

## Ruth 4:18-22

### **The purpose of the paragraph—4:18a**

- 1) <sup>18</sup> *Now these are the generations of [toledoth # 8435] Perez—4:18a*
  - a) Compare Genesis 2:4 (the heavens and the earth); 5:1 (Adam); 6:9 (Noah); 10:1 (Noah); 11:10 (Shem), 27 (Terah); 25:12 (Ishmael), 19 (Isaac); 36:1, 9 (Esau); 37:2 (Jacob)
- 2) See the story of Perez's incestuous conception in Genesis 38:12-30 and 46:12
  - a) Cf. Deuteronomy 23:2
  - b) Cf. Genesis 49:8-12
  - c) How many generations are there from Perez to David?

### **Pre-Exodus ancestors of King David—4:18b-20a [ 1700's - 1445 BC]**

- 1) *Perez fathered Hezron,*
  - a) cf. Genesis 46:12; 1<sup>st</sup> Chronicles 2:4-5; Matthew 1:3; Luke 3:33
- 2) <sup>19</sup> *Hezron fathered Ram,*
  - a) cf. Numbers 26:21; 1<sup>st</sup> Chronicles 2:9; Matthew 1:3; Luke 3:33
- 3) *and Ram fathered Amminadab* (father-in-law to Aaron);
  - a) cf. 1<sup>st</sup> Chronicles 2:10; Matthew 1:4; Luke 3:33
- 4) <sup>20</sup> *and Amminadab fathered Nahshon* (a leading contemporary of Moses),
  - a) cf. Exodus 6:23; Numbers 1:7; 2:3; 7:12, 17; 10:14; 1<sup>st</sup> Chronicles 2:10; Matthew 1:4; Luke 3:32

### **Post-Exodus ancestors of King David—4:20b-22 [1405 - 1010 BC]**

- 1) *and Nahshon fathered Salmah* (husband of Rahab),
  - a) cf. 1<sup>st</sup> Chronicles 2:10-11, 51, 54; Matthew 1:4; Luke 3:32
- 2) <sup>21</sup> *and Salmon fathered Boaz,*
  - a) cf. 1<sup>st</sup> Chronicles 2:11; Matthew 1:5; Luke 3:32
- 3) *and Boaz fathered Obed;* (1100's ? BC)
  - a) cf. 1<sup>st</sup> Chronicles 2:12; Matthew 1:5; Luke 3:32
- 4) <sup>22</sup> *and Obed fathered Jesse,*
  - a) cf. 1<sup>st</sup> Chronicles 2:12; Matthew 1:5; Luke 3:32
- 5) *and Jesse fathered David.*
  - a) cf. 1<sup>st</sup> Samuel 17:12; 1<sup>st</sup> Chronicles 2:13-15; Matthew 1:6; Luke 3:31