

CHRONOLOGY OF THE YEARS OF MAN SINCE CREATION IN ANNO MUNDI (AM) YEARS

Main table with columns for Day (DAY 1-7), AM years, and descriptions of events. Includes text like '2513 years from Creation and Adam and Eve's sin until the Exodus', 'The Flood until 1657', and 'The Roman AD years are converted to AM years by adding 3969, but years begin Abib 1, not Jan 1'.

Note: Years start on the 1st of Abib in the Northern Hemisphere

This means that regardless of a person's date of birth in their "birth year", the following calendar year, starting with the first day of the first month, is counted as the first year of one's age. This same rule applies to the reigns of kings, i.e. the year that a new king acceded to the throne was his "accession" year, but the first day of the first month of the following year commenced his first "regnal" year. (2314BC)

For a detailed chart of the Divided Kingdom period, between the years 3029 and 3406, see the page "Chronological Charts at www.lettertoarabia.com"

Regarding the Greco/Roman Empires: Dan 7:6 states that the third "beast" has four heads, but Dan 8:8-9 mentions that it has six horns, i.e. six parts. "Heads" are independent major rulers over Jerusalem and history reveals the four heads as shown on the chart. Of the four divisions of Alexander's kingdom (which was the first head), called "four prominent horns" in Dan 8:8 referring to the four original leaders, only two, the Ptolemaic and Seleucid dynasties, ruled over Jerusalem. Rome, the "little horn" (Dan 8:9), emerged from a former Macedonian colony at Pataline Hill, and became "exceedingly great".

No greater moral change ever passed over a nation than that which was effected by the reign of Elizabeth. England became the people of a book, and that book was the Bible. And its effect was simply amazing. The whole temper of the nation was changed. The whole nation became, in fact, a Church. J R Green - A Short History of the English People (1874AD)

Regarding the Philadelphian era: The quality of a Church era is determined by the work that God is able to do within His people during a given period of time. The people of the Philadelphian era not only exceeded later generations in their hard labour, endurance and the splendour and ingenuity of their physical achievements, they were also made of much sterner stuff than we are today spiritually. They displayed a significantly higher level of Godly character compared to our Ludocian era which has become weak and compromised through prosperity and the influence of the world during the last century and a half before Christ's return. Qualities like unwavering loyalty to God (rather than to men), deep devotion to the study of God's Word, and genuine humility have long since been replaced by far more shallow, carnal and egocentric character traits among the people of God.

The Roman year running from spring 1823 to spring 1824AD marked the 2520th Biblical year since the fall of the Northern Kingdom of Israel and its capital, Samaria. As in Chron 5:1 states, the birthright that had belonged to Reuben (France) had fallen to Joseph (Britain and the USA), but was withheld for "seven times" or 2520 years, according to Lev 26. Leading up to the completion of this time period, many wars were fought between these three nations. According to Chron 2:14, the Israelites would spread to the North, South, East and West of the Earth. The greatest beneficiary of this blessing was to be Britain. Britain is located in the North, held substantial portions of Canada to the West, South Africa and Australia to the South, and India and Ceylon to the East, as well as many other territories. The Anglo-Dutch treaty of March 1824AD (the last month of the 2520 year period), gave Britain possession of Singapore - the "gate" to the Far East. This finalised the framework on which the British Empire was constructed over the following hundred-plus years, in exact accordance with the prophecies of God's Word.