

Atoned for

Preserved life

The Famine under David
The Famine under Joseph
The Famine of the Curse

Destroy

The Famine of sin (atoned for)

2 Samuel 21.1

Then there was a famine in the days of David three years, year after year David inquired of the LORD. And the LORD answered, It is for Saul, and for his bloody house, because he slew the Gibeonites

The Famine of sin (atoned for)

2 Samuel 21.3

So David said to the Gibeonites,

What shall I do for you?

How can I make atonement

that you may bless the Lord's inheritance?

2 Samuel 21.5-6

And they answered the king:
Let seven men of Saul's sons
be delivered unto us, and we
will hang them up unto the
LORD in Gibeah of Saul

The Famine of sin (atoned for)

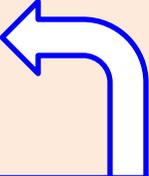
2 Samuel 21.9

And **he delivered them into the hands of the Gibeonites** and they hanged them in the hill before the LORD: and they fell all seven together, and were put to death in the days of harvest.

2 Samuel 21.14

After that God was entreated for the land

Famine was atoned for



The Famine under David

The Famine under Joseph

The Famine of the Curse

The under Joseph preserved life

Genesis 45:4-5

I am Joseph your brother

whom ye sold into Egypt. Now

therefore **be not grieved, nor**

angry with yourselves, that ye

sold me hither **for God did**

send me before you to

preserve life

During this
Famine Life
was preserved

Psalms 105:20-21

He sent a man before them

Even Joseph who was sold for
a servant: Until the time that is
word came: The word of the
LORD tried him.

The under Joseph preserved life

Genesis 42.1-2

Now when Jacob saw that there was corn in Egypt, Jacob said unto his sons, Why do ye look one upon another? And he said, Behold, I have heard that there is corn in Egypt:

get you down

thither, and buy for us from

thence; that we may live, and

not die

Genesis 42.5-6

And the sons of Israel came to buy corn among those that came: for the famine was in the land of Canaan. And

Joseph's brethren came, and

bowed down themselves before

him with their faces to the

earth

Dream Prophecy to Joseph

Genesis 37:7

Behold, we were binding sheaves in the field, and, lo, my sheaf arose, and also stood upright; and, behold, **your**

sheaves stood round about, and

made obeisance to my sheaf

Genesis 37:9-11

I have dreamed a dream more; and, behold, the sun and the moon and the eleven stars

made obeisance to me

The Fulfillment of Prophecy written in the Psalms

Psalm 105:17

He sent a man before them,
Even Joseph who was sold for
a servant.

Psalm 105:22

To bind his princes at his
pleasure; And **teach his**
senators wisdom

The Fulfillment of Prophecy to Abram

Genesis 15.13

God said unto Abram Know of a surety that thy seed shall be a stranger in a land that is not theirs, and shall serve them;

and they shall afflict them four

hundred years

Prophecy
under Abram

Genesis 15.14

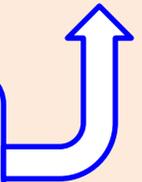
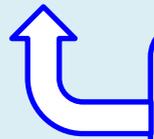
And also that nation, whom they shall serve, will I judge:

and **afterward shall they come**

out with great substance.

Fulfilled under
Moses

Famine
of
Joseph



The Famine under David
The Famine under Joseph

The Famine of the Curse

The Famine of Iniquity (no atonement)

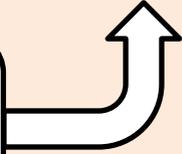
Deuteronomy 28:15

But it shall come to pass, if thou wilt not hearken unto the voice of the LORD thy God, to observe to do all his commandments and his statutes which I command thee this day;

Deuteronomy 28:15

that all **these curses shall come upon thee, and overtake thee**

These curses are to destroy you



Deuteronomy 28.61

Every sickness and every plague will the LORD bring upon thee **until thou be destroyed**

Deuteronomy 28.63,66

And it shall come to pass the LORD will rejoice over you to **destroy you** and bring you to nought. **Thy life shall hang in doubt** before thee and shall have **none assurance of thy life**

The Famine of the CURSE

Deuteronomy 28:53-54

**And thou shalt eat the fruit of
thine own body, the flesh of thy
sons and of thy daughters**

which the LORD thy God hath given thee, in the siege, and in the straitness, wherewith thine enemies shall distress thee.

Deuteronomy 28:54-55

So that the man that is tender among you will not give to any of them of the flesh of his

children whom he shall eat

because he hath nothing left him in the siege, and in the straitness, wherewith thine enemies shall distress thee in all thy gates

The Famine of the CURSE

Deuteronomy 28:56-57

The tender and delicate woman

among you which would not adventure to set the sole of her foot upon the ground for delicateness and tenderness,

her eye shall be evil toward the husband of her bosom, and toward her son, and toward her daughter

Deuteronomy 28:56-57

And toward her young one that cometh out from between her feet, and toward her children which she shall bear: **for she**

shall eat them for want of all

things secretly in the siege and

straitness, wherewith thine

enemy shall distress thee in

thy gates

A woman petitions the Kings help during the great famine

2 Kings 6:25

And there was a **great famine** **in Samaria** and, behold, Benhadad besieged it, until an ass's head was sold for fourscore pieces of silver, and the fourth part of a cab of dove's dung for five pieces of silver.

2 Kings 6:26-27

And as the king of Israel was passing by upon the wall, there cried a woman unto him, saying, **Help, my lord, O king** And he said, **If the LORD do not help thee, whence shall I help thee?**

Seige of Samaria under Benhadad

2 Kings 6:28

The king said unto her, What aileth thee? And she answered,

This woman said unto me, **Give**

thy son, that we may eat him to

day, and we will eat my son to

morrow

2 Kings 6:29

So we boiled my son, and did

eat him and I said unto her on

the next day, Give thy son, that

we may eat him: and she hath

hid her son

The Hope that a repentant believer has in such a situation

The REPENTANT Believers HOPE during a Curse Famine

2 Samuel 14.14

God does not take away life but

devises ways that his banished

my not be expelled from Him

Deuteronomy 4.29

But if from thence thou shalt

seek the LORD thy God, thou shalt find him, if thou seek him with all thy heart and with all thy soul. When thou art in

tribulation and all these things are come upon thee

The REPENTANT Believers HOPE during a Curse Famine

Deuteronomy 4:30-31

even in the latter days if thou turn to the LORD thy God, and shalt be obedient unto his voice; (For the LORD thy God is a merciful God; **he will not forsake thee, neither destroy thee**)

The REPENTANT Believers HOPE during a Curse Famine

Psalm 33:18-19

Behold, the eye of the LORD is upon them that fear him, upon them that hope in his mercy;

To deliver their soul from

death, and to keep them alive

in famine

Psalm 37:19

The LORD knoweth the days of the upright: They shall not be ashamed in the evil time: And

in the days of famine they shall

be satisfied

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