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THE KINGSTONE

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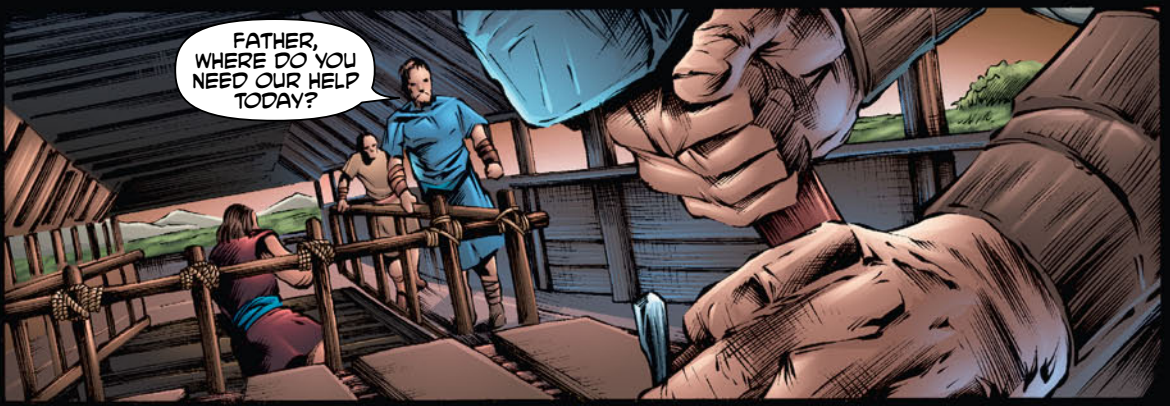


THE LAND PRODUCED VEGETATION:  
PLANTS BEARING SEED ACCORDING  
TO THEIR KINDS AND TREES  
BEARING FRUIT WITH SEED IN IT  
ACCORDING TO THEIR KINDS.

AND GOD SAW THAT  
IT WAS GOOD.

AND THERE WAS EVENING,  
AND THERE WAS MORNING –  
THE THIRD DAY.





ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY YEARS PASSED  
AFTER THE LORD TOLD NOAH TO BUILD THE ARK  
AND STOCK IT WITH EVERY KIND OF FOOD.





NOW, I HAVE  
SOME QUESTIONS  
FOR YOU. AND I  
WANT YOU TO  
ANSWER THEM!

YES,  
LORD. I WILL...  
I WILL  
TRY.

WHEN I  
DESIGNED THE EARTH  
AND CLOTHED IT IN  
CLOUDS AND MADE THE  
STARS SING WITH  
LIGHT--

-- WERE  
YOU  
THERE?

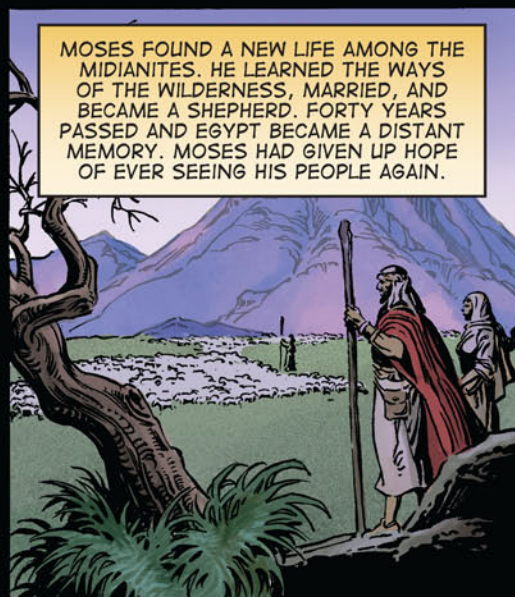
CAN  
YOU EXPLAIN  
IT HOW IT  
HAPPENED?

HAVE YOU  
EVER SHAPED A  
WORLD FROM CLAY  
AND SEPARATED  
LIGHT FROM  
DARKNESS?

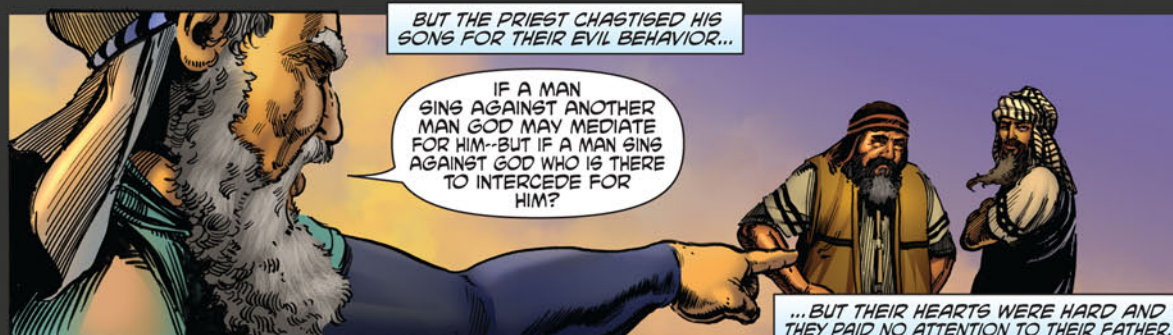
HAVE  
YOU STROLLED  
THROUGH THE  
DEPTHS OF THE  
OCEAN?

CAN YOU  
SET STARS INTO  
MOTION IN THEIR  
DANCE THROUGH  
THE COSMOS?















# PSALMS

THOUGH WE CAN IDENTIFY MORE THAN SEVEN HUMAN COMPOSERS, THE PSALMS POINT TO GOD AS THE AUTHOR.



OF THE 150 PSALMS, KING DAVID WROTE AT LEAST 73.

FIFTY OF THE PSALMS ARE ANONYMOUS, THOUGH EZRA IS CONSIDERED TO BE THE AUTHOR OF SOME.

THE PSALMS RANGE FROM THE TIME OF MOSES TO THE TIME AFTER THE EXILE, A PERIOD OF ABOUT 900 YEARS OF JEWISH HISTORY.



THE CONSTANT THEME OF THE PSALMS IS LIVING REAL LIFE IN A REAL WORLD WHERE A VERTICAL SPIRITUAL REALITY IS TRANSCENDENT OVER A TEMPORARY HORIZONTAL REALITY.



SOME OF THE CATEGORIES OF PSALMS INCLUDE...

HYMNS OF PRAISE...

SING JOYFULLY TO THE LORD, YOU RIGHTEOUS: IT IS FITTING FOR THE UPRIGHT TO PRAISE HIM.



BLESSED IS THE NATION WHOSE GOD IS THE LORD, THE PEOPLE HE CHOSE FOR HIS INHERITANCE.