

I Kings 1: 13, 17

SUBJECT: The Childhood
of Solomon

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II Sam. 12:24, 25 ; I Chron. 3:5

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1. Date of his birth

Cannot be ascertained with certainty because we do not know at what age boys begin to ripen. Only that he was young.
c. 1035 B.C.

I Chron. 3:5 Solomon the youngest of 5 sons born to David and Bathsheba. [The oldest died in infancy].

II Sam. 12:24, 25 implies Solomon born first, after the death of the child of adultery. This also stated by Josephus. If that were, then I Chron 3:5 name last for emphasis.

2. David's yearning for peace.

Strife, blood, war, from his youth against the Goliath.
of "Absalom" = "Father of Peace" born in Hebron
of "Solomon" = "The Peaceful" " " " " " " " " " " " "

3. Placed under the tutelage, care of Nathan the prophet

II Sam. 12:25 "He [David] sent him [Solomon] into the hand of Nathan."
"Jedidah" beloved of God. The name never appeared to anyone but to both Nathan and David, the child of Zion God had accepted the tears, prayers of David.

The Lord loved him. "I shall bow upon him."
The wise teacher, Nathan: trained in School, the Prophet, poetry, wisdom of the East; literature, the modern, his inheritance from father's culture.

4. The secret of I Ki. 1:13, 17.

There first lesson of the oath, he to be king.
Wisdom in this - if Amnon, responsible for
mad the child out for certain destruction.

This decision that Solomon be heir must have formed after
death of Amnon (the eldest son of David however, refused to
succeed because of his love for her) - Absalom, his favorite
of them all. Admittedly suggests he to reign, but rejects
any and in line.

5. The Mouth of Solomon Fall in a
Dark and Troublesome Time.

(1) King David with drew more and more into the
youngness surrounding of the Court, into the voluptuous
excesses, the Queen. His judicial duties so neglected,
gave it right to complaint, promote Absalom.

a deep indignation against his friends in every heart,
as Abithyphel, his counselors, his secret enemy. As you
may when Absalom rebelled.

2) Fall it traps center of polygamy.
Practiced only to a small extent by our patriarchs.

2 wives day wandering

5 " " reign in Babylon

known number in Jr.

Smith's Bible, 10 of our numbers in Jr.

jealousy, unhygienic...

3) His sons inherited from their father the
legacy of imperious passions.

i. Solomon a child, the dark passion and cruelty
of Amnon. Arranged for Amnon by Jonadab, his
cunning cousin, son of David's brother Shimeon.
David represents himself as his victim.

ii. Solomon a child. 2 years, suffers with
Absalom's beauty, the by and by, but his pitiless
represent him. Murder, Amnon.

iii. Solomon a youth
Absalom is exile at paternal grandfather's court 3 yrs.
Just brings back to him. 2 years it is for David.
Absalom designs for his child. Reconciles with David.
Sets himself to steal away hearts of the people.