Title: **Ancient Israel** – Chapter 6 – 2 Notes

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| *Directions: Read Chapter 6 Lesson 2 in you textbook (pg.148 - 153). As you read, fill in the blanks on the guided notes below with the appropriate information available in the text. Highlight/Underline any vocabulary words used in the notes.*  |
|  | **Early Kings*** By 1100 BC the Israelites had settled much of the land of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
	+ Created a prosperous \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
	+ The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ came into conflict with the Israelites
		- Israelites called for a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to lead them against the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* A judge named \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ anointed (blessed) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ as king
	+ Israelites won many battles under Saul’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
		- Gained greater \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
	+ Disobeyed some of God’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
		- Samuel chose a young shepherd named \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to be king
* Before becoming King, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ won praise for his \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
	+ Killed a giant name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with a slingshot
	+ Saul became jealous and tried to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ David
		- After Saul died, David returned and became \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
	+ Defeated the Philistines and established a capital city called \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
	+ Wrote songs found in the Hebrew Bible called \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (sacred song or poem used in worship)
	+ Honored as Israel’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ king
* After David’s death, his son \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ became king around 970 BC
	+ Brought a long \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of peace
	+ Constructed many cities and built first \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in Jerusalem
		- Called Solomon’s temple
	+ Was known for his \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
		- Was the author of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (wise sayings)
	+ People didn’t like Solomon’s many building projects and high \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
		- Deep disagreements \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ their kingdom

**Two Kingdoms** * After King Solomon’s death ten northern \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ rebelled
	+ Formed Israel in the North
		- Capital of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
	+ Two tribes in the South founded \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
		- Capital of Jerusalem
	+ Both kept Israelite religion
* The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ invaded Israel in 722 BC
	+ Israel refused to pay \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (payment in exchange for protection)
		- Assyrians captured cities and forced some Israelites to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the Assyrian Empire
	+ People of Israel became known as \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
		- Mixture of Israelite and foreign culture
* In 597 BC the Chaldeans under King \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ invaded Judah
	+ Forced thousands to go into \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (forced absence from one’s home or country)
	+ Prophet named \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ warned Judah not to rebel
		- Rebelled, and King \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ destroyed Jerusalem and captured its king
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ had an important role in Judean life
	+ Offered words of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and explained when the people were not \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ God
	+ Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. quoted the prophet \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in one of his speeches
	+ Jewish prophets stressed the importance of leading a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ life and helping others connect with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Lesson Review**1. *The Jews were exiled and forced to spend 70 years in Babylon. If you were forced to live far away from your homeland, how would you react to your situation? Write a journal entry describing your thoughts about being forced to live away from your homeland.*

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