

of Ammon and Amalek, of Assur and Tyre, of Abraham and Lot, of Jacob and Joseph, of Moses and Aaron and David. Indeed, references to places, people, and events are sufficiently numerous in the Psalter to allow of our following in outline the history from the creation to the time of David, but significantly enough, there is "no direct mention of any event in the subsequent history until Psalm cxxxvii refers to the captivity in Babylon." It is also worthy of notice that the historical details which are given are found in the later Psalms and, with but few exceptions, in David's. This is due to the literary development which took place in the age of Solomon. Without any attempt at completeness the following references will show that a historical outline, up to the time of David, can be constructed from the Psalms.

The Creation of Man	- - -	viii.
The Fall as a Fact	- - -	li. 5; lviii. 3.
The Depraved Conditions of the Antediluvians	- - -	xiv. 1-3.
The Flood	- - -	xxix. 10.
Abraham	- - -	xlvi. 9.
The Abrahamic Covenant	- - -	cv. 9-12, 42.
Melchizedek	- - -	cx. 4.
Isaac	- - -	cv. 9.
Jacob	- - -	xlvi. 7.
Jacob the Nation	- - -	cv. 10 (plural).
Joseph	- - -	lxxvii. 15;
His Descent into Egypt	- - -	cv. 17;
His Imprisonment	- - -	cv. 18;
His Deliverance and Exaltation	- - -	cv. 20-22.
The Famine in Egypt	- - -	cv. 16.
The Descent of Jacob and his Family into Egypt	- - -	cv. 23, 24.
Israel's Egyptian Bondage	- - -	cv. 25;
Their Burdensome Task	- - -	lxxxi. 6.
Moses and Aaron	- - -	cv. 26.
The Plagues	- - -	lxxviii. 12, 43-51;
"	- - -	cv. 28-36

The Deliverance from Egypt	- - -	lxxxi. 6.
The Red Sea divided-	- - -	cxxxvi. 13 (<i>et al.</i>).
The Passage through the Sea	- - -	lxxviii. 13; cvi. 9.
The Overthrow of Pharaoh and his Hosts	- - -	cvi. 11;
	- - -	lxxiv. 13, 14;
	- - -	cxxxvi. 15.
The Song of Moses		
" <i>As a heap</i> " (Exod. xv. 8)	- - -	lxxviii. 13;
" <i>Covered them</i> " (Exod. xv. 10)	- - -	lxxviii. 53.
The Wilderness Journey	- - -	lxviii. 7.
The Cloudy and Fiery Pillar	- - -	lxxviii. 14.
Water from the Smitten Rock	- - -	lxxviii. 15, 16.
The Manna and Quails	- - -	lxxviii. 24-29.
Meribah	- - -	lxxxi. 7; xcv. 8, 9.
The Murmurings of the Israelites	- - -	lxxviii. 40.
The Fire of Taberah	- - -	lxxviii. 21.
The Judgment on Korah, Dathan, and Abiram	- - -	cvi. 16, 17, 18
The Worship of the Calf in Horeb	- - -	cvi. 19, 20.
The Intercession of Moses	- - -	cvi. 23.
The Sin of Baal-peor	- - -	cvi. 28.
The Zeal of Phinehas	- - -	cvi. 30.
The Victory over Sihon and Og	- - -	cxxxvi. 19, 20.
The Canaan Inheritance	- - -	cv. 44; cxxxvi. 21, 22.
Israel's Disloyalty in the Land	- - -	lxxviii. 55-58.
The Overthrow of Sisera and his Host	- - -	lxxxiii. 9.
Gideon's Victory over Midian	- - -	lxxxiii. 9.
The Incidents relating to Oreb, Zeeb, Zebah, and Zalmunna	- - -	lxxxiii. 11.
The Death of Eli's sons	- - -	lxxviii. 64.
Samuel, the Man of Prayer	- - -	xcix. 6.
David the Shepherd chosen to be King	- - -	lxxviii. 70-72.

For David's manifold experiences see the titles to Psalms vii, xviii, xxxiv, lii, liv, lvi, lvii, lix, cxlii, for the Sauline persecution period; Psalms iii, li, lxxiii, for the period of his sin

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