers' households.

25 But they transgressed against the God of their ancestors and prostituted themselves after the gods of the peoples of the land, whom God had destroyed before them.

Official Genealogical Records: Levi's Descendants (c. 538 BC)

1 Chronicles 6:1–30, 50–53

The High Priestly Line Through Aaron

1 The sons of Levi: Gershon, Kohath, and Merari.

2 The sons of Kohath: Amram, Izhar, Hebron, and Uzziel.

3a The children of Amram: Aaron, Moses, and Miriam.

3b The sons of Aaron: Nadab, Abihu, Eleazar, and Ithamar.

4 Eleazar fathered Phinehas; Phinehas fathered Abishua;

5 Abishua fathered Bukki; Bukki fathered Uzzi;

6 Uzzi fathered Zerariah; Zerariah fathered Meraioth;

7 Meraioth fathered Amariah; Amariah fathered Ahitub;

8 Ahitub fathered Zadok; Zadok fathered Ahimaaz;

9 Ahimaaz fathered Azariah; Azariah fathered Johanan;

- 10 and Johanan fathered Azariah. *It was* he who served as priest in the temple that Solomon built in Jerusalem.
- 11 And Azariah fathered Amariah; Amariah fathered Ahitub;
- 12 Ahitub fathered Zadok; Zadok fathered Shallum;
- 13 Shallum fathered Hilkiah; Hilkiah fathered Azariah;
- 14 Azariah fathered Seraiah; Seraiah fathered Jehozadak.
- 15 And Jehozadak went into exile *when* Yahweh *sent* Judah and Jerusalem into exile by the hand of Nebuchadnezzar.

Clans of Gershom, Kohath and Merari

- 16 The sons of Levi: Gershom, Kohath, and Merari.
- 17 Now these *are* the names of the sons of Gershom: Libni and Shimei.
- 18 The sons of Kohath: Amram, Izhar, Hebron, and Uzziel.
- 19 The sons of Merari: Mahli and Mushi. Now these *are* the families of the Levites according to their ancestors.
- 20 Of Gershom: Libni his son, Jahath his son, Zimmah his son,
- 21 Joah his son, Iddo his son, Zerah his son, Jeatherai his son.
- 22 The sons of Kohath: Amminadab his son, Korah his son, Assir his son,
- 23 Elkanah his son, Ebiasaph his son, Assir his son,
- 24 Tahath his son, Uriel his son, Uzziab his son, and Shaul his son.
- 25 The sons of Elkanah: Amasai and Ahimoth,
- 26 Elkanah his son, Zophai his son, Nahath his son,
- 27 Eliab his son, Jeroham his son, Elkanah his son.
- 28 The sons of Samuel: *Joel* his firstborn and Abijah the second.
- 29 The sons of Merari: Mahli, Libni his son, Shimei his son, Uzzah his son,
- 30 Shimea his son, Haggiah his son, and Asaiah his son.

List of High Priests from Aaron to David

- 50 Now these *are* the sons of Aaron: Eleazar his son, Phinehas his son, Abishua his son,
- 51 Bukki his son, Uzzi his son, Zerahiah his son,
- 52 Meraioth his son, Amariah his son, Ahitub his son,
- 53 Zadok his son, Ahimaaz his son.

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