

- 21.6a. Shalmaneser deported large masses of God-contending people (2K 17:6). Bible then described sharp changes not only in state institutions of God-contending kingdom (which was empowered by foreign king), but also radical changes in religious life, etc. (2K). According to Bible, Hoshea's "reign" was end of independent God-contending kingdom; Hoshea was last God-contending king, and further God-contenders continued already within state system foreign to them
- 21.6b. Odoacer deported many people in Italy: German mercenaries settled throughout of Italy; he conceded 1/3 of all land. Roman Empire still existed in West under 2 foreign kings (conquerors), viz., Odoacer and Theodoric, but, already being introduced to new customs, religion, etc., Romulus Augustulus' rule ended independent "purely Roman" Western Empire
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Thus, ended the biblical history of the God-contending kingdom and of the "purely Roman" Western Third Empire. The German-Gothic kingdom arose in Italy.

6. The Parallel between the Eastern Third Roman Empire and the Biblical Kingdom of Judah

6.1. The complete table of both streams

The Bible not only directly lists the God-contending and God-praising kings, but also specifies the reigns with respect to another kingdom: The God-contending kings are related to the God-praising ones, and, vice versa, it is indicated when a God-contending king was enthroned (Fig. 89).

This comparison of the Second Book of Kings with the lineage of Jesus Christ, given in the Gospel according to Matthew makes it possible to discover an insertion in the God-praising stream, viz., between Jehoram and Uzziah, four kings were inserted (see 2K): Ahaziah, Athaliah, Jehoash and Amaziah (the indicated four kings are absent in Mt 1:8-9). The Gospel according to Matthew cannot contain a mistake, since it further indicates the sum of the generations from David until the arrival in Babylon, viz., 14 generations, and not 17, as is seen from the Second Book of Kings and Second Book of the Chronicles (for the reason of showing the insertion, see below).

Since the God-contending kingdom has overlapped with the Western Empire in 306-476 A.D., it may be supposed that the God-praising kingdom when separated from the God-contending one could overlap with the Eastern, which seceded from the Western.

This conjecture is very well confirmed by the dynastic parallel method. Omitting the details, we specify the complete God-praising kingdom stream and the parallel (isomorphic) jet from the Eastern Empire, discovered by us (see Fig. 59, Table 13),