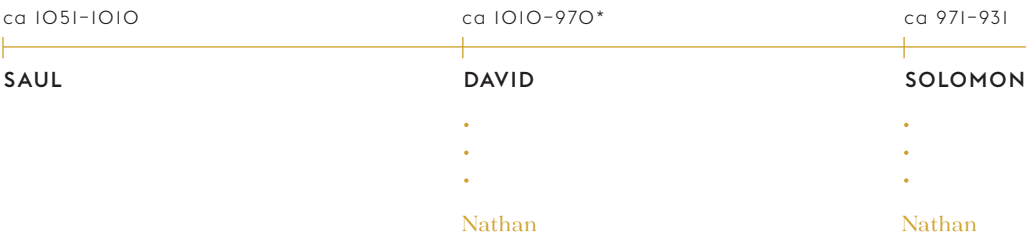


Prophets and Kings of Israel and Judah

The books of 1 and 2 Kings tell the story of God’s people from the end of the united kingdom of Israel through the divided kingdoms and eventual exiles. Though many kings reigned during this time, God and His covenant were Israel’s ultimate authority. Prophets served as an important foil to the often evil kings of Israel and Judah by holding them accountable to God’s Word. They were emissaries from the true King’s royal court who spoke on His behalf.

On this timeline of the kings of Israel and Judah, the prophets mentioned in 1 and 2 Kings are included in gold above or below the king or kings they confronted.

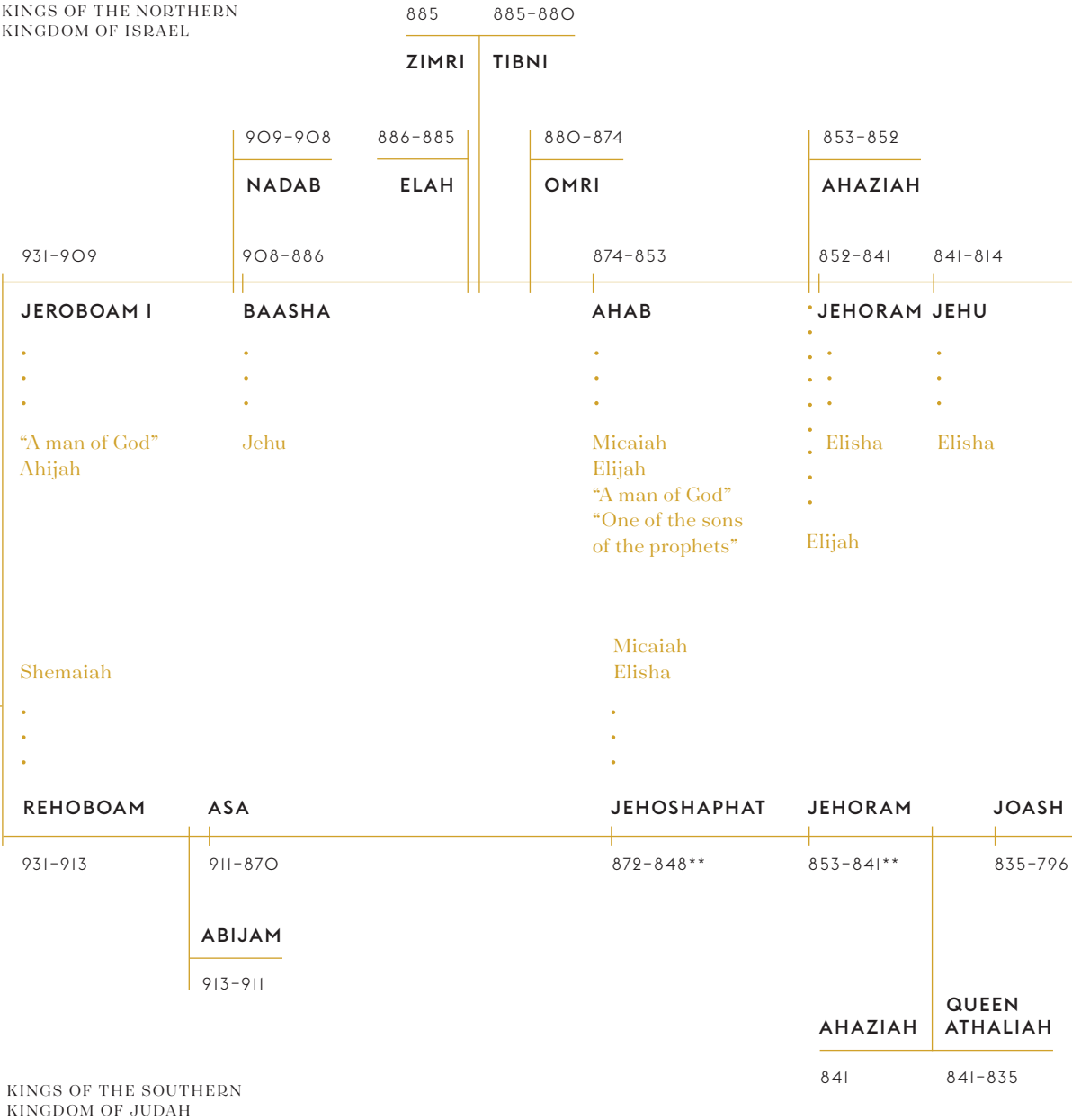
KINGS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF ISRAEL



**David became king of Judah in 1010 BC and over all of Israel in 1003 BC.
**Dates overlap with previous ruler, indicating co-regency.*

1000 BC

KINGS OF THE NORTHERN
KINGDOM OF ISRAEL



KINGS OF THE SOUTHERN
KINGDOM OF JUDAH



900 BC

