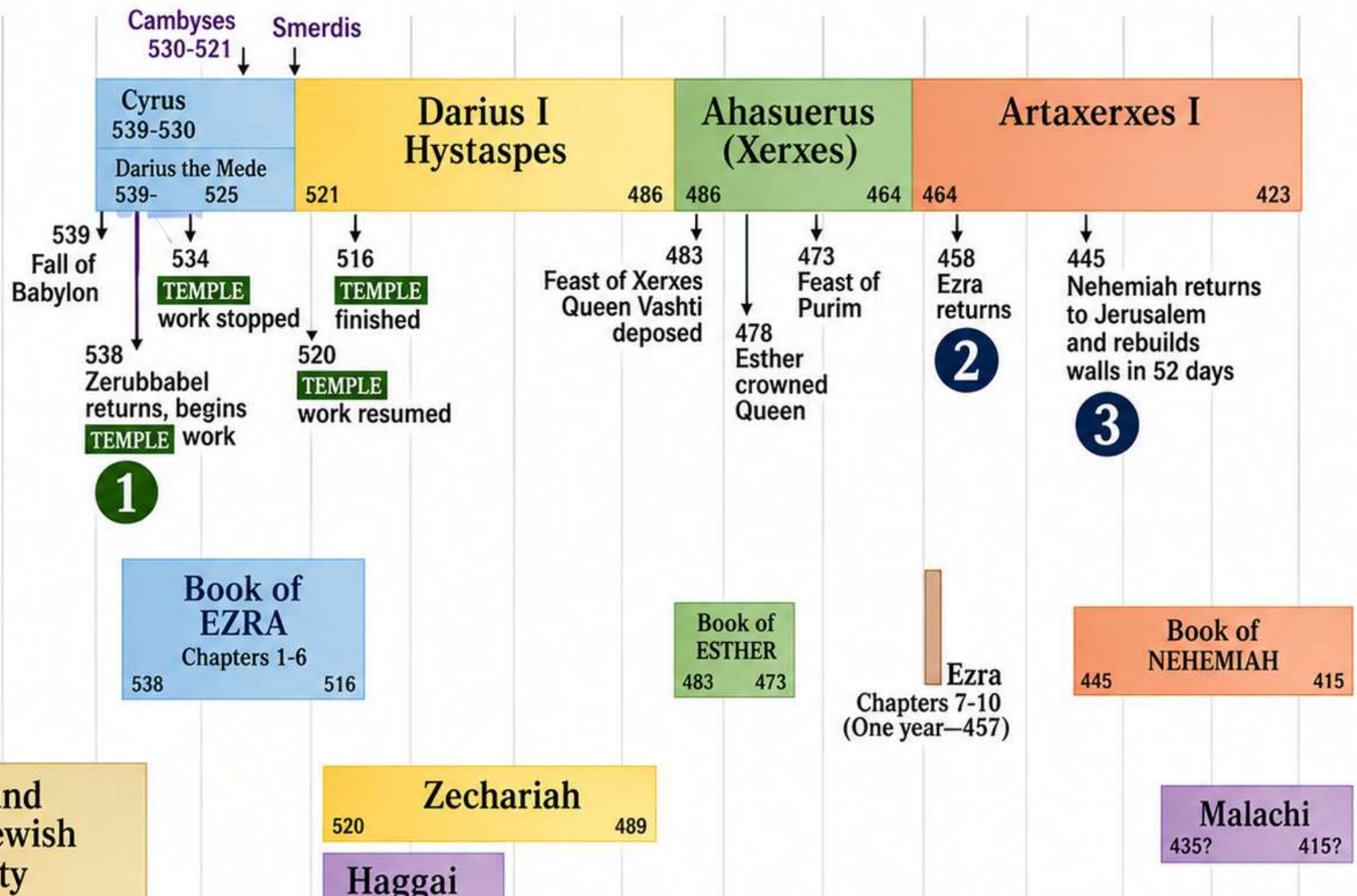


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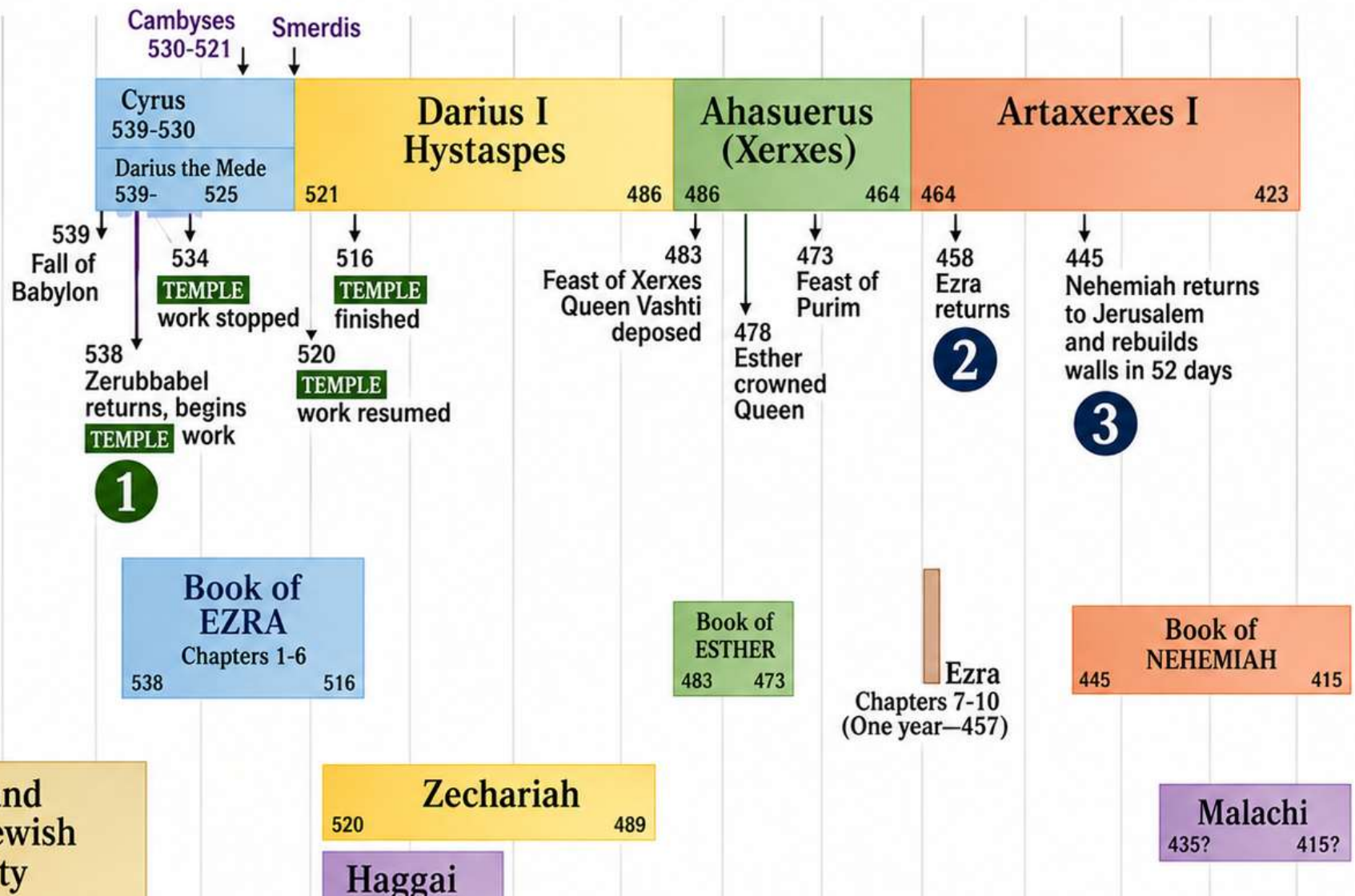
Daniel and
70-year Jewish
Captivity

Assertion by God/Statement	I have loved you 2a
Questioning of the Assertion by Israel	How have you loved us? 1:2b
Response	Is not Esau...the people with whom the Lord is angry forever 1:2c-4
Implication	Your own eyes shall see it...beyond the border of Israel. 1:5

1	Mal 1:2-5	But you say, “How have you loved us?”
(2)	Mal 1:6-2:9	But you say, ‘How have we despised your name?’
(2)	Mal 1:7	But you say, ‘How have we polluted you?’
(2)	Mal 1:13	But you say, “What a weariness this is...”
3	Mal 2:10-16	But you say, “Why does he not?” 2:14
4	Mal 2:17-3:5	But you say, “How have we wearied him?”
(5)	Mal 3:6-12	But you say, ‘How shall we return? 3:7
(5)	Mal 3:8	But you say, “How have we robbed you?”
(6)	Mal 3:13-4:3	But you say, “How have we spoken against you?”

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PROPHET

Christ executes the office of a prophet by revealing to us,
by his Word and Spirit, the will of God for our salvation

PRIEST

Christ executes the office of a priest in His single offering of Himself as a sacrifice to satisfy divine justice and reconcile people to God, and in making continual intercession for them.

KING

Jesus executes the office of a king by subduing people to himself, ruling and defending them, and by restraining and conquering all his and their enemies.