



Melachim II Perek 15

- Kings of Yisrael so far: Yeravam, Nadav, Ba'asha, Eilah, Zimri, Tivni, Omri, Achav, Achazyah, Yehoram, Yeihu, Yeho'achaz, Yeho'ash, Yeravam the second, Zecharyah, Shallum, Menachem, Pekachyah, Hoshea.
- Kings of Yehudah so far: Rechavam, Aviyam, Assa, Yehoshaphat, Yehoram, Achazya, Asalyah, Yo'ash, Amatzyah, Azarya (Uzziah), Yosam, Achaz.
- Azaryah, son of Amatzah (also known as Uzziah), at age sixteen, reigned twenty two years over Yehudah.
- Azarya was basically righteous, but he failed to remove the private altars for worship.
- Azaryah was struck with leprosy and lived outside the kingdom in a more secluded area. (Rashi, Radak - Azaryah contracted leprosy because he tried to offer incense in the Beis Hamikdash, a job that only a Kohen is fit to do.)
- Azaryah died and was buried in the City of Dovid.
- Yosam, son of Azaryah, reigned over Yehudah for sixteen years.
- Zecharyah, son of Yeravam, reigned over Yisrael for six months. He perpetuated evil in Yisrael.
- Shallum, son of Yavesh , at age thirty nine, killed Zecharyah, and reigned over Yisrael for one month.
- Menachem, son of Gadi, killed Shallum and reigned over Yisrael ten years.
- Ful, King of Ashur attacked Yisrael. Menachem paid large sums of money to Ful to stop the attacks.
- Pekachyah, son of Menachem, reigned over Yisrael two years.
- Pekachyah was killed by his captain, Pekach, who ruled over Yisrael twenty years.
- Tiglas Pileser, king of Ashur, exiled the tribe of Naftali from Eretz Yisrael.
- Yosam, king of Yehudah, died. Achaz, son of Yosam, ruled over Yehudah next