**Framework of the Old Testament (10+1)**

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P**rimeval History: Adam and Eve, Noah and the flood, Babel  
**P**atriarchs: Abraham, Isaac, Jacob and Joseph  
**E**xodus: Pharaoh and the Plagues, Moses and the Sea  
**W**ilderness: Covenant at Sinai, Tabernacle, manna  
  
**C**onquest: Joshua Jericho, divides the tribes  
**J**udges: Deborah/Barah, Gideon, Jephthah and Samson  
**U**nited monarchy: Kings Saul, David, Solomon, 40, 40, 40  
  
**D**ivided Monarchy: Kings of the north all bad (Ahab); kings of the south few   
 good (Uzziah, Hezekiah, Josiah), North to Assyria; Prophets  
**E**xile: To Babylon, Judah goes, Daniel knows, Ezekiel  
**R**eturn: Ezra, Nehemiah, Esther, Jerusalem walls and temple  
**A**pocrypha: Maccabees and Epiphanes

5 Dates to know for the OT:  
 Abraham: 2000 B.C.  
 David: 1000 B.C.  
 North to Assyria: 722 B.C.  
 South to Babylon: 586 B.C.  
 Malachi ends it: 400 B.C.