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The True History in the Holy Scriptures

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Chapter 1



Â To make a study of ancient history, especially to specialize on the ages-old history of the beginning of the world as contained in the Bible, it is appropriate to begin *at the beginning* -Creation.

Chapter 2

THE PRE-NOACHIAN FLOOD WORLD

Creation and the Garden of Eden

This chapter begins with the wonderful stories of Creation and the Garden of Creation Eden but ends with the greatest calamity ever to befall mankind, the worldwide Flood of Noah. As we shall see, the first 1,656 years of man were at times happy but at other times quite sad. The first seven Chapters of Genesis have many revealing truths to relate.

Chapter 3



THE POST-FLOOD WORLD

The Tower of Babel

The Flood was a devastating blow to all mankind. Only righteous Noah, his wife, his three sons and their wives lived through this catastrophe. Satan had been able to deceive all this earth's human inhabitants with his wiles and false teachings. The world had gotten so ugly and sinful that God was grieved in His heart to see His children so miserably unhappy. He would start over with Noah's family! But God gives

man free moral agency to obey Him or not, and it was not too many years before Satan

and his henchmen would be busy again with their cunning arts.

Chapter 4



THE FATHER OF THE FAITHFUL

Understanding the life of the Patriarch Abraham

The Holy Scriptures are filled with incredible, almost hard-to-believe, stories of human endeavor in this world. These episodes have been included in the Bible hopefully to motivate us, always to inspire us, often to titillate us, ever intrigue us, answer many questions, and to show us the way God wants us to enjoy our way through life, and ultimately to become prepared for the awesome rewards He wants us to have in His Kingdom. Prophecies are of major importance as they reveal the nature and plan of God, either through past-fulfillment or in the days and years just ahead, through awesome, incredible events that will take our breaths away!

Chapter 5



<u>ABRAHAM'S SON IN HIS OLD AGE— ISAAC</u>

The Grievous Life of Isaac and Rebekah

Truly, The Father of the Faithful had a most trying life. But by now God considered him a prophet (Gen 20:7, see the previous chapter of this History). But his most severe test was yet to come! How? Through the birth of the long awaited son Isaac. Yes, an incredible miracle was about to occur in Abraham and Sarah's life! A child was to be born to Sarah when she was at the incredible old age of 90! The promised line of God's servants was to continue. God's Government was to be returned to this Earth! Our God has the awesome power to accomplish anything!

Chapter 6



A CHRONOLOGICAL MYSTERY SOLVED!

The importance of understanding the life of the Patriarch Jacob

One of the most important and intriguing truths found in your Bible is that all we find in the scriptures is the real truth, but often God doesn' make the truth so easy to find! Sometimes we must put on a "detective's hat― and play the role of "Sherlock Homes― to solve a mystery in certain aspects of understanding, especially on our studies into ancient history and chronological facts. Of course, the real answer is the power of the Holy Spirit that reveals these solutions! T

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