

Schedule of Lectures
Spring 1984

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| 1. | Jan. 16 | The Return to Judea |
| 2. | Jan. 18 | The Judean Community: Early Problems |
| 3. | Jan. 20 | The Return to Judea: A Chronological Reconstruction |
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| 4. | Jan. 23 | Ezra: The Spiritual Reconstruction of Judea |
| 5. | Jan. 25 | The Nature and Role of the Oral Law |
| 6. | Jan. 27 | Nehemiah: The Political Reconstruction of Judea |
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| 7. | Jan. 30 | Ezra & Nehemiah: Chronological Problems |
| 8. | Feb. 1 | Ezra & Nehemiah: A Chronological Reconstruction |
| 9. | Feb. 3 | EXAMINATION I |
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| 10. | Feb. 6 | Review of Examination I |
| 11. | Feb. 8 | Judea under the Ptolemies |
| 12. | Feb. 10 | The Transition from Ptolemaic to Seleucid Rule |
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| 13. | Feb. 13 | The Hellenistic Movement in Judea |
| 14. | Feb. 15 | The Seleucid Persecution |
| 15. | Feb. 17 | The Book of Daniel: Criticisms |
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| | Feb. 20 | PRESIDENTS DAY: NO CLASS |
| 16. | Feb. 22 | The Book of Daniel: Traditional Views |
| 17. | Feb. 24 | EXAMINATION II |
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| 18. | Feb. 27 | Review of Examination II |
| 19. | Feb. 29 | The Hasmonean State: Institutions and Policies |
| 20. | Mar. 2 | The Hasmonean State: Political Conflict and Civil War |
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| 21. | Mar. 5 | The Decline of the Hasmonean State I |
| 22. | Mar. 7 | The Decline of the Hasmonean State II |
| 23. | Mar. 9 | Herod the Great |

24. Mar. 12 Judea in the Time of Jesus: Political Conditions
25. Mar. 14 EXAMINATION III
26. Mar. 16 Review of Examination III

27. Mar. 19 Judea in the Time of Jesus: Sects and Parties
28. Mar. 21 Jesus and the Religious Teachings of His Age
29. Mar. 23 The Arrest and Trial of Jesus I

30. Mar. 26 The Arrest and Trial of Jesus II
31. Mar. 28 The Arrest and Trial of Jesus III
32. Mar. 30 Review of Judea in the Time of Jesus

33. Apr. 2 EXAMINATION IV
34. Apr. 4 Review of Examination IV
35. Apr. 6 NO CLASS

36. Apr. 9 Judea From the death of Jesus to 66 A.D.
37. Apr. 11 The Early Church I
38. Apr. 13 The Early Church II

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39. Apr. 30 The Destruction of Jewish Polity
40. May 2 Jews and Jewish Christians: Sources of Conflict
41. May 4 Summary

42. May 7 NO CLASS

FINAL EXAMINATIONS

Section A: Wednesday, May 9, 1984 8-10:00 a.m.

Section B: Monday, May 14, 1984 8-10:00 a.m.

ANCIENT ISRAEL: PERSIAN, HELLENISTIC & ROMAN PERIODS

Reading Assignments

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TEXTBOOK: The New Testament Era by Bo Reicke

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Jan. 18	8-13	Ezra 1-2 Ezra 3-6 Haggai Zechariah 1-8
Jan. 23	----	Ezra 7-10 Nehemiah 8-10
Jan. 25	----	Deuteronomy 24:1-4 Exodus 29:38-42 Jeremiah 17:21-24 Nehemiah 8:14-15 Deuteronomy 17:8-13 II Samuel 8:15 Haggai 2:11-14 Amos 8:5 Nehemiah 10:29-39 (31-32)
Jan. 27	18-23	Nehemiah 1-7, 11, 13
Jan. 30	13-18	----
Feb. 3	EXAMINATION #1	
Feb. 8	35-45, 45-48	----
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Feb. 15	49-62	*I Maccabees 1:1-4:61 *II Maccabees 3:1-10:8
Feb. 17	----	Daniel 2:31-45 Daniel 7:3-11; 17-27 Daniel 8:3-25 Daniel 7:13-14 Daniel 9:24-27

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Mar. 14	EXAMINATION #3	
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Mar. 21	----	Mark 12:18-28 (Luke 20:39) Mark 12:28-34 Matthew 19:3-9 Luke 18:9-14 Matthew 6:2-5 Mark 12:38-40 Mark 2:13-17 Mark 3:1-5 (Luke 13:10-17) Matthew 24:23-27 (Acts 5:35-37) Matthew 22:15-22
Mar. 23	174-176	*Handout*
Mar. 28	184-188	*Handout*
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