

# **Jehu's Anointing and Divine Commission**

*2 Kings 8:24-29; 9:1-27; 2 Chronicles 22:10-12*

## **Ahaziah Succeeds Jehoram (Joram) as King of Judah (2 Kings 8:24-29)**

- His background (vv24-26)
- His assessment of being evil (v27)
- His injury (vv28-29)

## **Jehu is Anointed King of Israel (9:1-13)**

- Elisha sends a younger prophet to secretly anoint Jehu as king over Israel (vv1-6)
- Jehu is instructed to wipe out the house of Ahab and is given a prophecy concerning Jezebel (vv7-10)
- Jehu tells his fellow captains what the prophet said (vv11-13)

## **Jehu Assassinate Joram and Ahaziah (vv14-29)**

- Jehu travels to find Joram (vv14-20)
- Joram and Ahaziah discover Jehu's plan (vv21-23)
- Jehu kills Joram and has his body thrown in Naboth's field (vv24-26)
- Jehu then kills Ahaziah, but he is buried in Jerusalem (vv27-29)

## **The Prophecy of Jezebel's Death is Fulfilled (vv30-37)**

- Jehu meets and kills Jezebel (vv30-33)
- The prophecy concerning Jezebel is perfectly fulfilled (vv34-37)

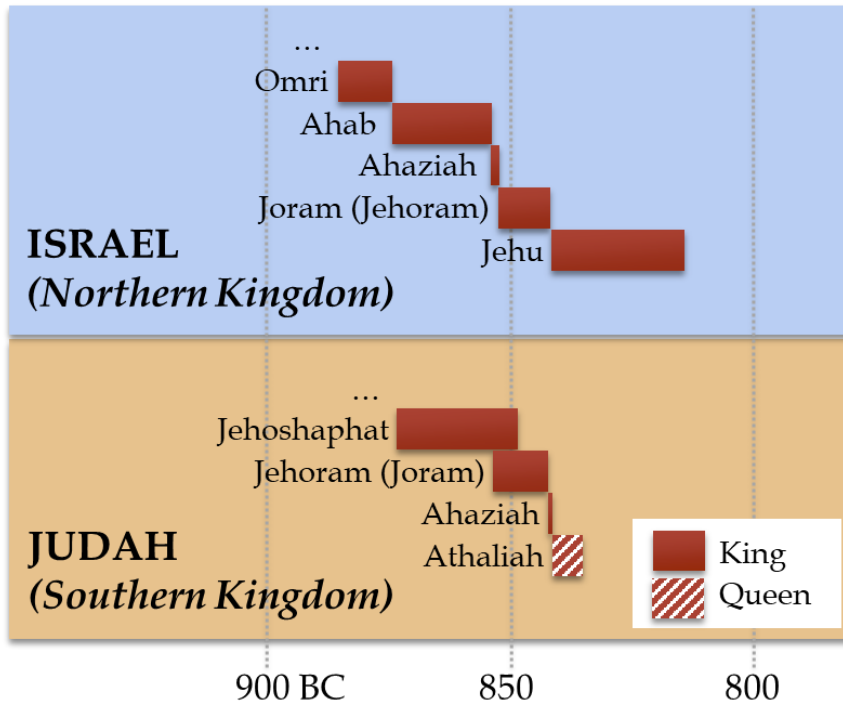
## **The Evil Acts of Athaliah to be Queen of Judah (2 Chronicles 22:10-12)**

- Athaliah kills all the royal offspring of Judah, except for one (vv10-12a)
- Athaliah becomes queen of Israel (v12b)

## **Reflections**

- Do you allow evil influences to impact your life?
- What influence/legacy will you leave behind for others?
- What God says is always true and comes about!
- Evil people have, and always will (apart from salvation), ultimately despise God, His Word, and His truth
- God's people come to see and trust in God's word and truth

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## Relation

