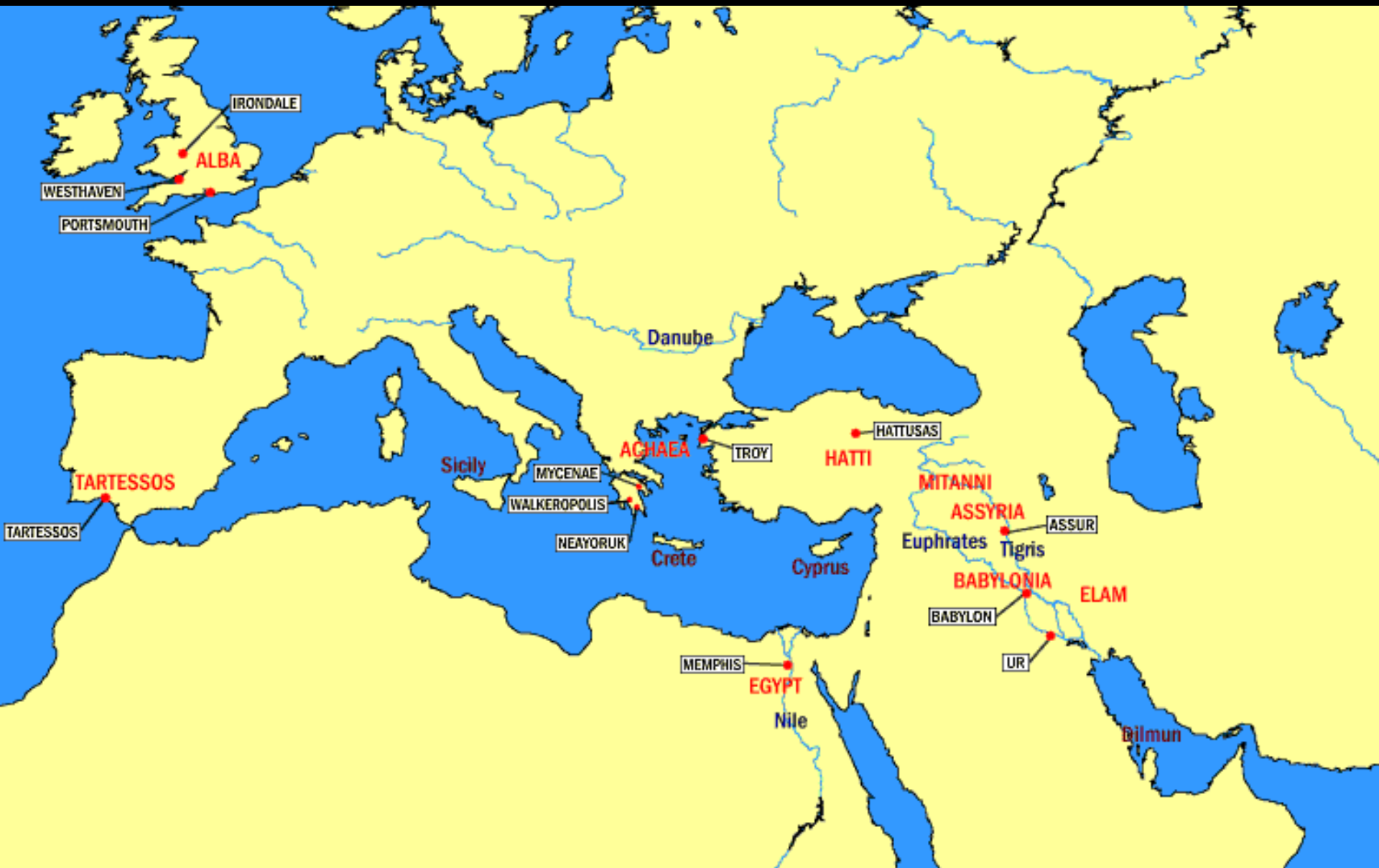


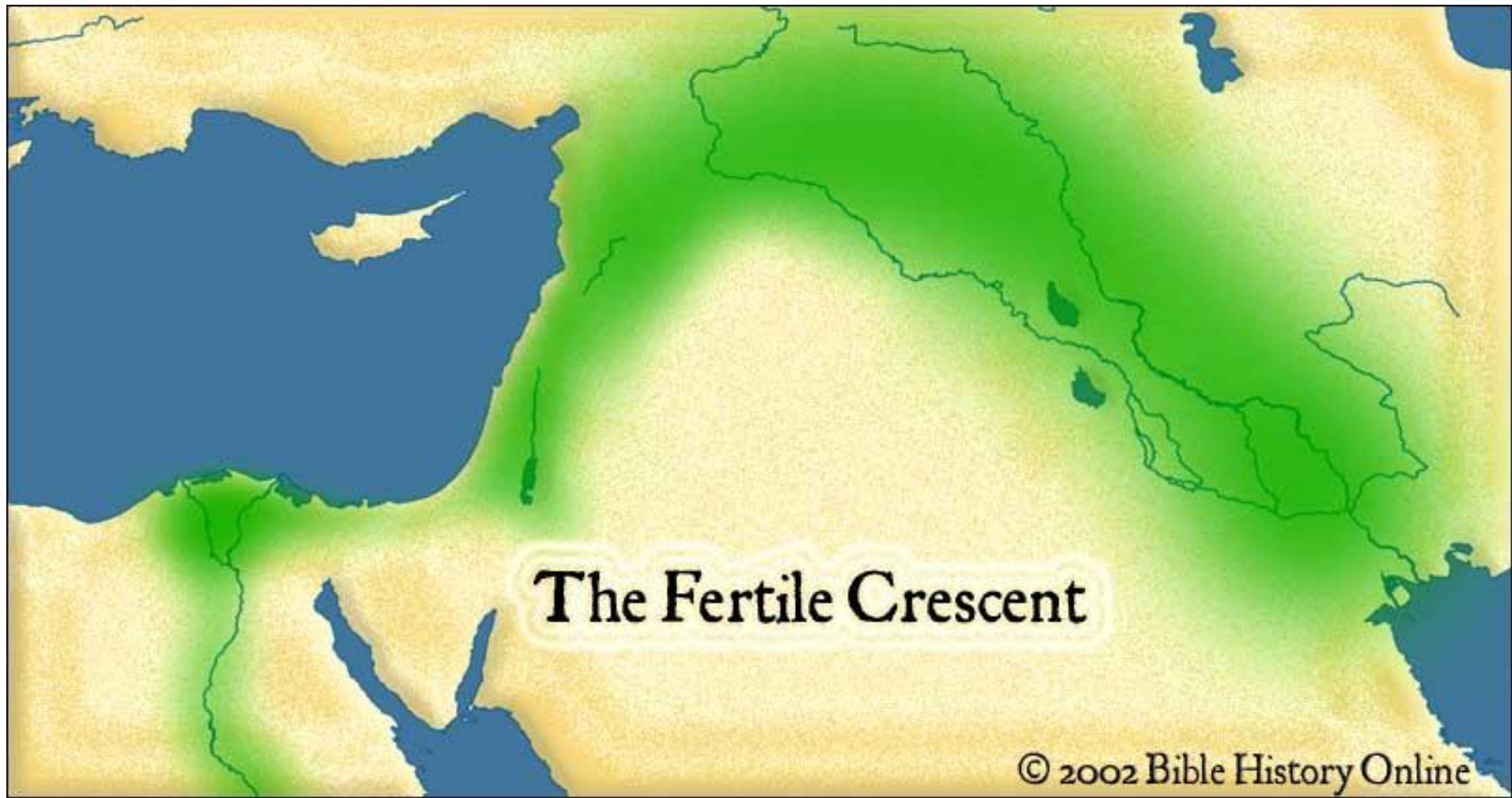
# Lesson 9: From Joshua to Judges

Judges 1-3

# Outline of the Book of Judges

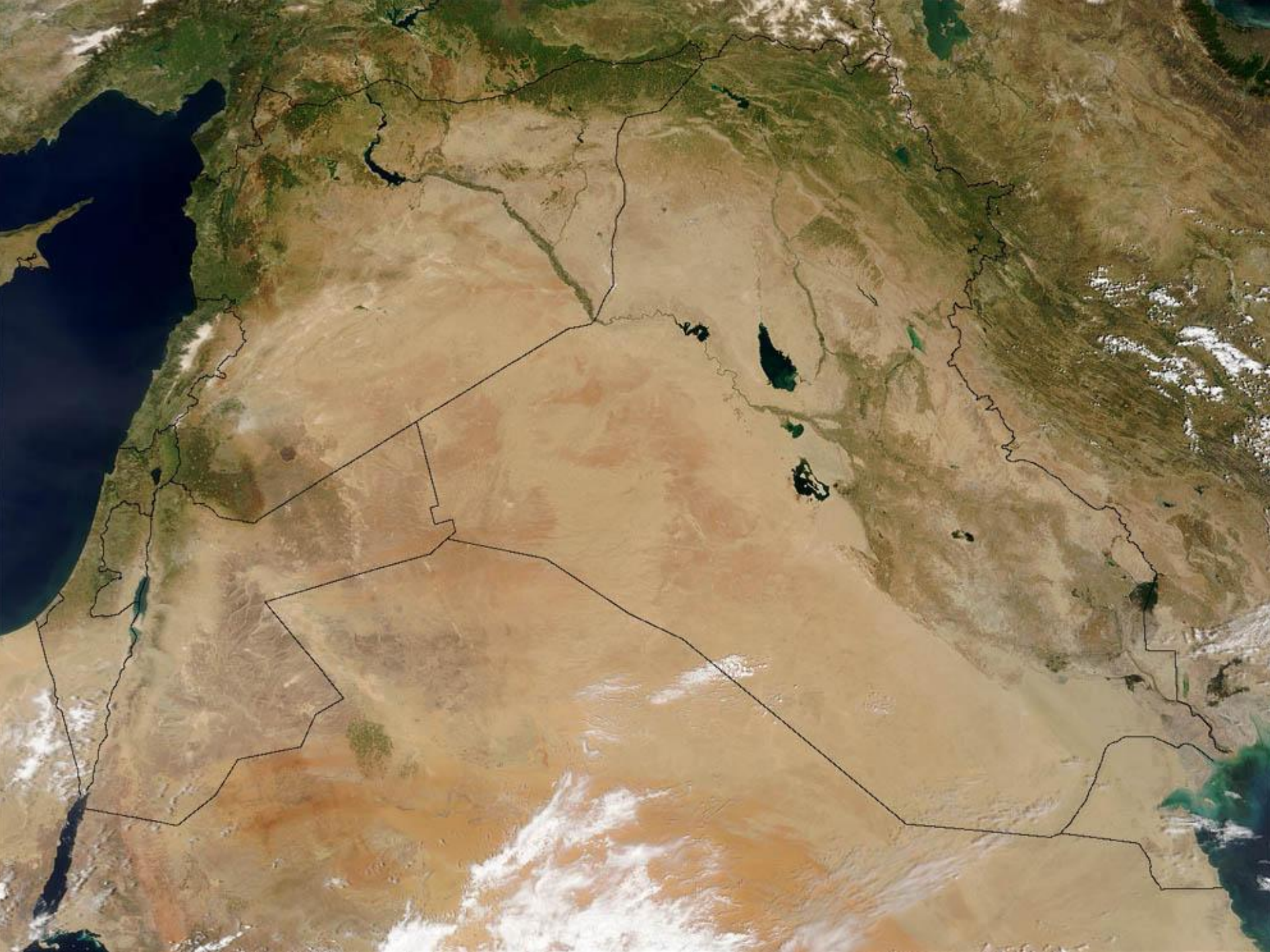
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(1:1-3:6)
  
- II. The Judges' Work  
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- III. Moral Decline During the Time of the Judges  
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(17-21)





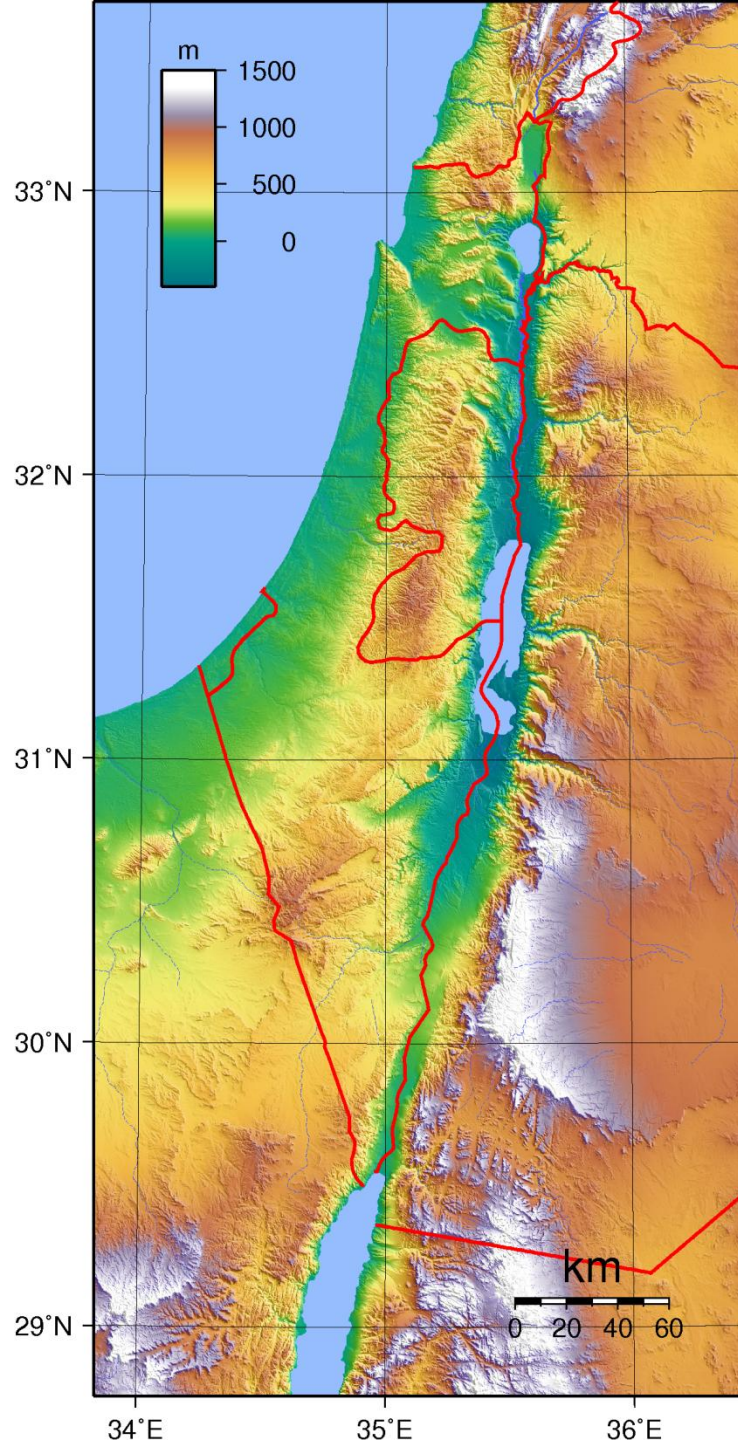
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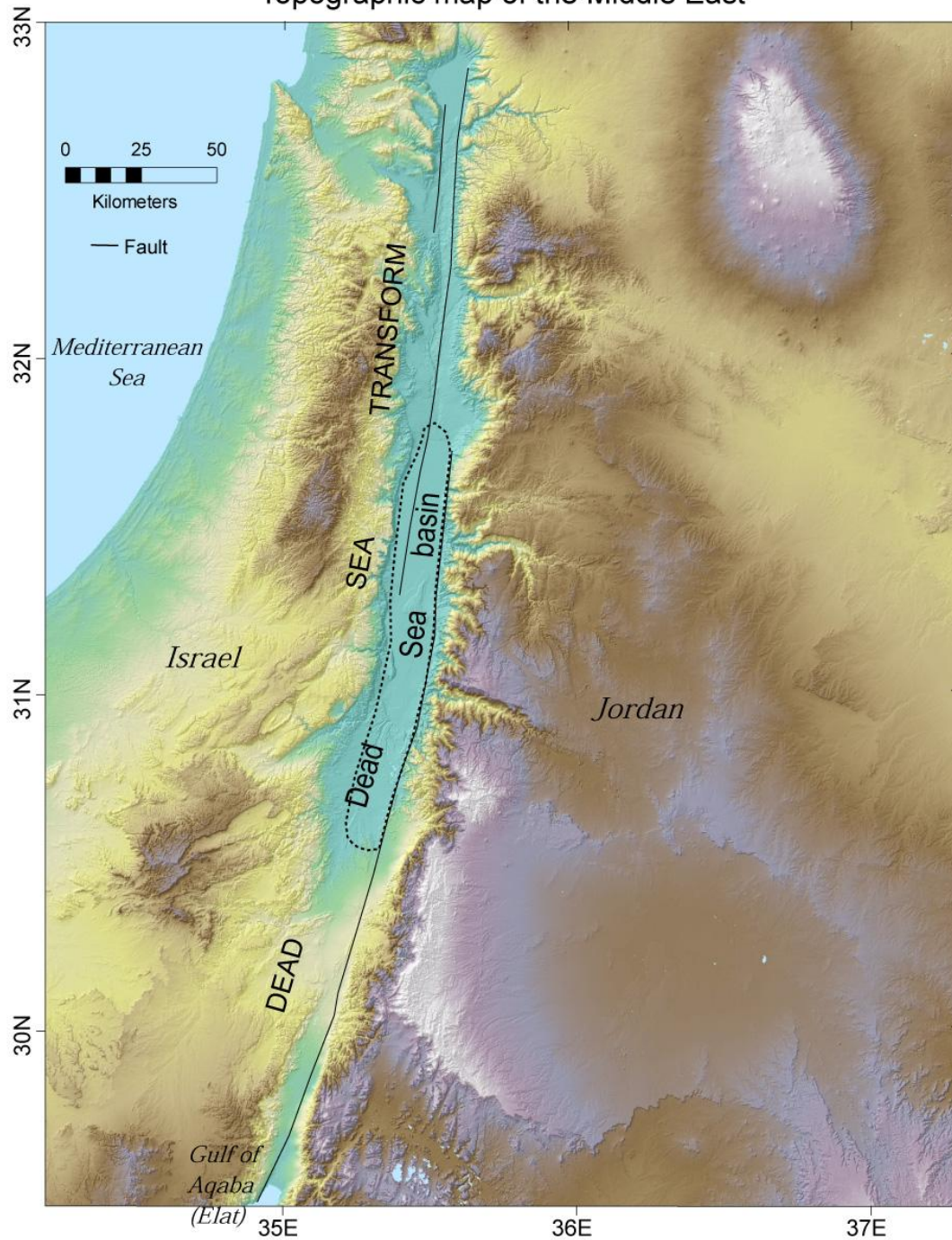


# Judges 1-3

- I. Introduction to the Time of the Judges (1:1-3:6)
  - A. Israel's Failure to Drive Out the Canaanites (1:1-2:5)
  - B. God's Perspective on the Time of the Judges (2:6-3:6)
  
- II. The Judges' Work (3:7-16:31)
  - A. Othniel (3:7-11)
  - B. Ehud (3:12-30)
  - C. Shamgar (3:31)

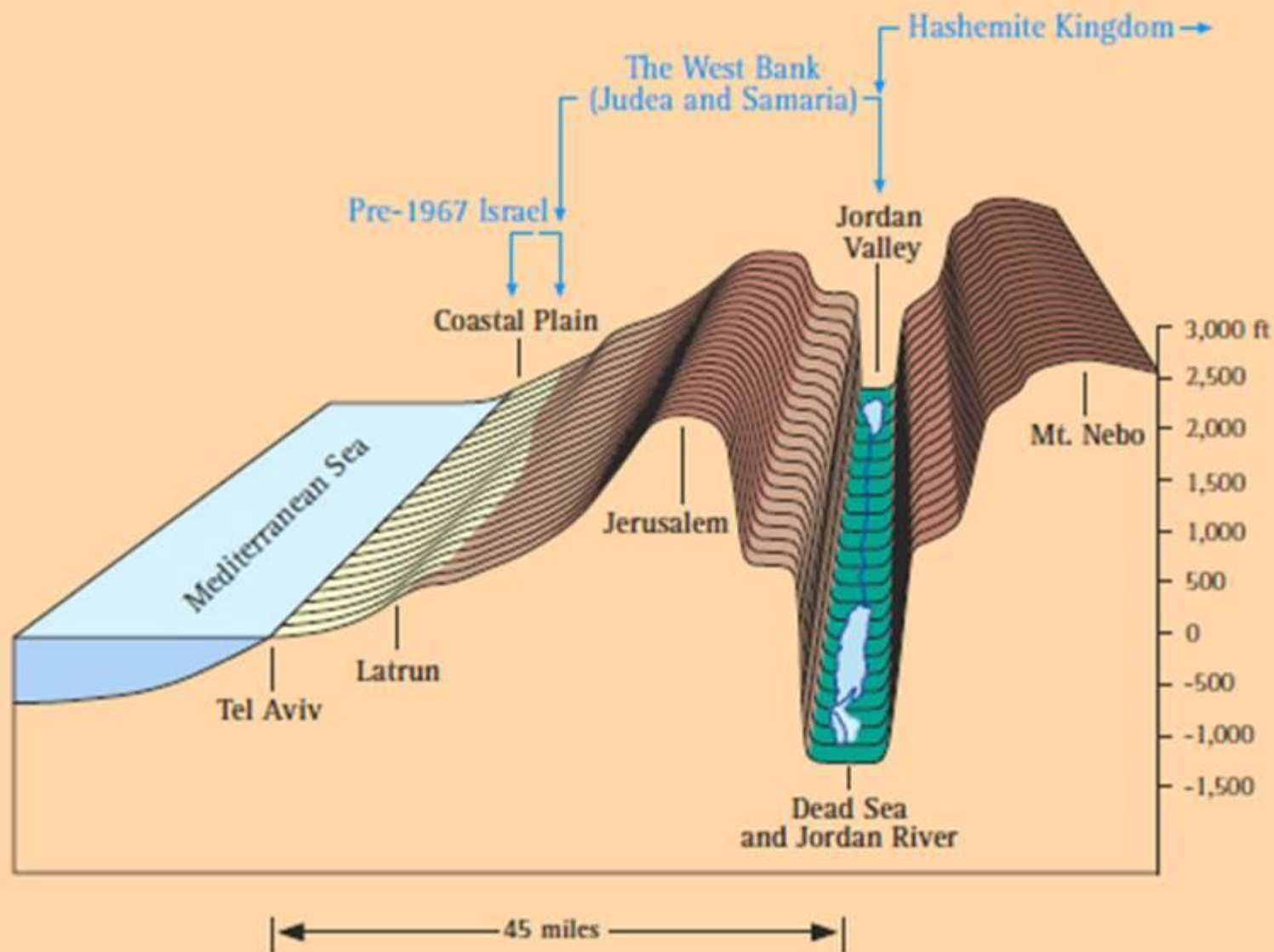


# Topographic map of the Middle East





# Map 7: Topography and Israeli Security: Utilizing the 4,200-Foot Mountain Barrier to Protect Israel's Vulnerable Coastal Plain





CARCHEMISH

BARSIP

HARAN

NISIBIS

NINEVEH

UGARIT

HAMATH

RESAFA

CALAH

ENKOMI

ARVAD

BYBLOS

BERYT

SIDON

TYRE

TADMOR

ASHUR

DAMASCUS

BOSTRA

SIPPAR

AKKO

DOR

HAZOR

BABYLON

SHECHEM

JERUSALEM

RABBAH

JAFFA

ASHDOD

HEBRON

GAZA

MENDES

PELUSIUM

SAIS

TANIS

HELIOPOLIS

MEMPHIS

NEKHL?

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# Israel's Failure to Drive Out the Canaanites (1:1-2:5)

- Judah (1:1-20)
  - Benjamin (1:21)
  - Joseph (1:22-26)
  - Manasseh (1:27-28)
  - Ephraim (1:29)
  - Zebulun (1:30)
  - Asher (1:31-32)
  - Naphtali (1:33)
  - Dan (1:34-36)
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- The Lord's Evaluation (2:1-5)

# “Judges”?

- 3:10 “Othniel judged Israel”
- 4:4 “Deborah was judging Israel”
- 10:2 “Tola judged Israel”
- 10:3 “Jair judged Israel”
- 12:7 “Jephthah judged Israel”
- 12:8 “Ibzan judged Israel”
- 12:9 “Ibzan judged Israel”

# “Judges”?

- 12:11 “Elon judged Israel”
- 12:11 “Elon judged Israel”
- 12:13 “Abdon judged Israel”
- 12:14 “Abdon judged Israel”
- 15:20 “Samson judged Israel”
- 16:31 “Samson judged Israel”

# “Saviors”?

- 3:9 “The LORD raised up a deliverer for the sons of Israel to deliver them, Othniel”
- 3:15 “The LORD raised up a deliverer for the sons of Israel, Ehud”
- 3:31 “Shamgar saved Israel”
- 6:14 “Go deliver Israel!”
- 6:15 “How shall I deliver Israel?”

# “Saviors”?

- 6:36 “If you will deliver Israel through me...”
- 6:37 “Then I will know that you will deliver Israel through me”
- 8:22 “You have delivered us”
- 10:1 “Tola arose to save Israel”
- 13:5 “Samson shall begin to deliver Israel”