

3 EPOCHS OF MIRACLES

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MOSES AND JOSHUA

1446BC — 1399BC

47 Years

EXAMPLES

- ☯ MOSES at the Red Sea (Ex.14:31)
- ☯ JOSHUA at the crossing of the Jordan (Js.3:7)

But indeed for this purpose I have raised you up, that I may show My power in you, and that My name may be declared in all the earth (Ex.9:16).

The Giving of the Law

- > Miracles Introduce New Era of Revelation
- > They call attention to the revelation

PURPOSE: 1. Show in Moses God's power 2. Declare God's name to all the earth 3. Discredit Egyptian gods

2

ELIJAH AND ELISHA

874BC — 840BC

34 Years

EXAMPLES

- ☯ ELIJAH [16 miracles] (1Ki.17:24)
- ☯ ELISHA [32 miracles] (2Ki.4:1—6:7)

Hear me, O LORD, hear me, that this people may know that You are the LORD God, and that You have turned their hearts back to You again (1Ki.18:37).

The Prophetic Office, Books of Prophecy

- > Miracles Introduce New Era of Revelation
- > They call attention to the revelation

PURPOSE: 1. Know that the LORD is God 2. Turn their hearts to the LORD

3

JESUS AND APOSTLES

29AD — 60AD

31 Years

EXAMPLES

- ☯ JESUS' Ministry (Jn.20:30-31; Ac.2:22)
- ☯ APOSTLES' Ministry (2Co.12:12; He.2:3-4)

God also bearing witness both with signs and wonders, with various miracles, and gifts of the Holy Spirit, according to His own will? (He.2:4).

The New Testament

- > Miracles Introduce New Era of Revelation
- > They call attention to the revelation

PURPOSE: 1. Testify the authenticity of God's messengers 2. To confirm the truthfulness of the gospel message
3. Give evidence that God is at work 4. To bring glory to God