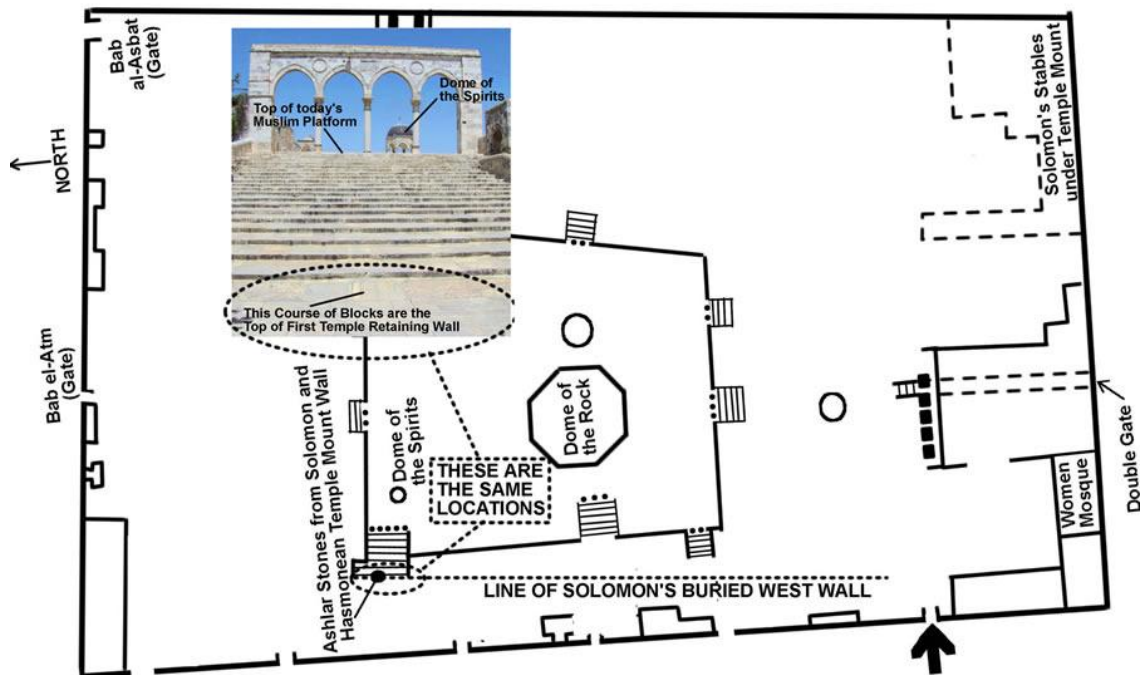
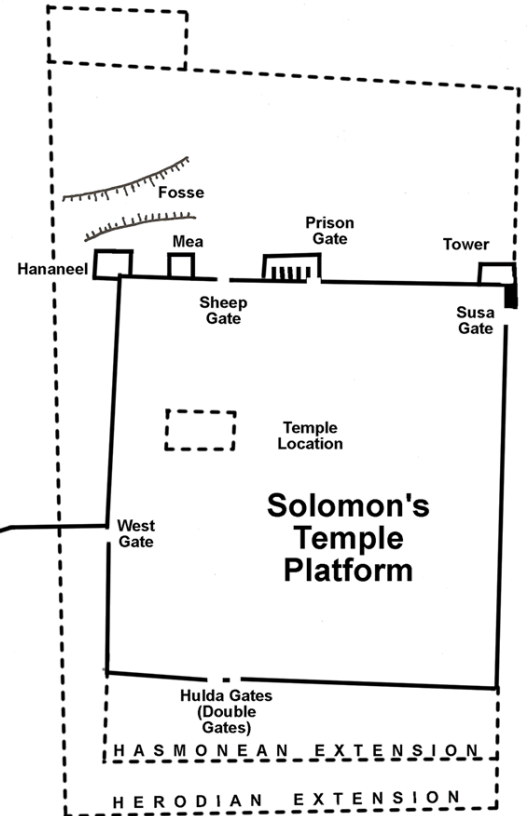
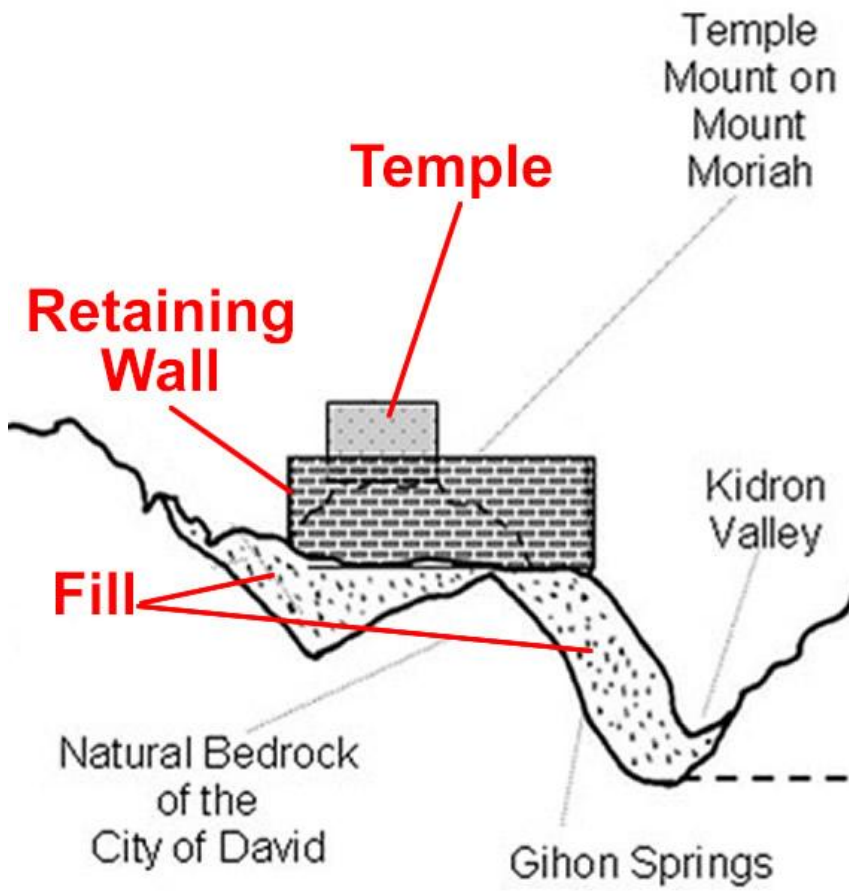
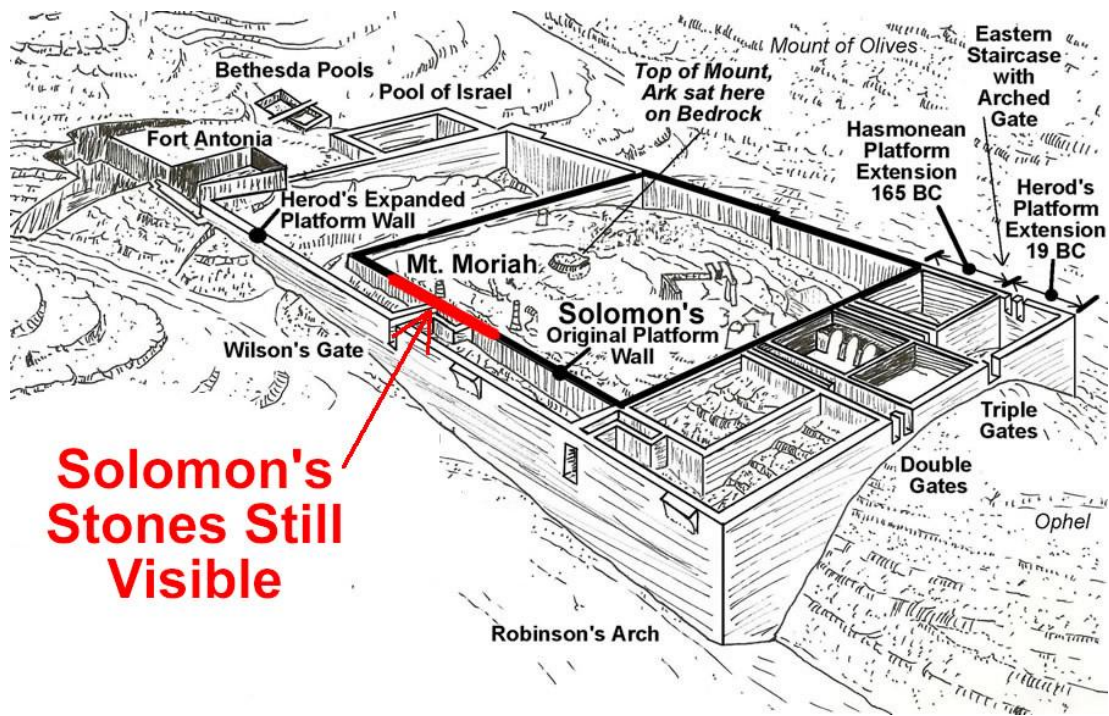


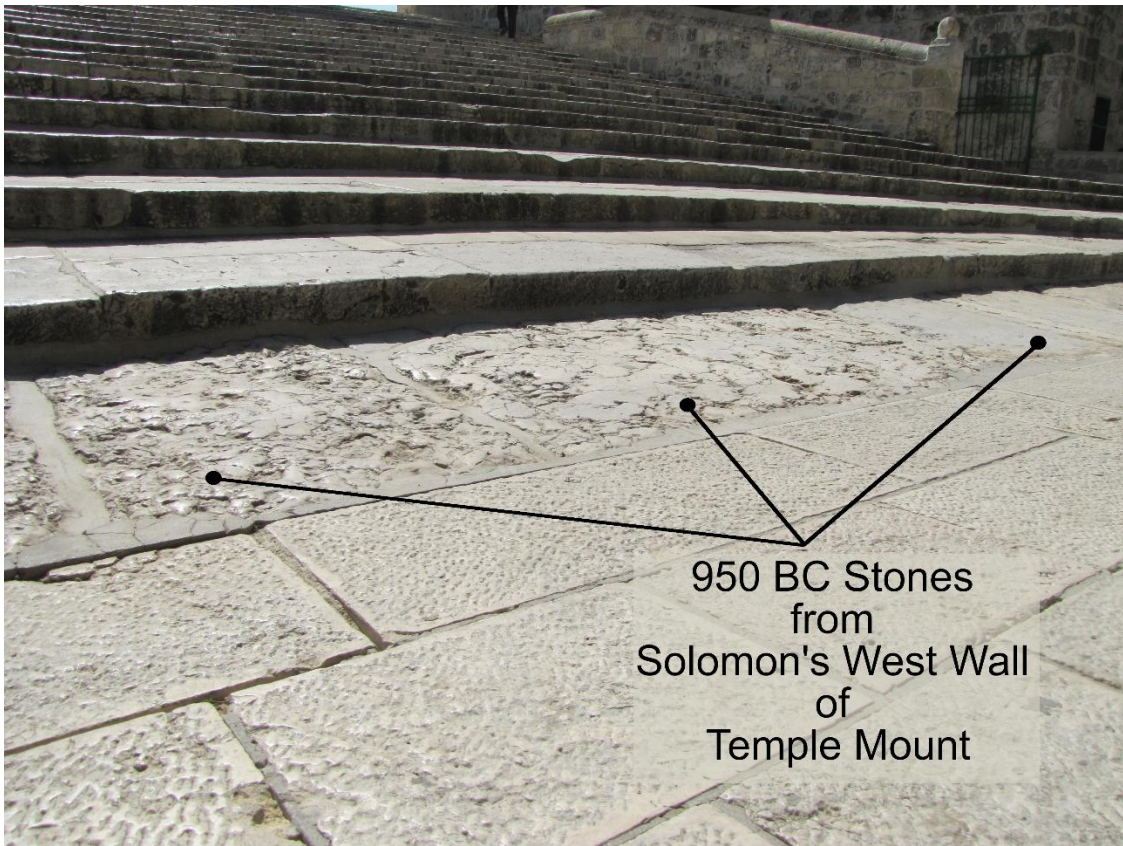


**Northwest stairs on Temple Mount
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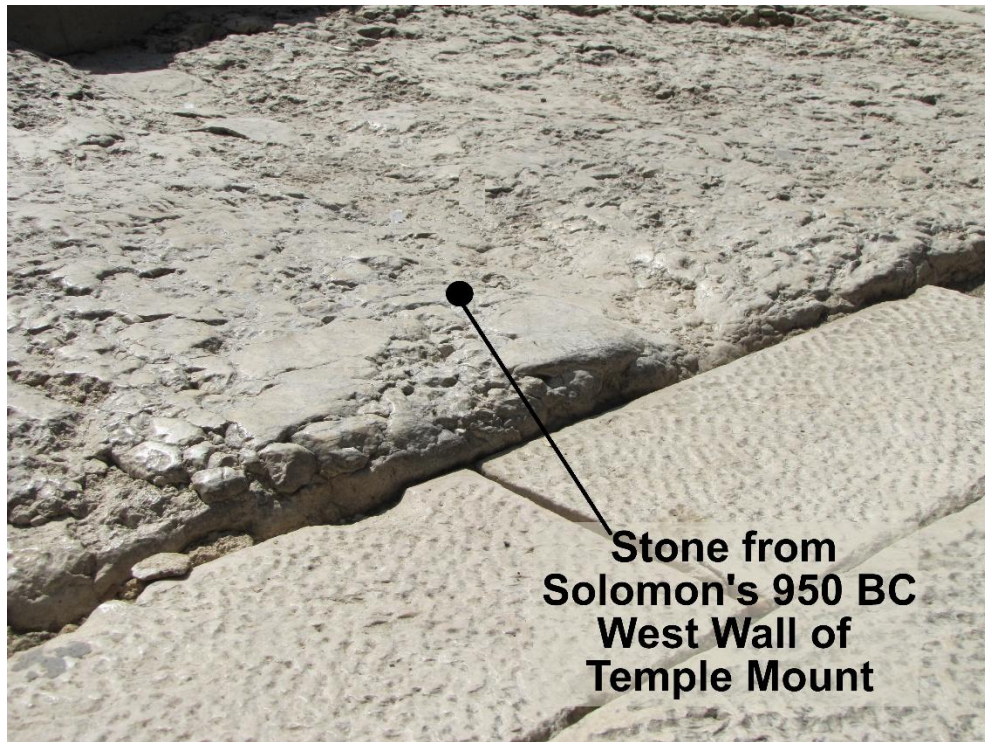


Top of West Wall of First Temple





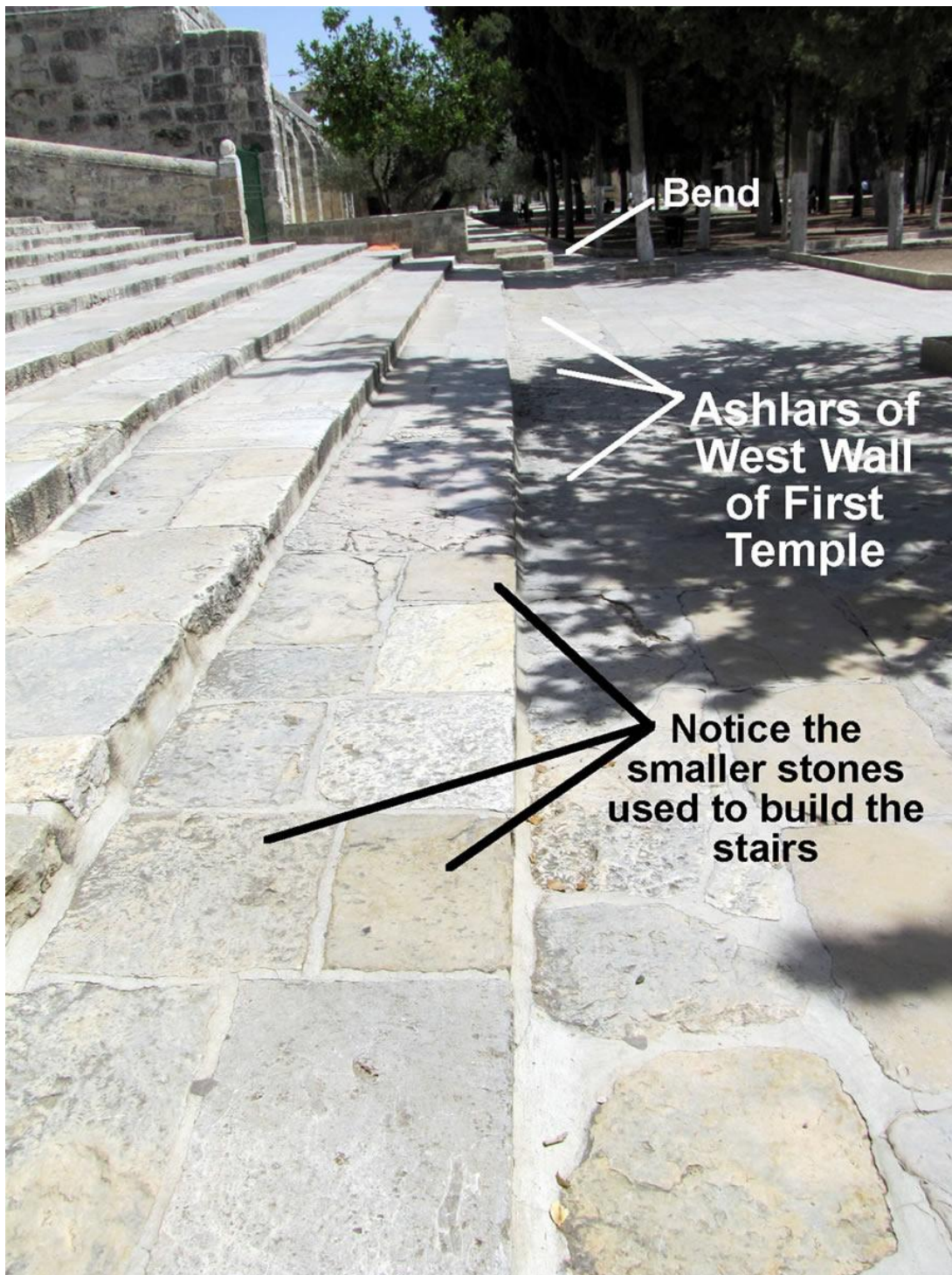
950 BC Stones
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Solomon's West Wall
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Temple Mount

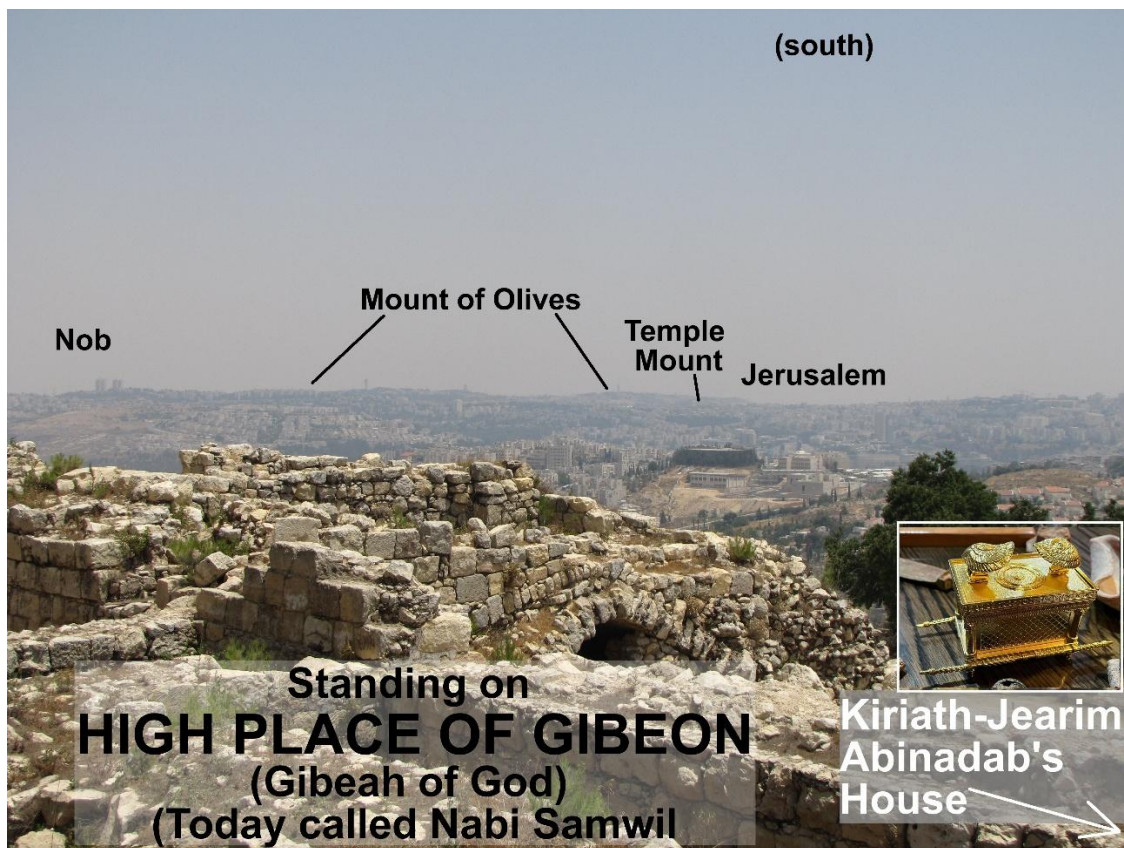


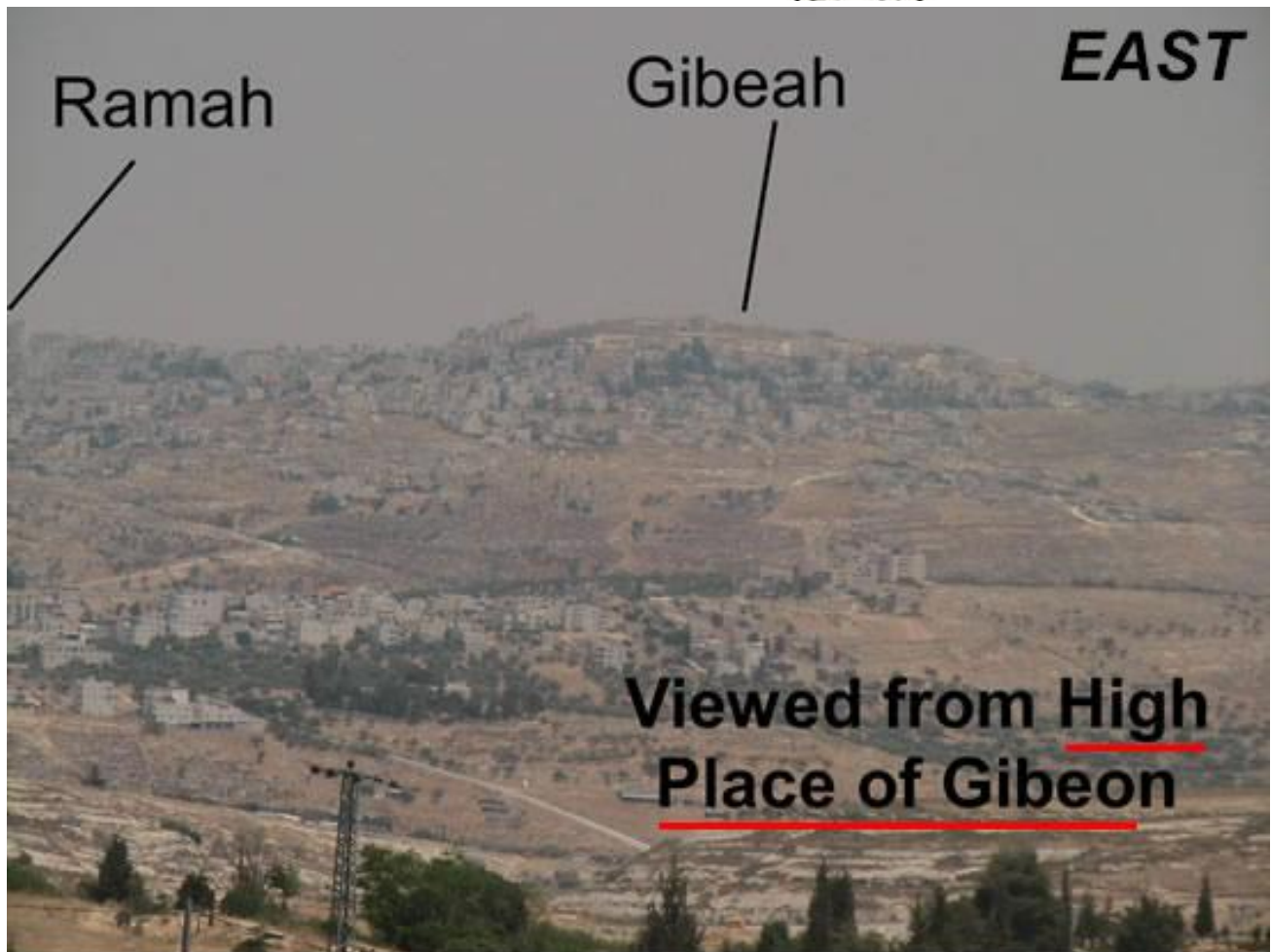
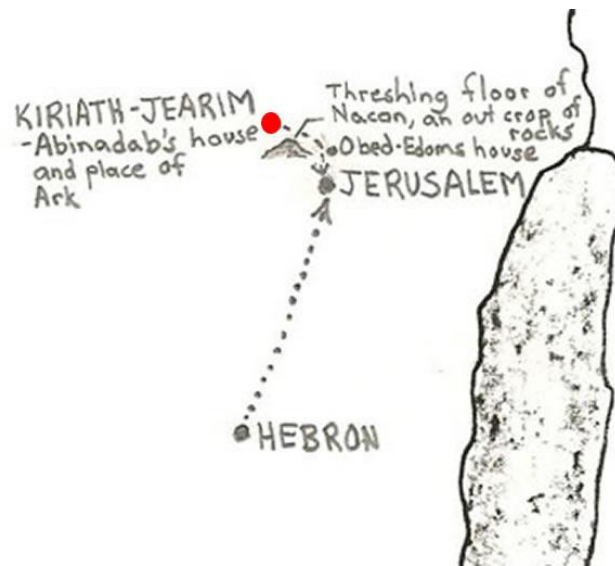
Stone from
Solomon's 950 BC
West Wall of
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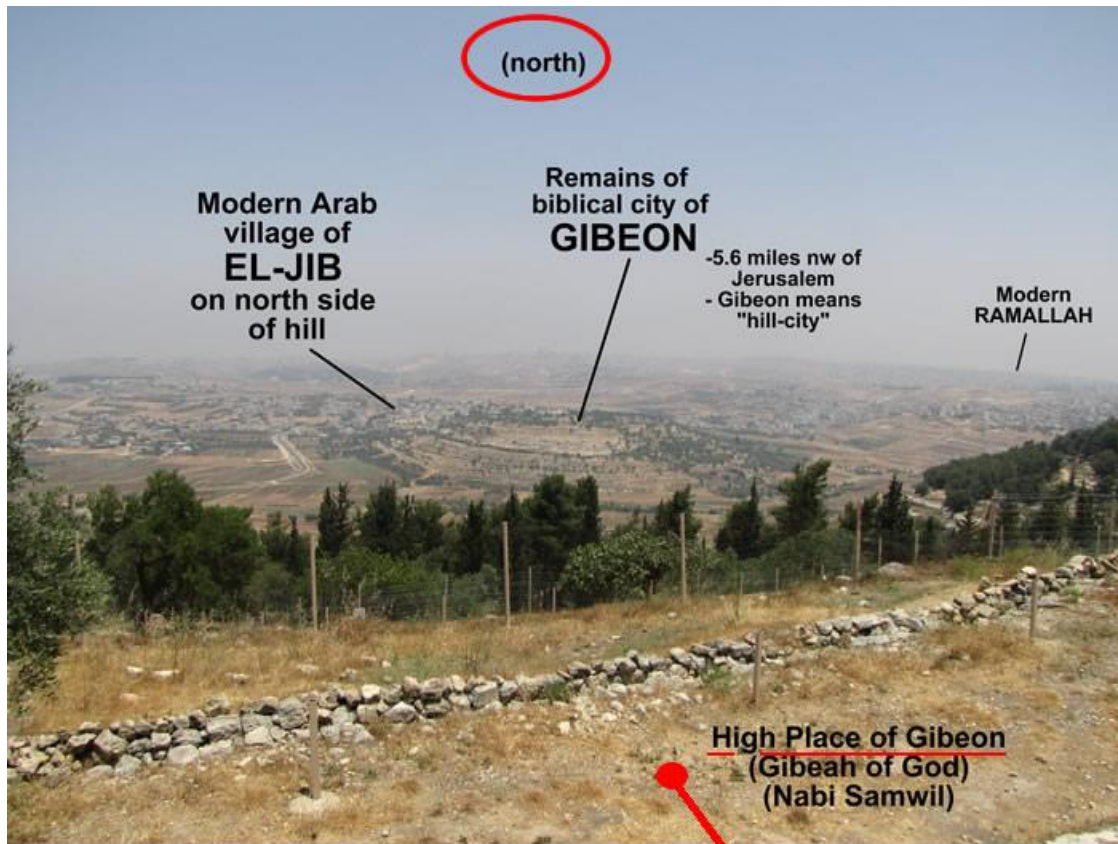
**Top of Solomon's
Western Retaining Wall**





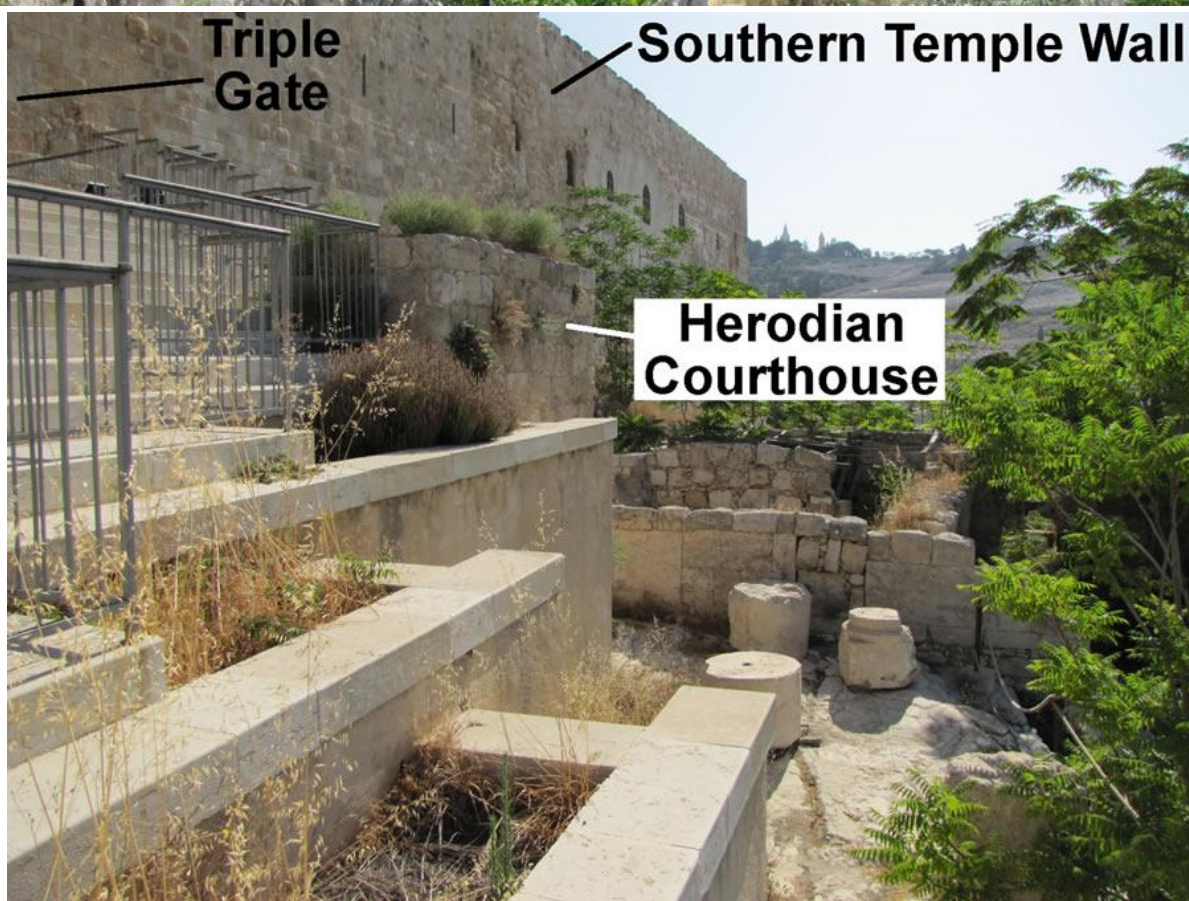
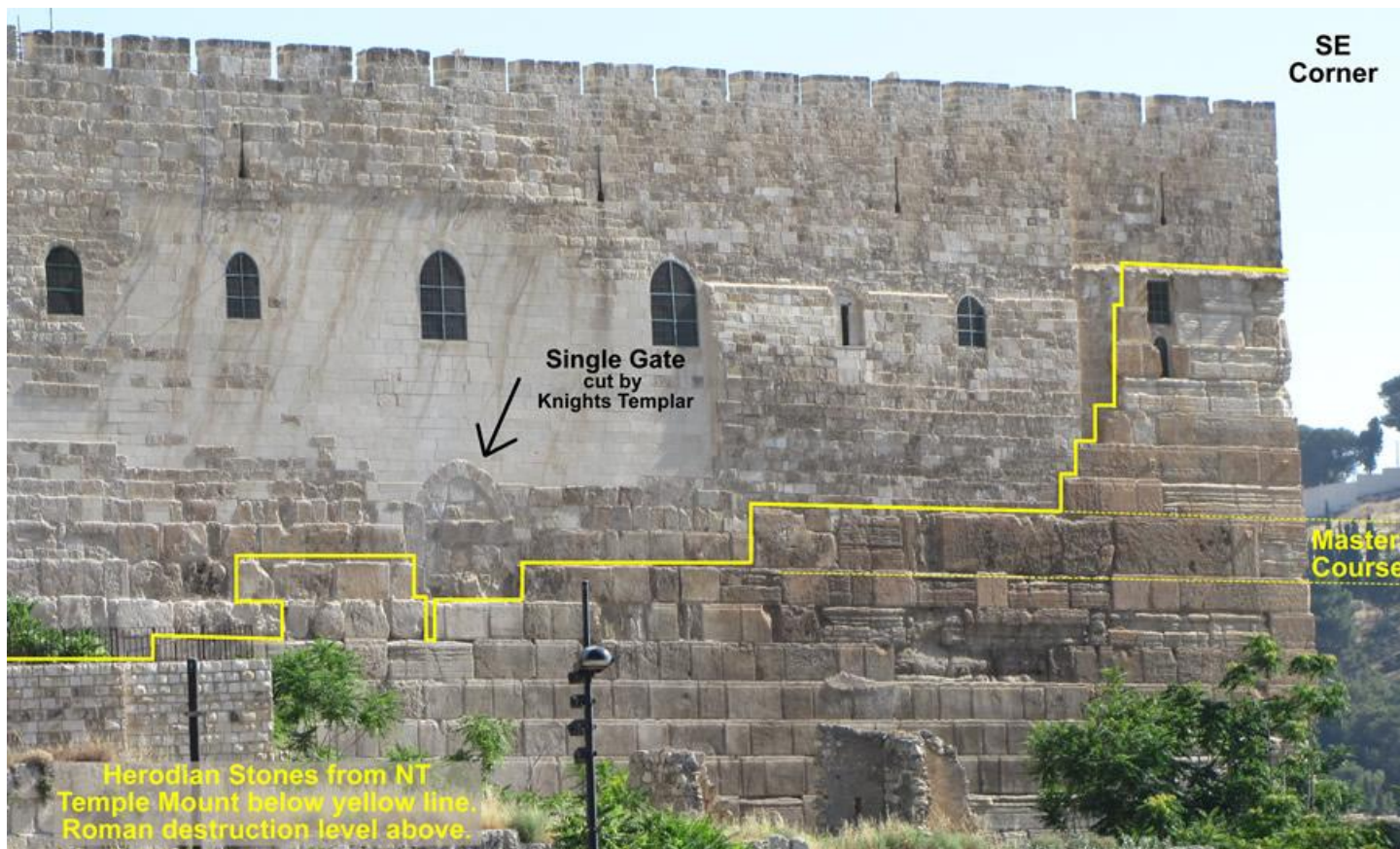


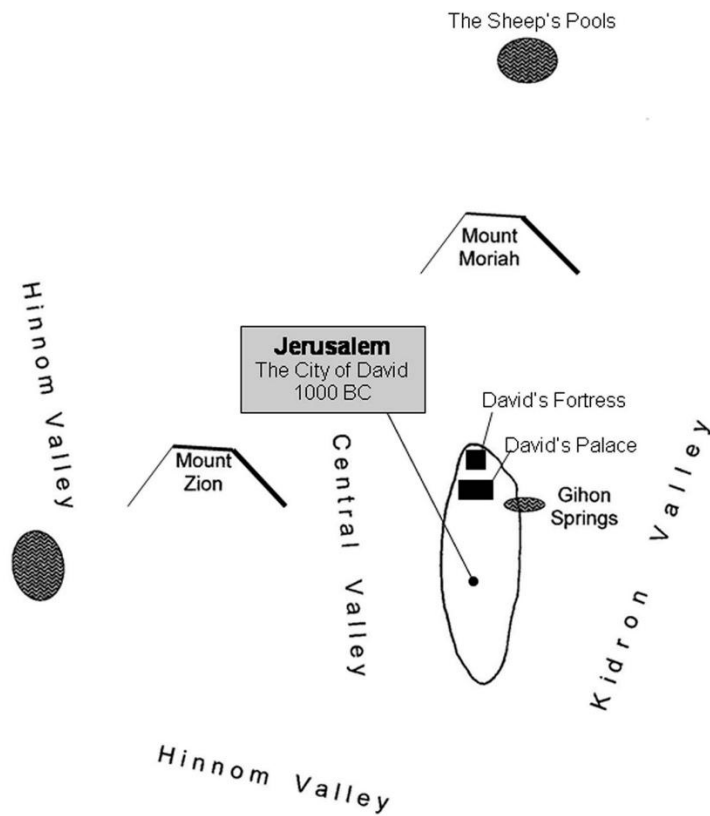
Looking to the east from the High Place of Gibeon we can see Saul's city of Gibeah and Samuel's city of Ramah



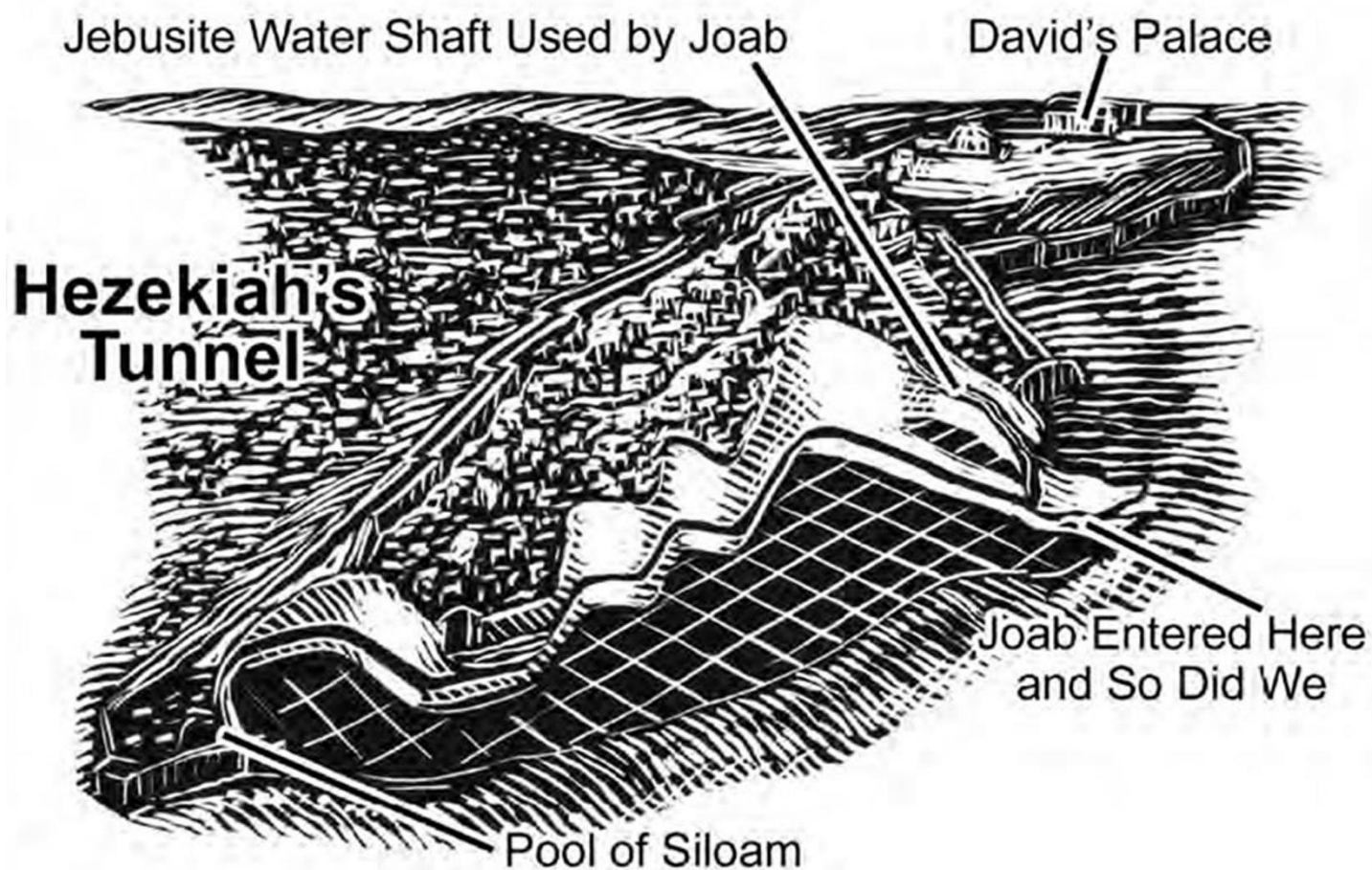
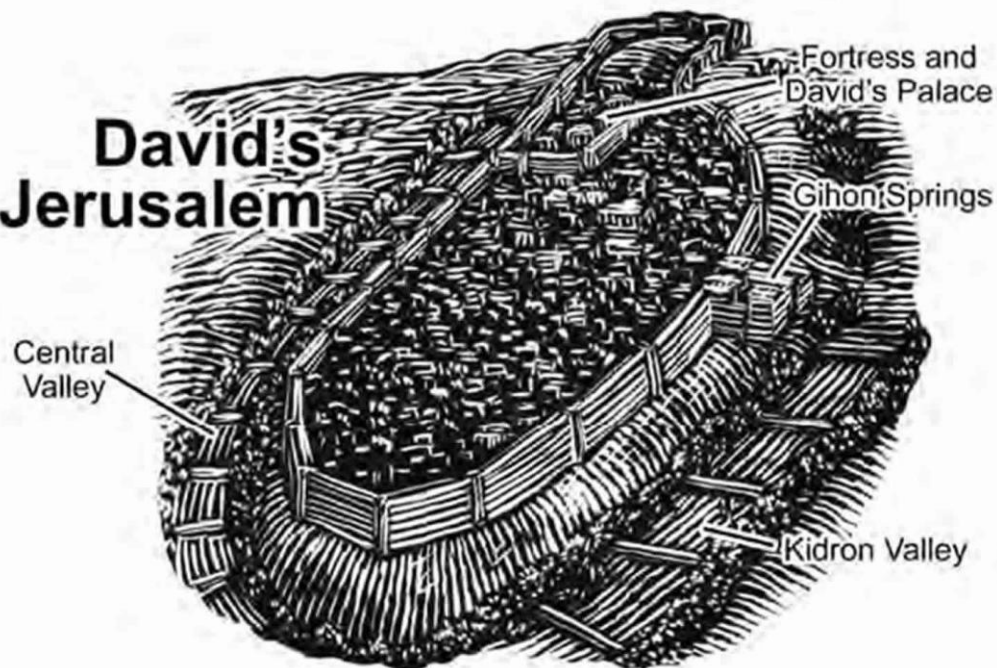
Looking to the south of the High Place of Gibeon we can see the remains of the city of Gibeon and the top of the hill called the High Place.

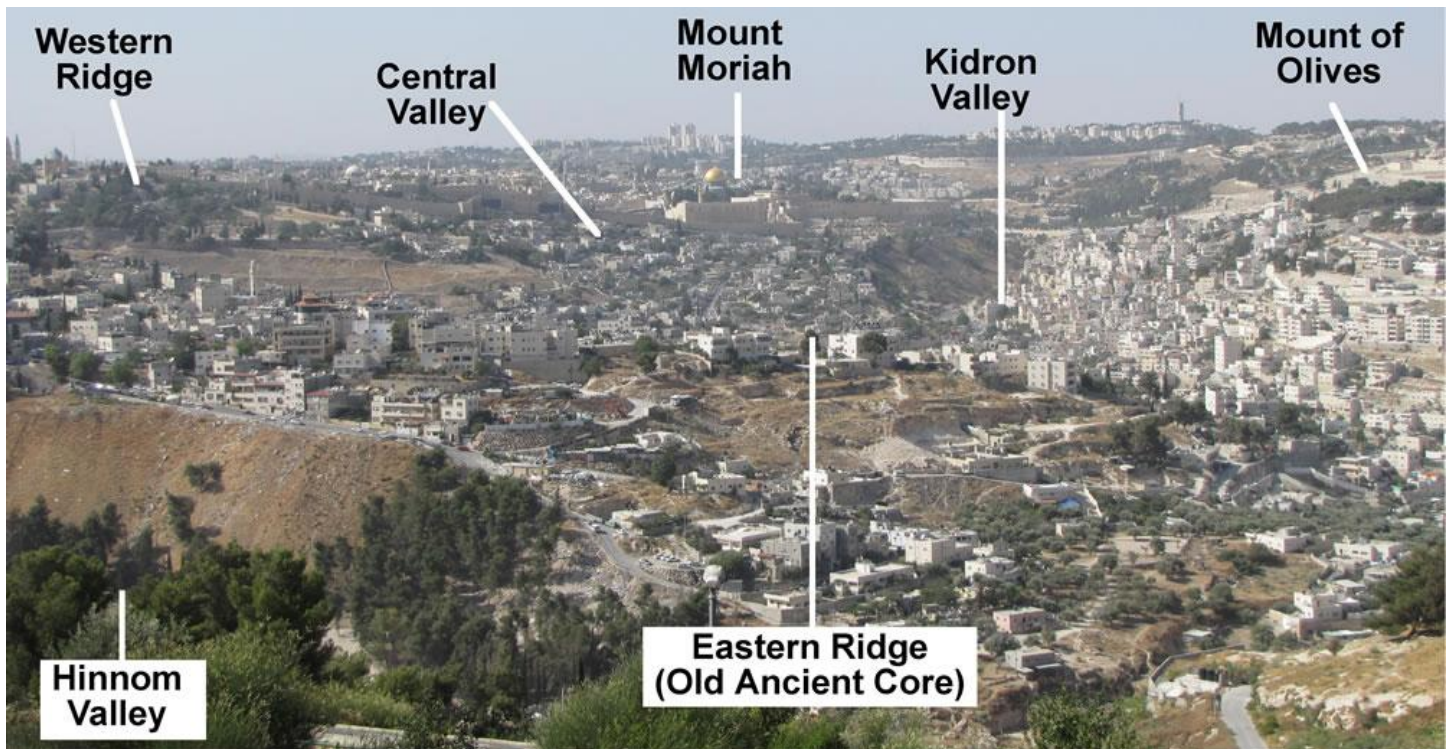
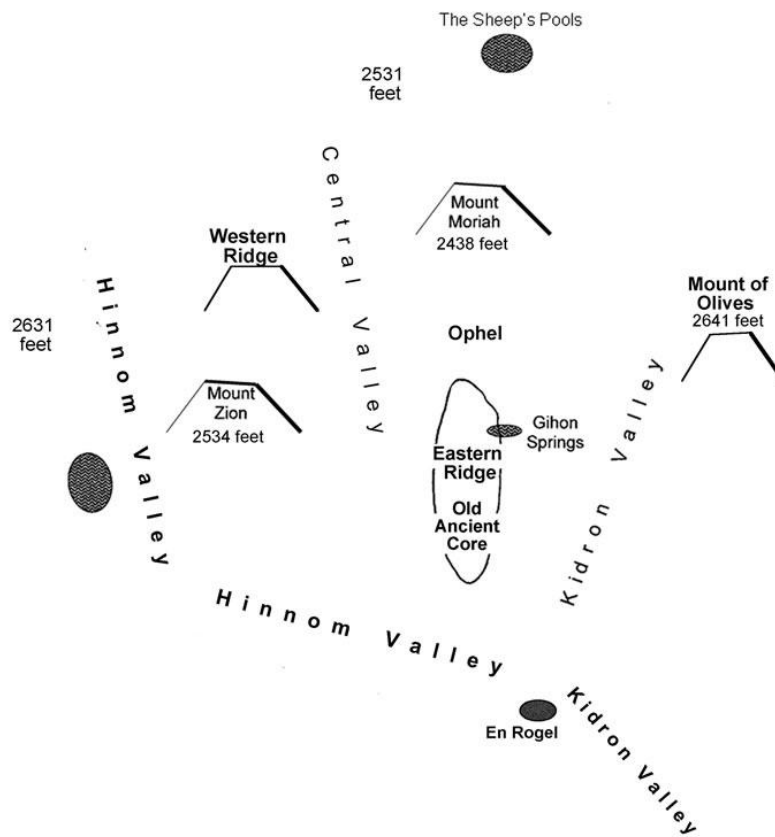






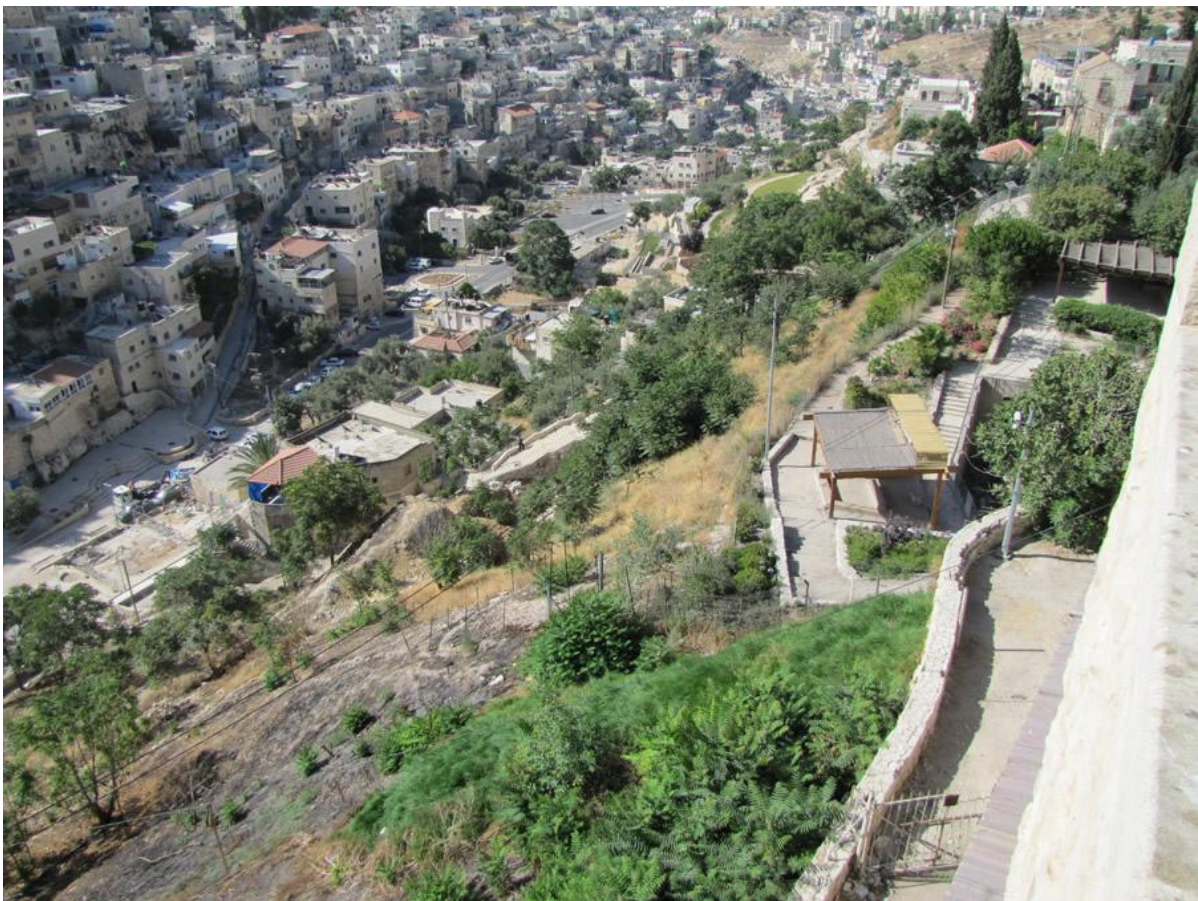
David's Jerusalem

















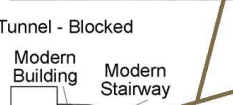
Warren's Shaft



Natural Tunnel Blocked



Gihon Springs Towers



Hezekiah's Tunnel



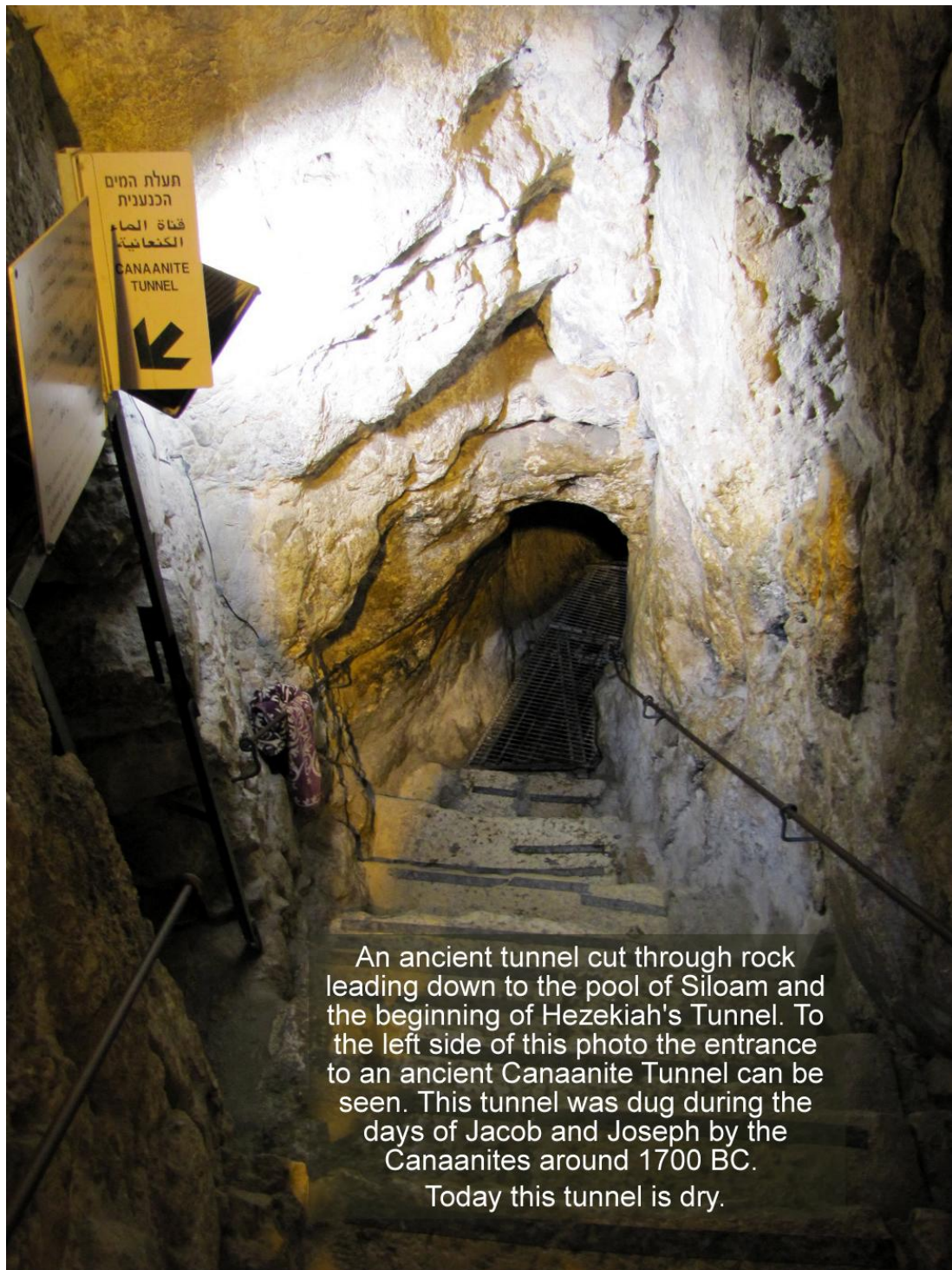
Entering Hezekiah's Tunnel



Canaanite Channel



Entrance to a Tunnel in this Ancient Water System now Dry



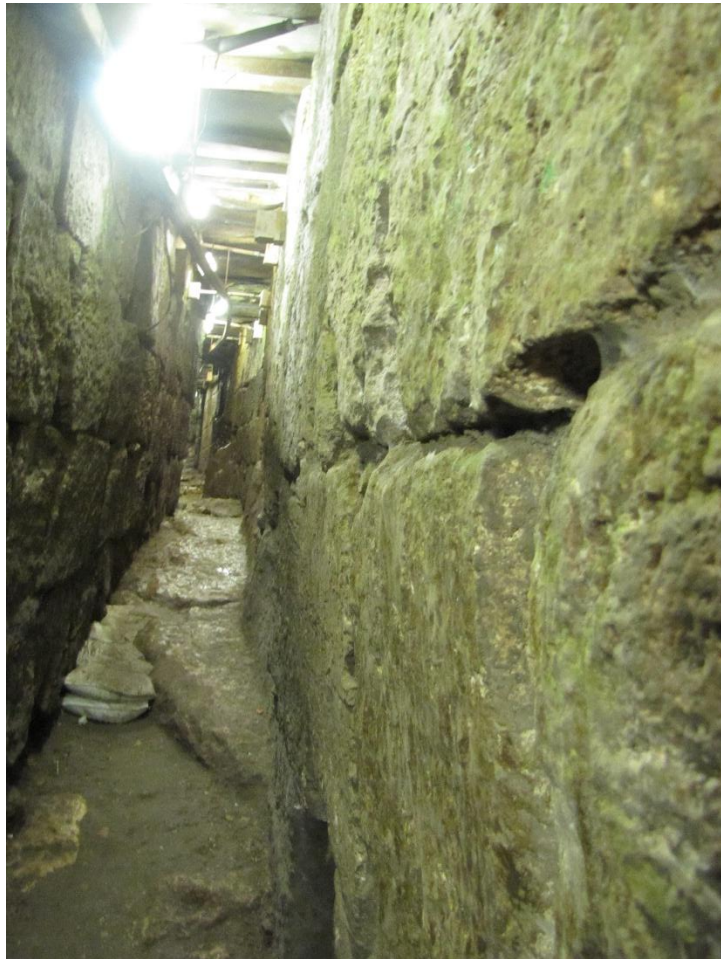
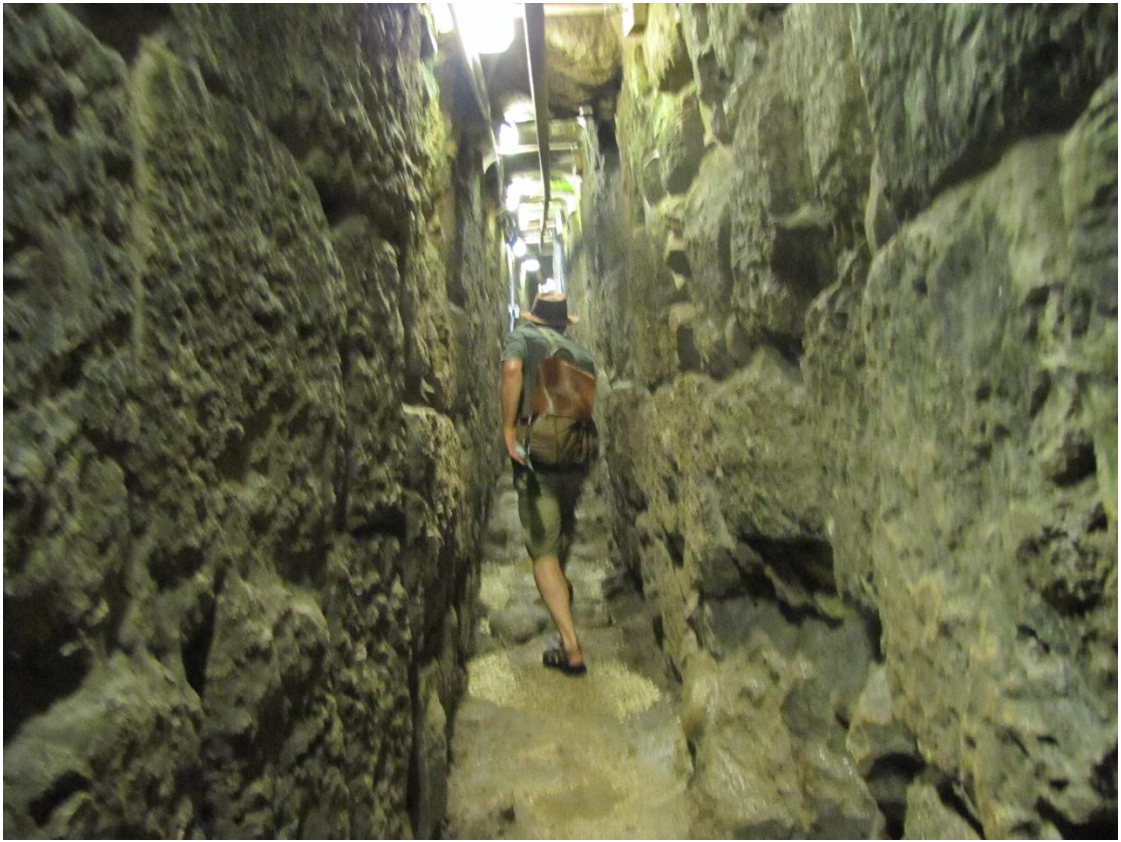
An ancient tunnel cut through rock leading down to the pool of Siloam and the beginning of Hezekiah's Tunnel. To the left side of this photo the entrance to an ancient Canaanite Tunnel can be seen. This tunnel was dug during the days of Jacob and Joseph by the Canaanites around 1700 BC.

Today this tunnel is dry.



Water from the Gihon Springs flowing at the beginning of Hezekiah's Tunnel



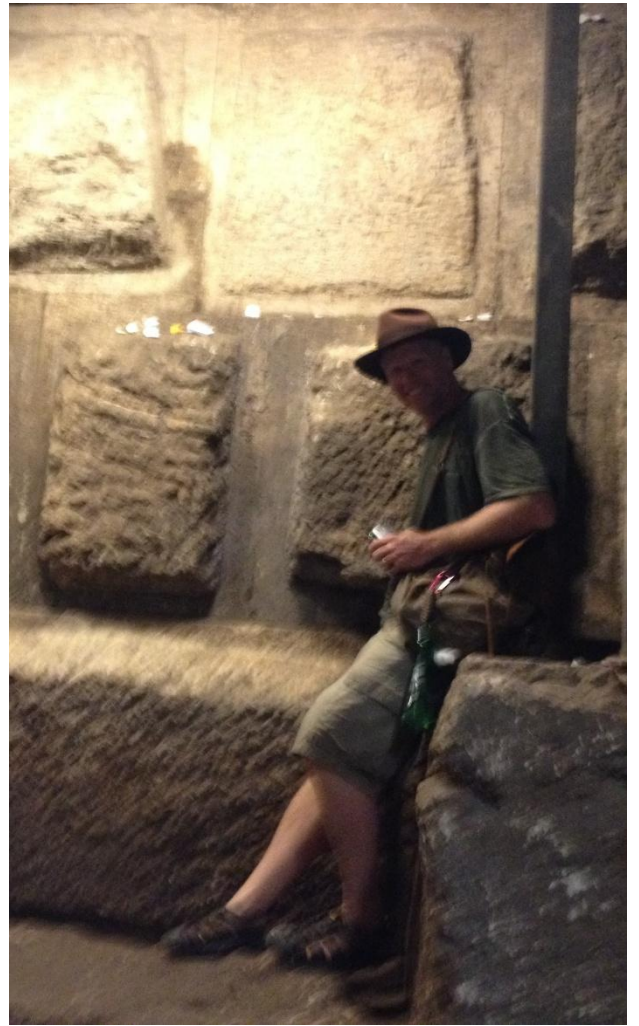
















Chapter Twenty

930 - 721 BC – The Kings of Israel

Kingdom of Israel - 20 kings - from 9 dynasties
- 6 assassinations - 2 coups

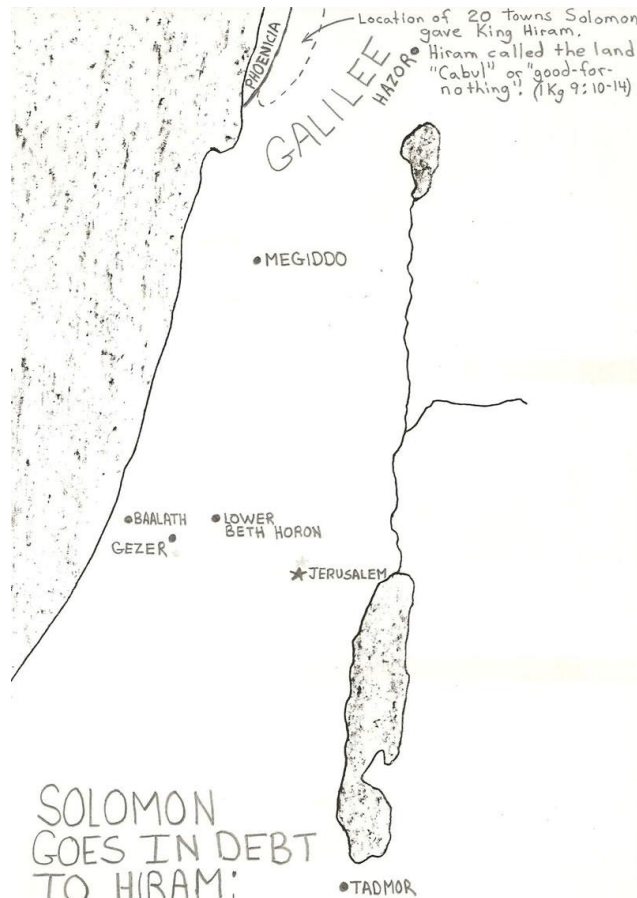
	King in Israel	Length of Reign	Years of Reign (BC)
1	<u>Jeroboam</u>	22 years	930-909
	<u>Nadab</u>	2 years	909-908
2	<u>Baasha</u>	24 years	908-886
	<u>Elah</u>	2 years	886-885
3	<u>Zimri</u>	7 days	885
4	<u>Tibni</u>	5 years	885-880
	<u>Omri</u>	11 years	885-874
	<u>Ahab</u>	22 years	874-853
5	<u>Ahaziah</u>	2 years	853-852
	<u>Joram</u>	11 years	852-841
	<u>Jehu</u>	28 years	841-814
6	<u>Jehoahaz</u>	17 years	814-798
	<u>Jehoash</u>	16 years	798-782
	<u>Jeroboam II</u>	41 years	793-753
	<u>Zechariah</u>	6 months	753
	<u>Shallum</u>	1 month	752
7	<u>Menahem</u>	10 years	752-742
	<u>Pekahiah</u>	2 years	742-740
8	<u>Pekah</u>	20 years	740-732
9	<u>Hoshea</u>	9 years	731-721

Assyria invades Israel and captures Samaria after 3 year siege in 721 BC. Israelites are deported and scattered through out the Assyrian empire. They have never returned.

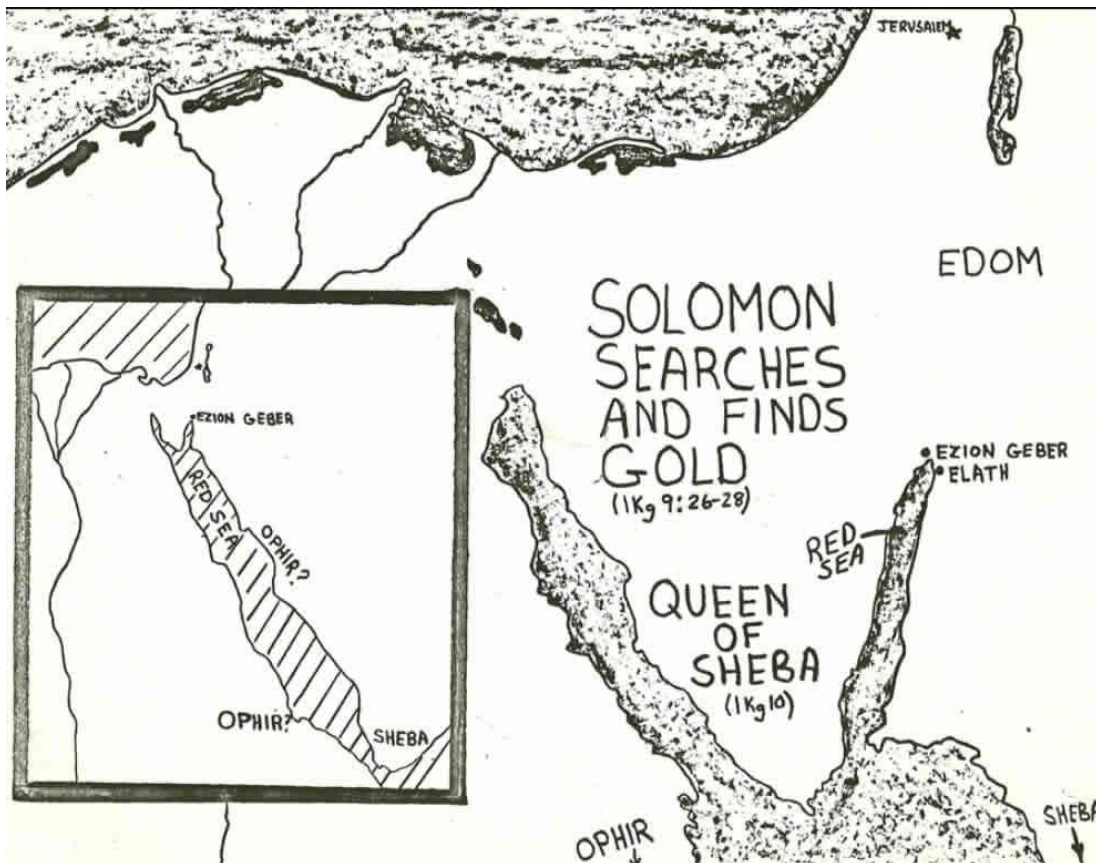
(Underlined names indicate the end of a dynasty or royal family)

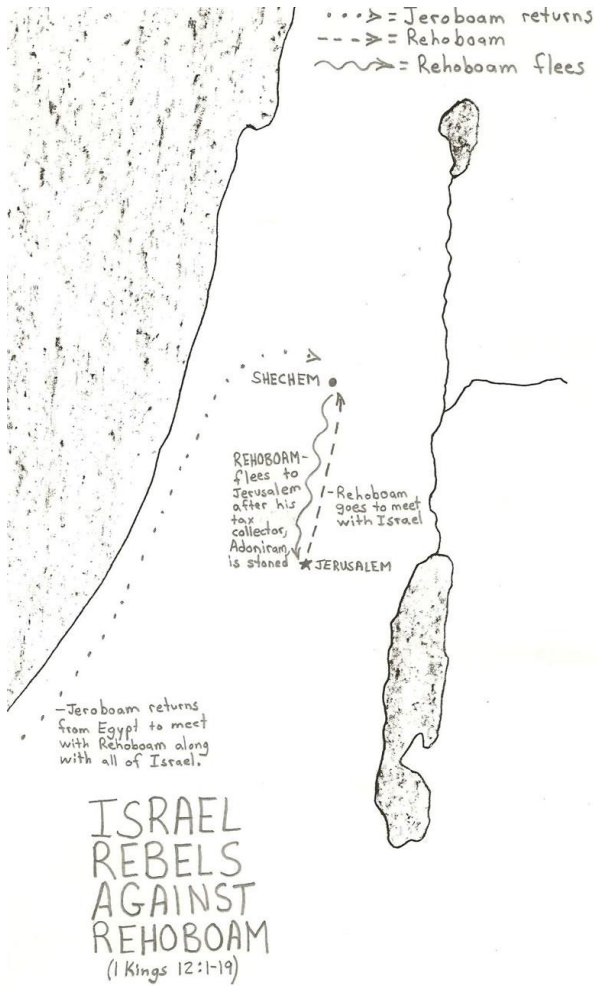
King in Israel	Length of Reign	Years of Reign (BC)	King of Judah	Length of Reign	Years of Reign (BC)
1 Jeroboam	22 years	930-909	Rehoboam	17 years	930-913
Nadab	2 years	909-908	Abiam	3 years	913-910
2 Baasha	24 years	908-886	Asa	41 years	910-869
Elah	2 years	886-885	Jehoshaphat	25 years	872-848
3 Zimri	7 days	885	Jehoram	8 years	853-841
4 Tibni	5 years	885-880	Ahaziah	1 year	841
Omri	11 years	885-874	Athaliah	7 years	841-835
Ahab	22 years	874-853	Joash	40 years	835-796
5 Ahaziah	2 years	853-852	Amaziah	29 years	796-767
Joram	11 years	852-841	Uzziah	52 years	792-740
Jehu	28 years	841-814	Jotham	16-20 years	750-735
6 Jehoahaz	17 years	814-798	Ahaz	16-20 years	735-715
Jehoash	16 years	798-782	Hezekiah	29 years	715-686
Jeroboam II	41 years	793-753	Manasseh	55 years	697-642
Zechariah	6 months	753	Amon	2 years	642-640
Shallum	1 month	752	Josiah	31 years	640-609
7 Menahem	10 years	752-742	Jehoahaz	3 months	609
Pekahiah	2 years	742-740	Jehoiakim	11 years	609-598
8 Pekah	20 years	740-732	Jehoiachin	3 months	597
9 Hoshea	9 years	731-721	Zedekiah	11 years	597-586

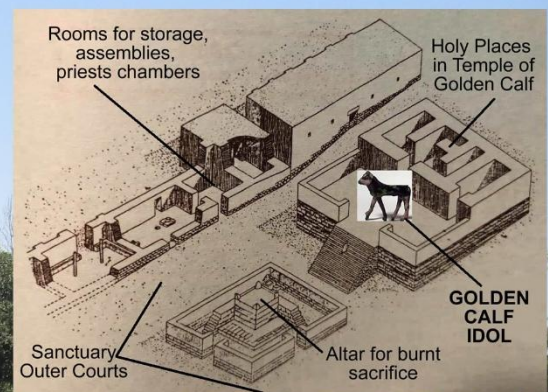
Babylon invaded Judah in 605 BC & 597 BC. In 586 BC Jerusalem was captured after a two year siege. The city and temple were burnt and the people taken to captive to Babylon.



SOLOMON GOES IN DEBT TO HIRAM; SOLOMON BUILDS CITIES w/ FORCED LABOR (1Kg 9:10-25)







**Temple Steps leading up to
the Golden Calf**



Front of Temple

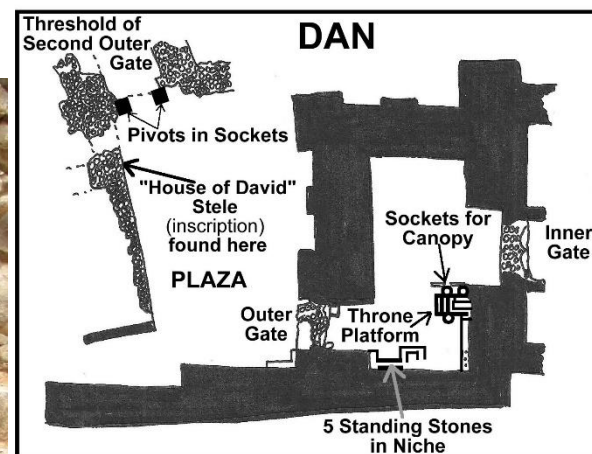
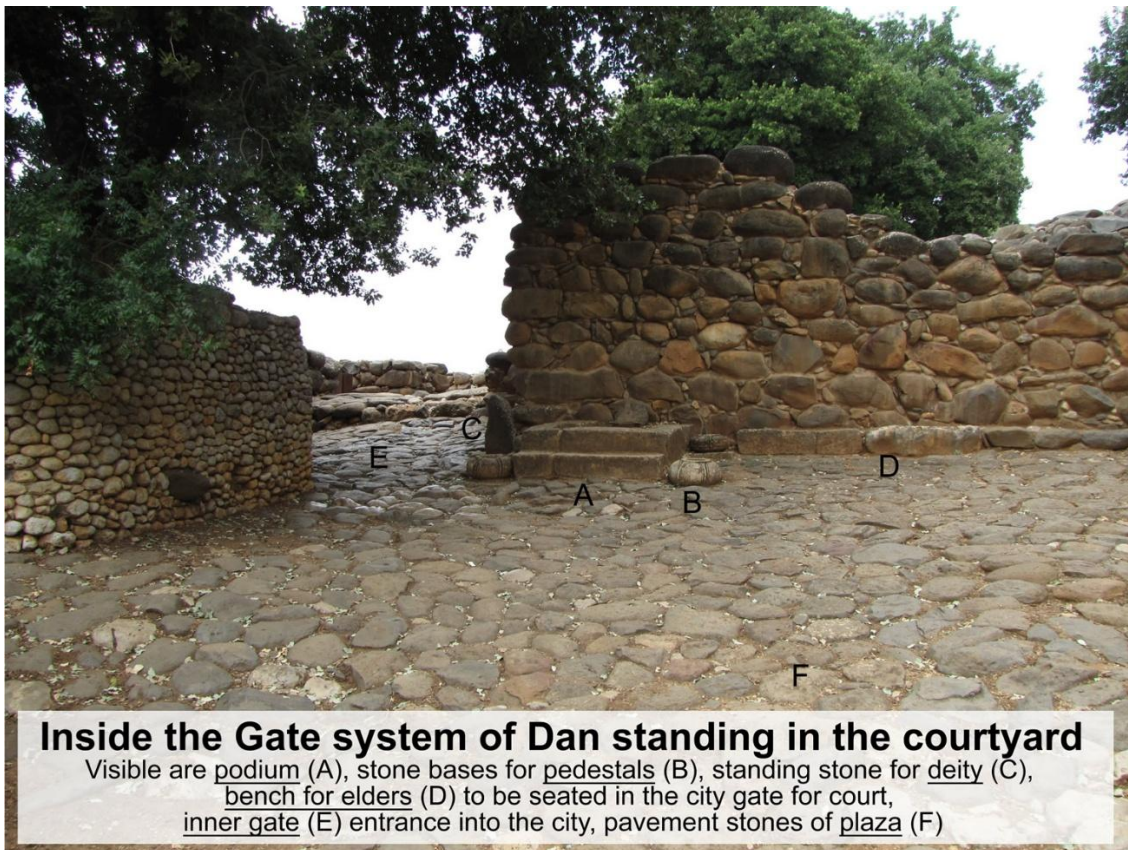
Front steps of Golden Calf Temple in Dan



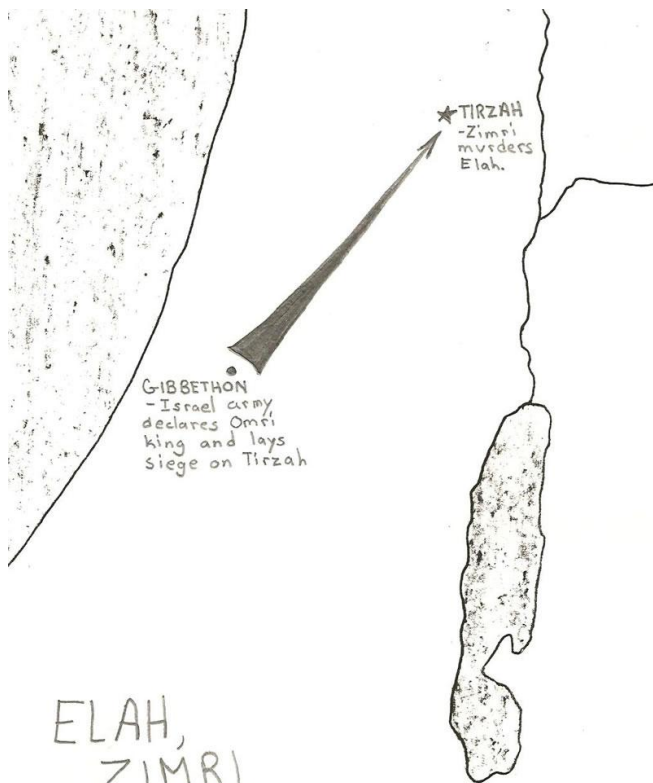
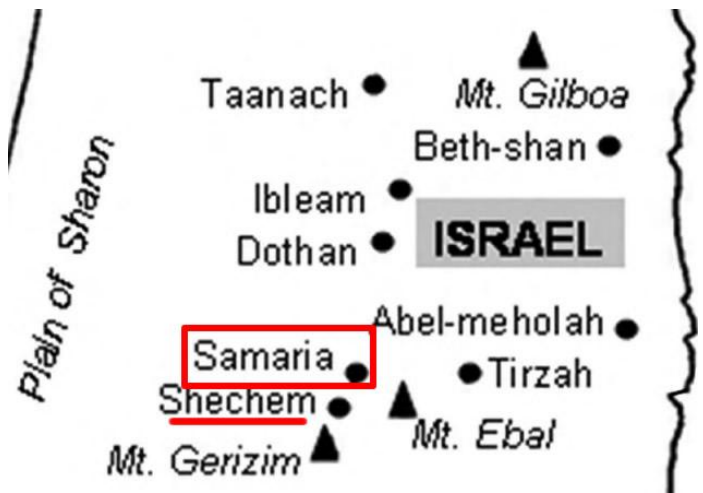
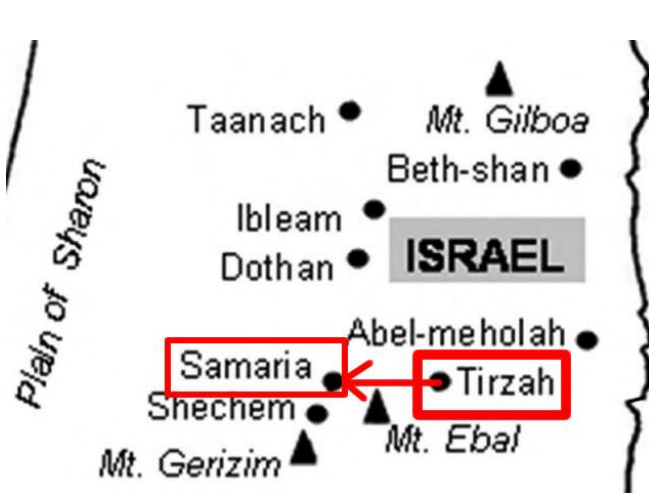
These stones are the front of the golden calf platform just to the right of the stairs. Joints tight after 2,900 years.

Gate System of Dan

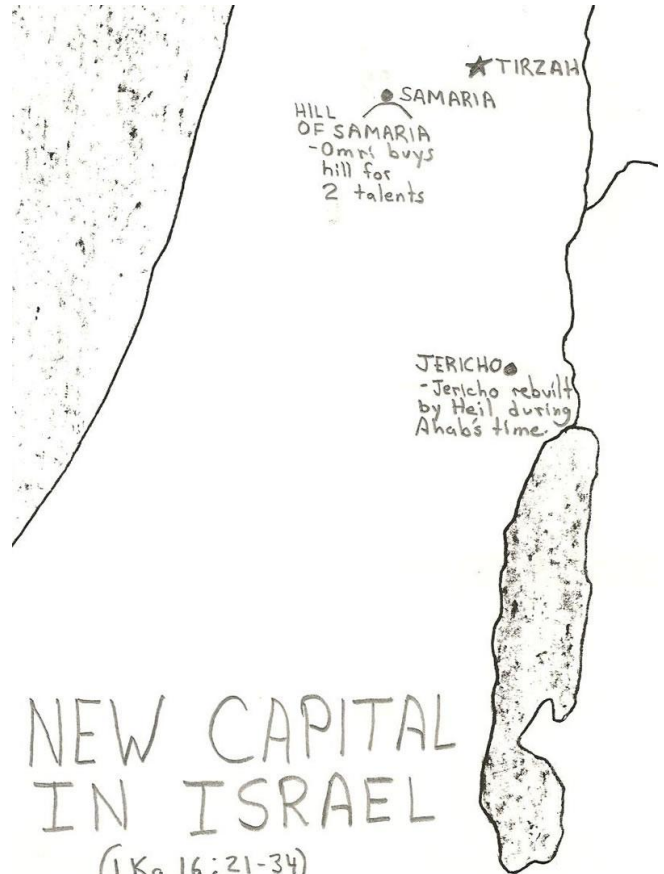




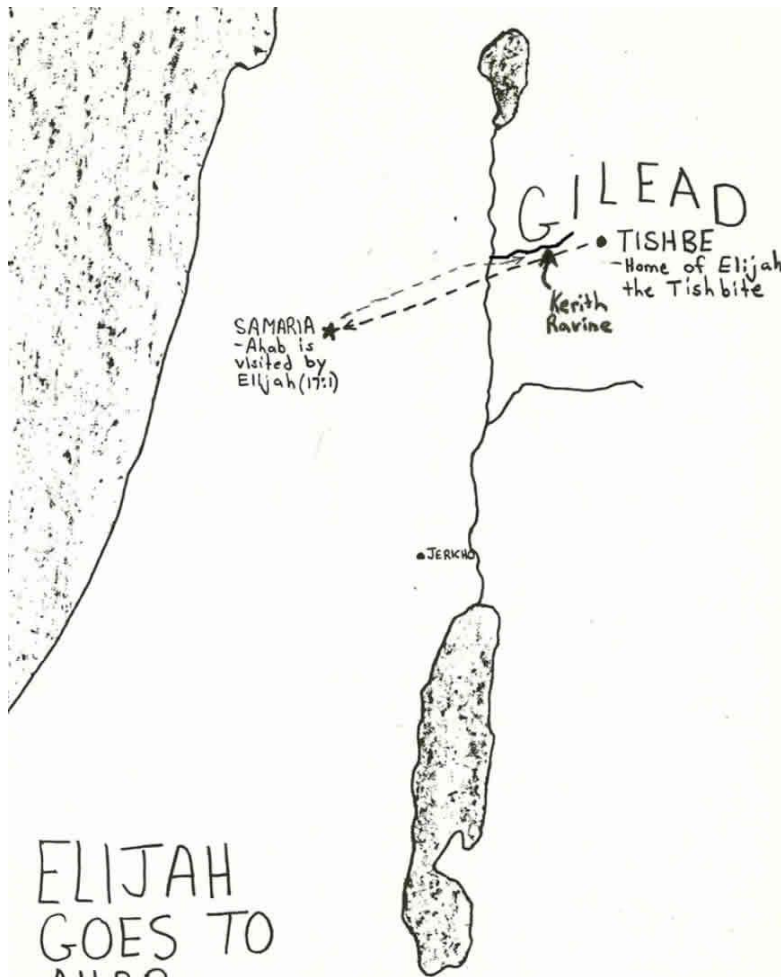
Podium (A) for the judgment seat of city king, ruler or judge to make decisions and settle legal cases in the city gate of Dan.
 Four circular stone bases (B) for wooden posts that supported the canopy that covered the "throne".
 The standing stone (C) representing the deity is left of the podium.
 The stone bench (D) where the city elders would sit is to the right.
 The inner gate (E) leading into the city is left of the standing stone.



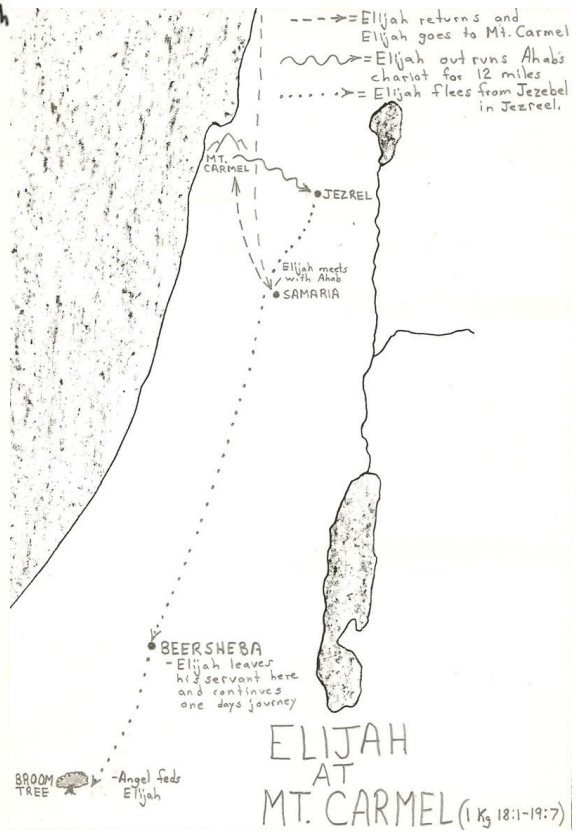
ELAH,
ZIMRI,
OMRI
(1Kg 16:1-20)



NEW CAPITAL
IN ISRAEL
(1Kg 16:21-34)



ELIJAH
GOES TO
AHAB AND
BROOK



ELIJAH
AT
MT. CARMEL (1 Kg 18:1-19:7)

Jezreel Valley

(looking East from Mt. Carmel)

Mt. Tabor

Nazareth

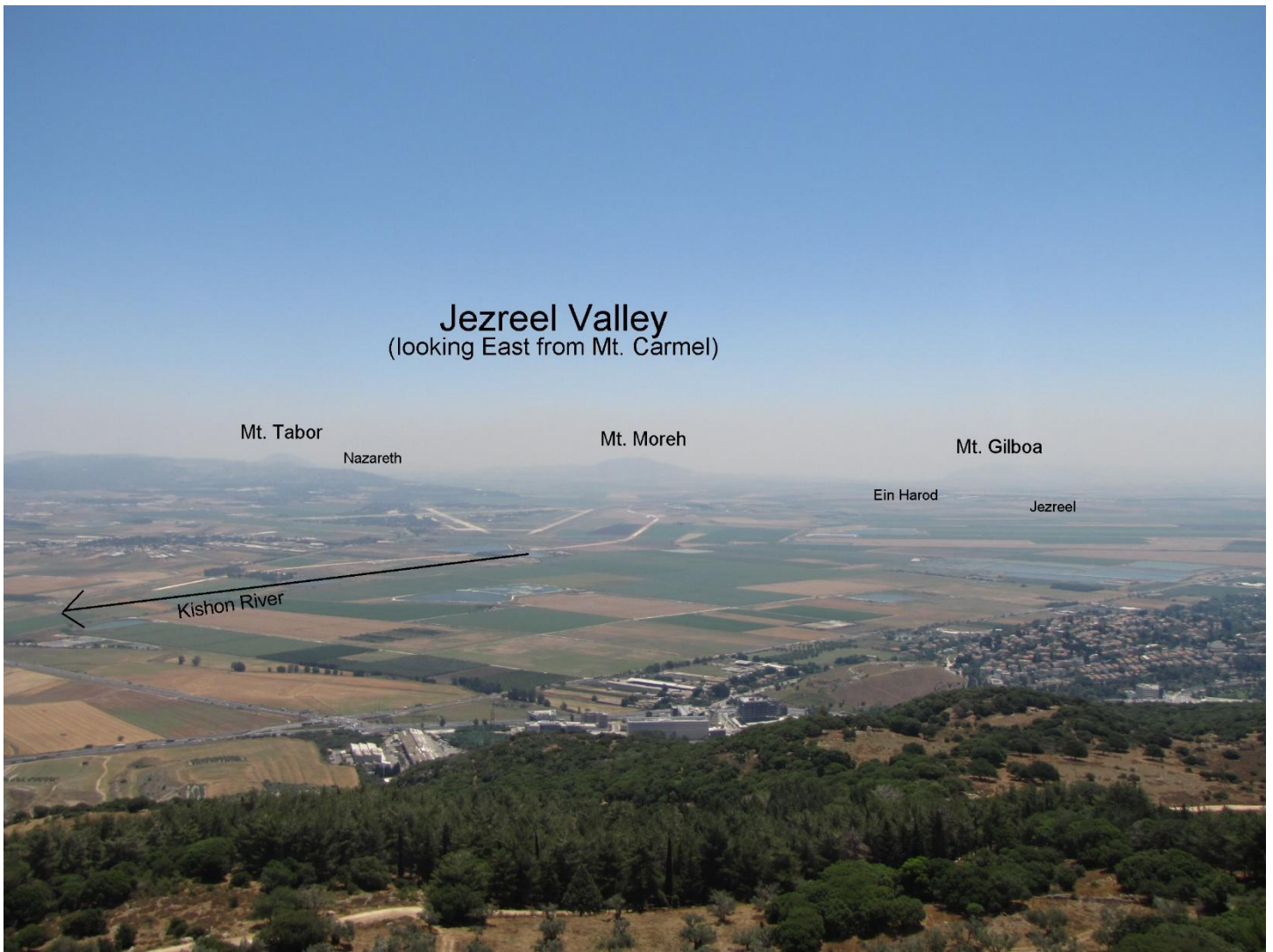
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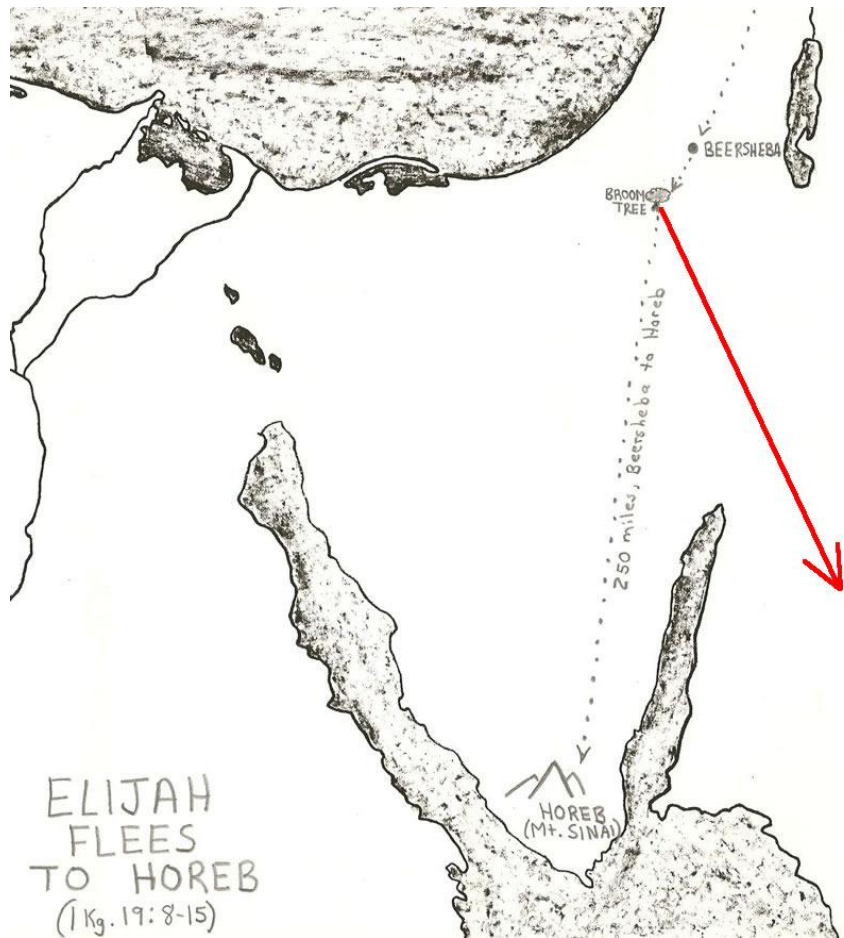
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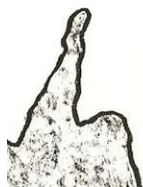
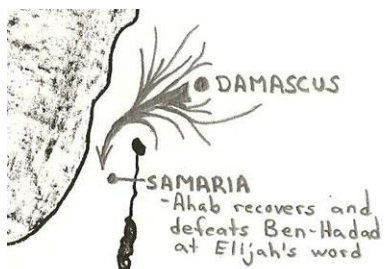
Ein Harod

Jezreel

Kishon River

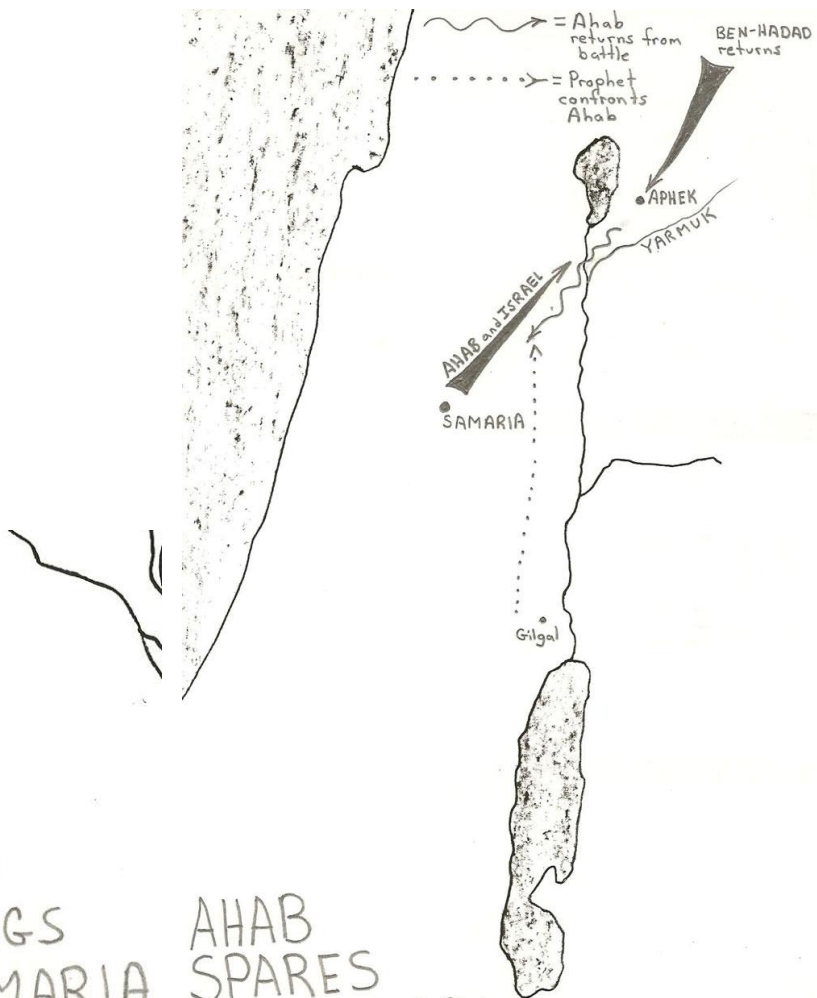


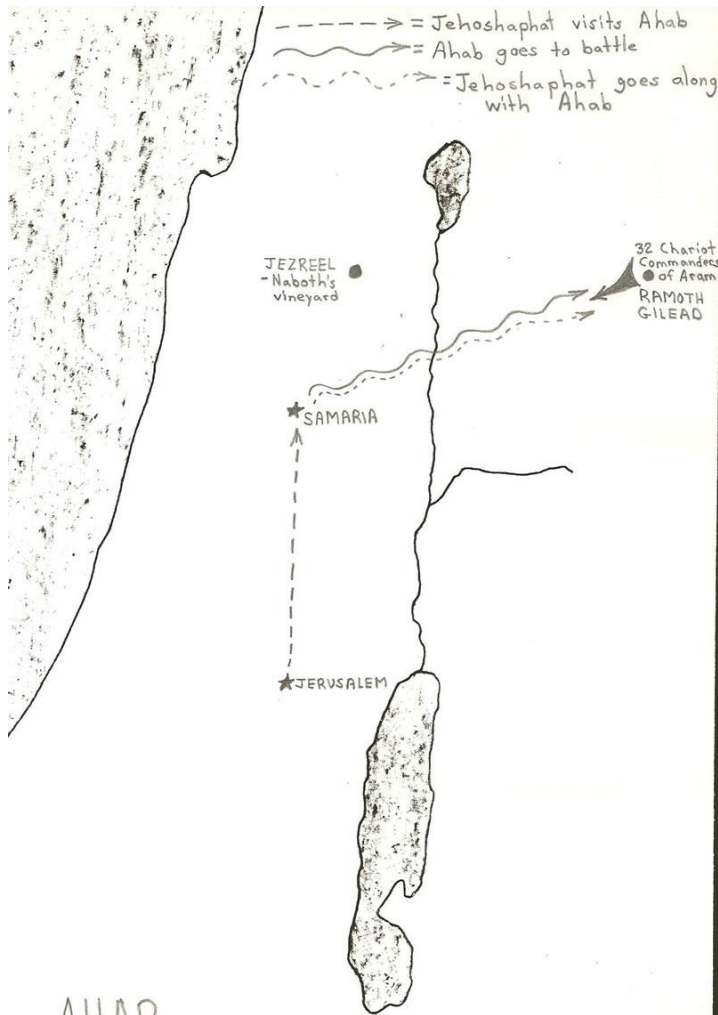




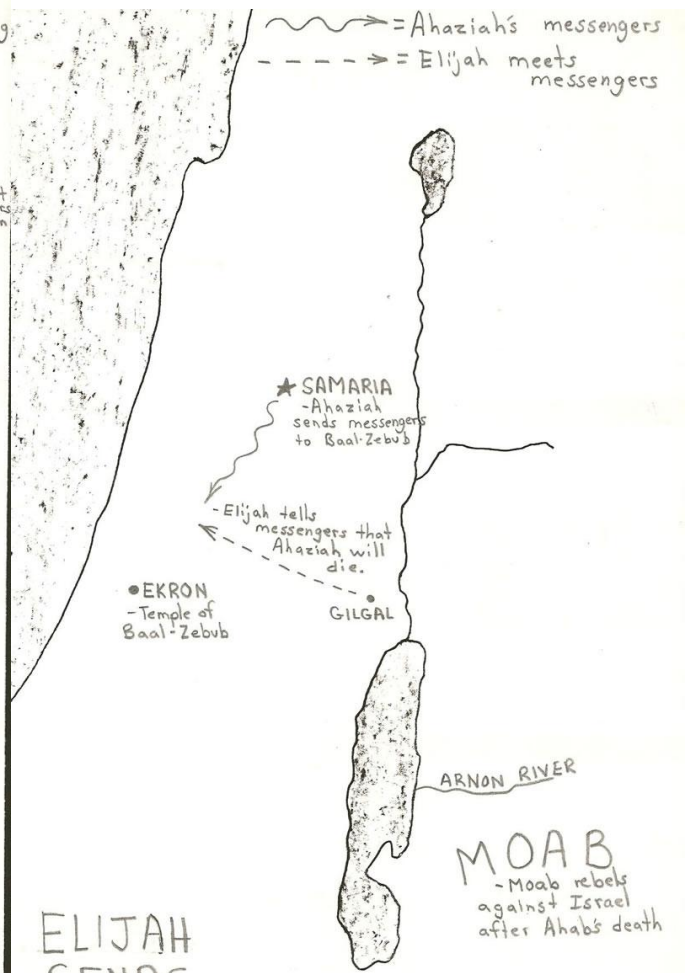
BEN-HADAD
AND 32 KINGS
BESIEGE SAMARIA
(1 Kg. 20:1-12)

AHAB
SPARES
BEN-HADAD
(1 Kg 20:21-43)

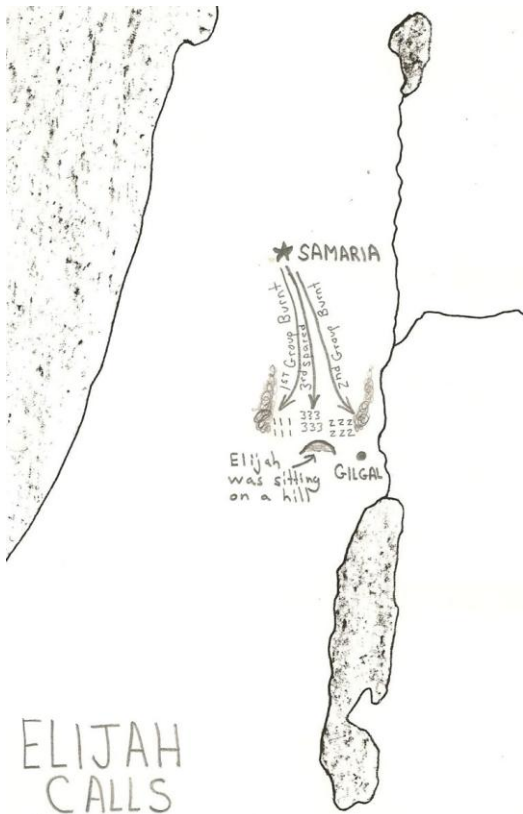




**AHAB
 DIES IN
 BATTLE**
 (1 Kgs 21:22:40)



**ELIJAH
 SENDS
 MESSAGE
 TO AHAZIAH**
 (2 Kgs. 1:1-8)



ELIJAH
CALLS
DOWN
FIRE
(2 Kg. 1:9-18)



ELIJAH
TAKEN
TO
HEAVEN
(2 Kg. 2:1-18)

