

Things you may not know

.... about the Bible

That were always

.... in the Bible

.... Part II

Studying the Bible

Why bother with this?

If you Dig Deep it's REVEALING...

.... ABOUT YOU

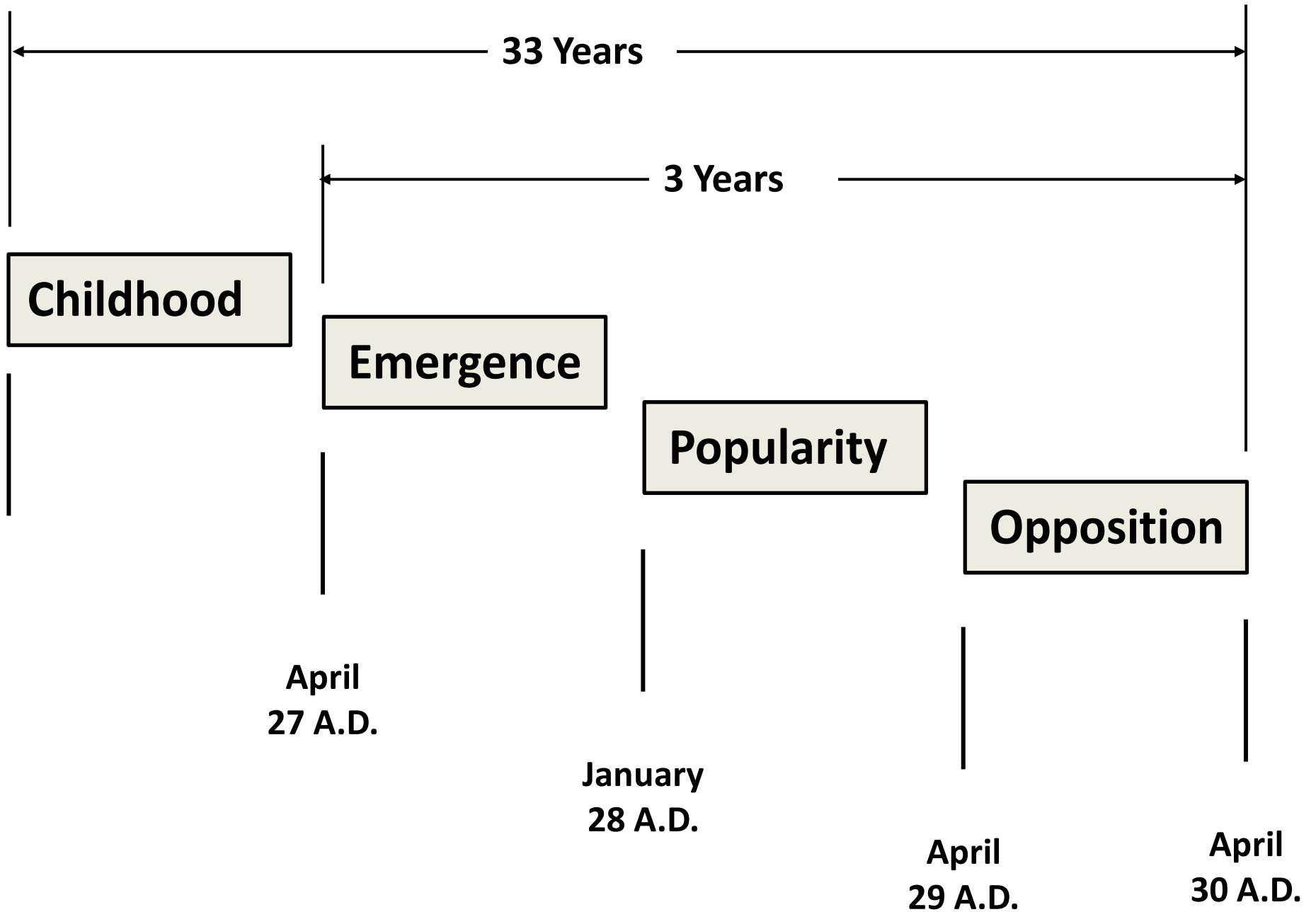
However, your Perspective is Important

Imagine that you were there ...

Walking in their sandals



Jesus' Timeline on Earth



Childhood

Child Fugitives

About Bethlehem

Lose a 12 yr old ?

Emergence

Why Baptize ?

Peter's catch

Miracle at Cana

Mad Jesus

Samaritans

Hometown Woes

Jesus ordains 12

Love your enemies

Popularity

R/C Miracles

3 up from Dead

Dead bury Dead

Apostles neighbors

Poor John

Jarius

Jesus' Siblings

Feeding 4000

Opposition

Faith is

Sheol

Guards

The Adulteress

Jerusalem visits

Many Marys

Lazarus

Sunday - Friday

Judas, WHY ?

All prayers granted?

Rome & Christianity

Mark gets Naked ?

Pilate/ good or bad?

Post Resurrection

Sabbath violations

Emergence

Timeline for Emergence

27 A.D.



The Wedding Feast at Cana

- *Jesus went because his Mother asked him to*
- *This will be Jesus' First Miracle*

Mediterranean Sea

Galilee

Samaria

Judea

● **Korazim**

● **Capernaum**

● **Cana**

● **Nazareth**

Sea of Galilee

● **Gadara**

● **Aenon**

● **Sychar**

Jordan River

Jesus' Travels

● **Jesus' Baptism**

● **Jericho**

● **Mt Olives**

● **Jerusalem**

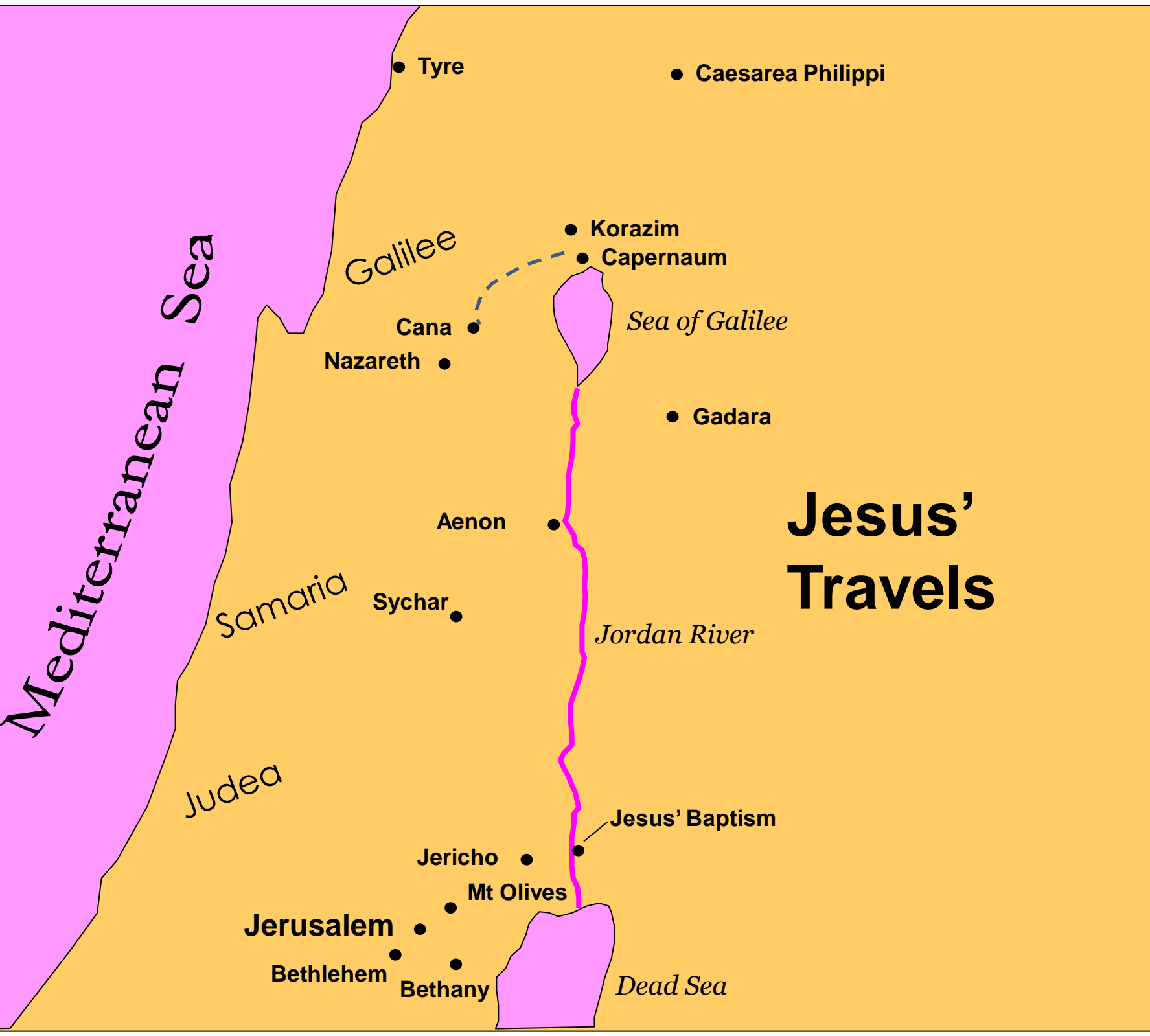
● **Bethlehem**

● **Bethany**

Dead Sea

● **Tyre**

● **Caesarea Philippi**



Cana Was in Galilee

Was it a BIG Deal or just a quick wedding ?



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The Story

John 2: 1-5

2 On the third day a wedding took place at Cana in Galilee. Jesus' mother was there, ² and Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. ³ When the wine was gone, Jesus' mother said to him, "They have no more wine."

4 "Woman, ^[a] why do you involve me?" Jesus replied. "My hour has not yet come."

5 His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you."

Cana Was in Galilee

Questions

Mary and Jesus were there.... Where was Joseph ?

Did Jesus have Apostles there ? Who were they ?

Was Jesus up for a miracle that day ?

How did he treat his mother when she made the request ?

Did she nag him ?

Was this a big Deal?

Cana Was in Galilee

What kind of water was in the jars ?

Was Ceremonial washing a big deal ?

What did Jesus say over the water jars ?

What was the significance about the WAY this miracle worked ?

The Servant's Sandals ?

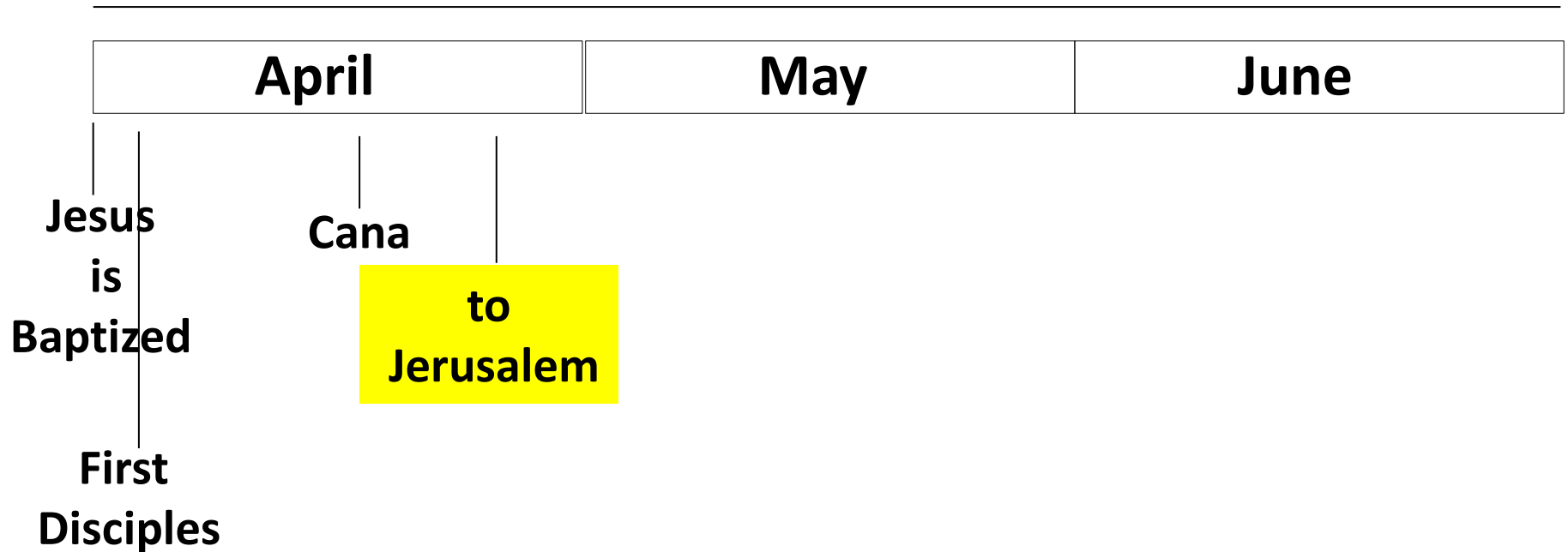
It worked... he pleased Mary

He didn't bring attention to himself



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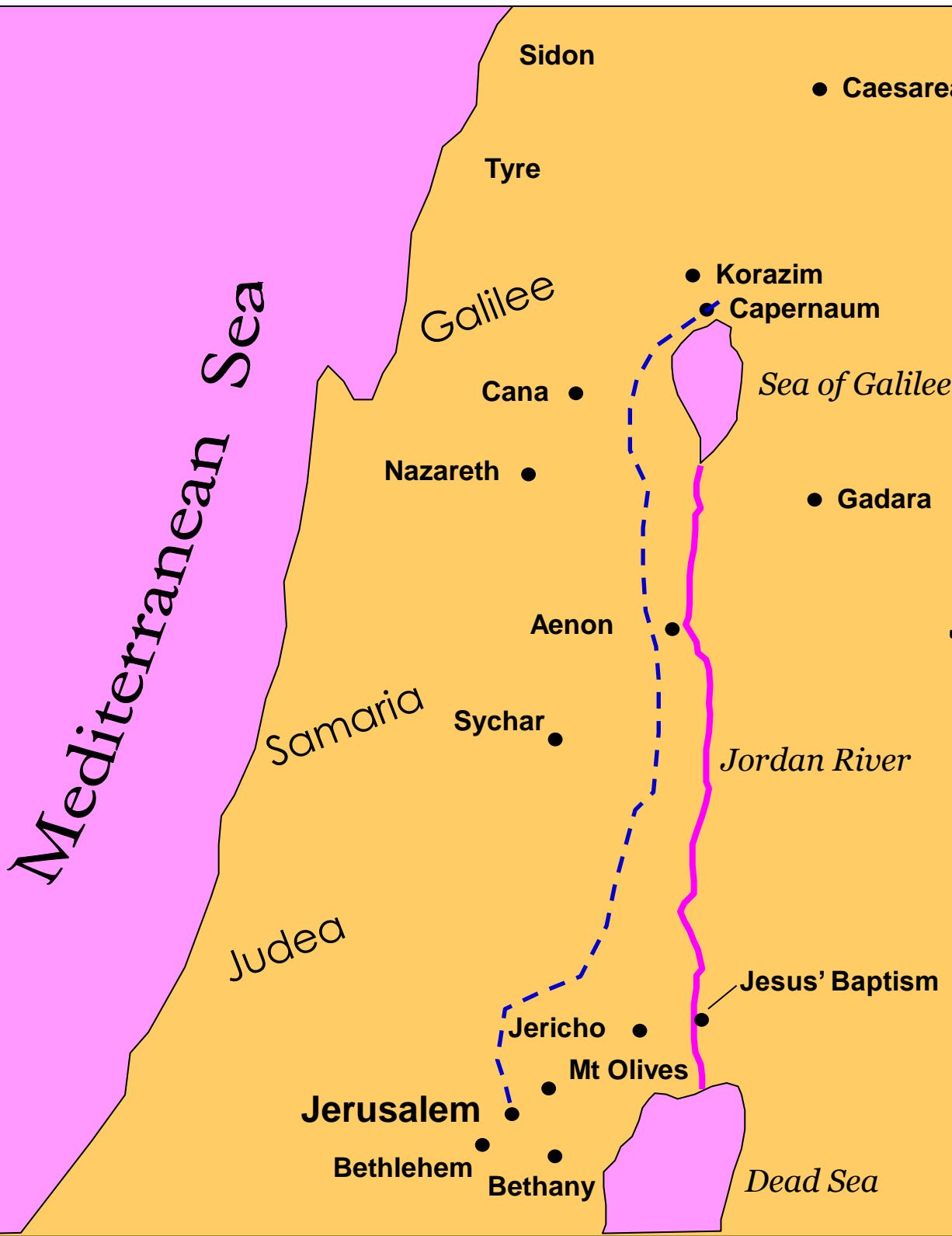
After Cana

After this he went down to Capernaum with his mother and brothers and his disciples. There they stayed for a few days.

When it was almost time for the Jewish Passover, Jesus went up to Jerusalem.

Mediterranean Sea

Jesus' Travels



Jesus going to Jerusalem as an Adult

*“O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, you who kill the prophets and stone those sent to you,
how often I have longed to gather your children together...”*

Luke 13:34



The Cleansing of the Temple

- *Some Interesting Notes:*

- The Synoptic Gospels have Jesus' ministry lasting one year
- John's account is for 3 years
- This is the first of at Least 4 trips to Jerusalem ... *per John*
- The Synoptic Gospels only record the Triumphant entry
(*Other than the Childhood appearances*)
- John places the Temple Cleansing during the emergence

The Cleansing of the Temple

Some notes on Passover in Jerusalem:

- Every adult male Israelite was required to go each year
- Each family had to shell out money TWICE :

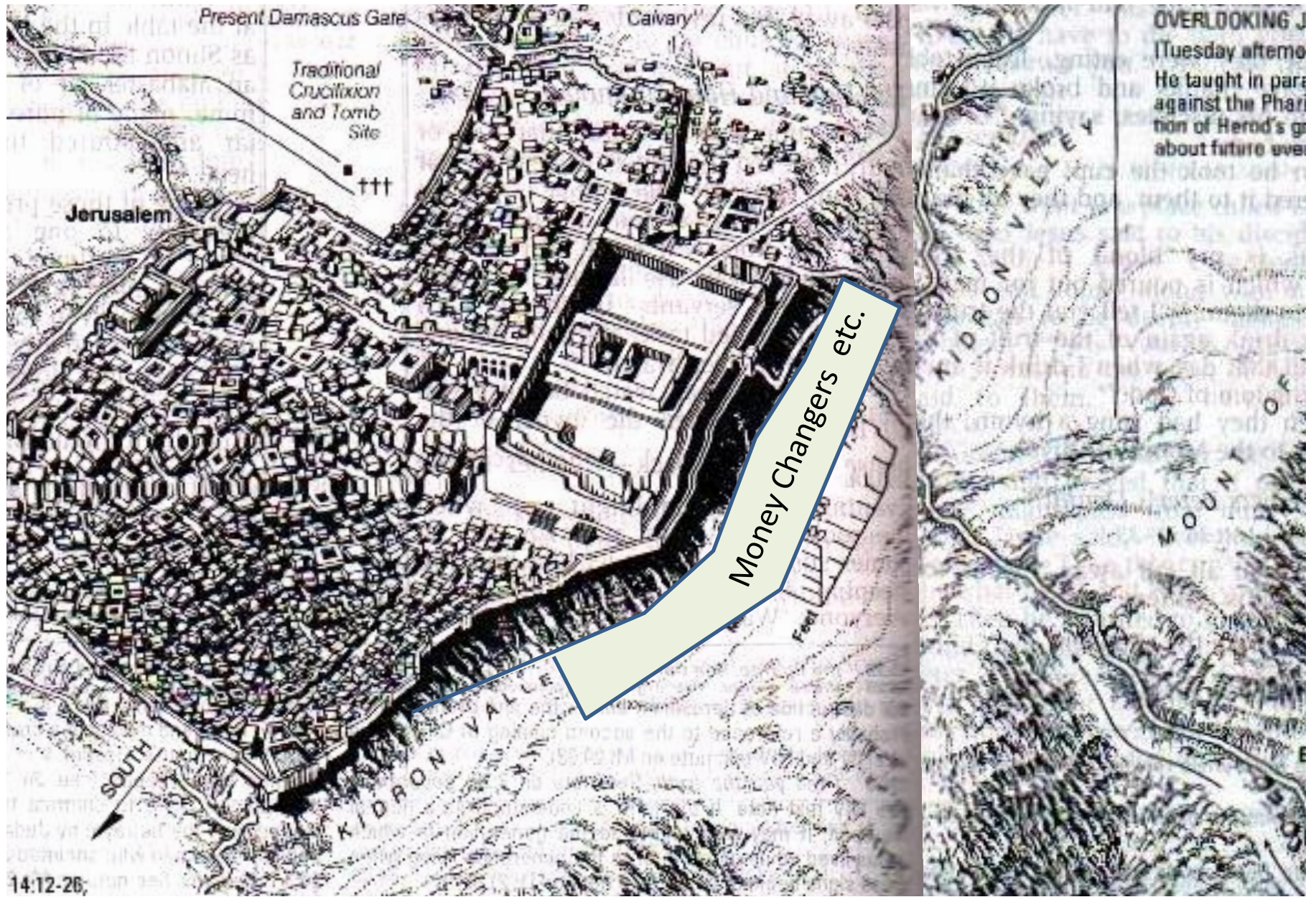
Temple Tax

Buy your sacrifice

- You could bring your own sacrifice but ...
- Buying your animal from Priests was a guarantee
- Your cash was no good Had to be Temple Coins

All Cash Transactions were “Owned” by Temple Priests

- This used to happen outside the City.....

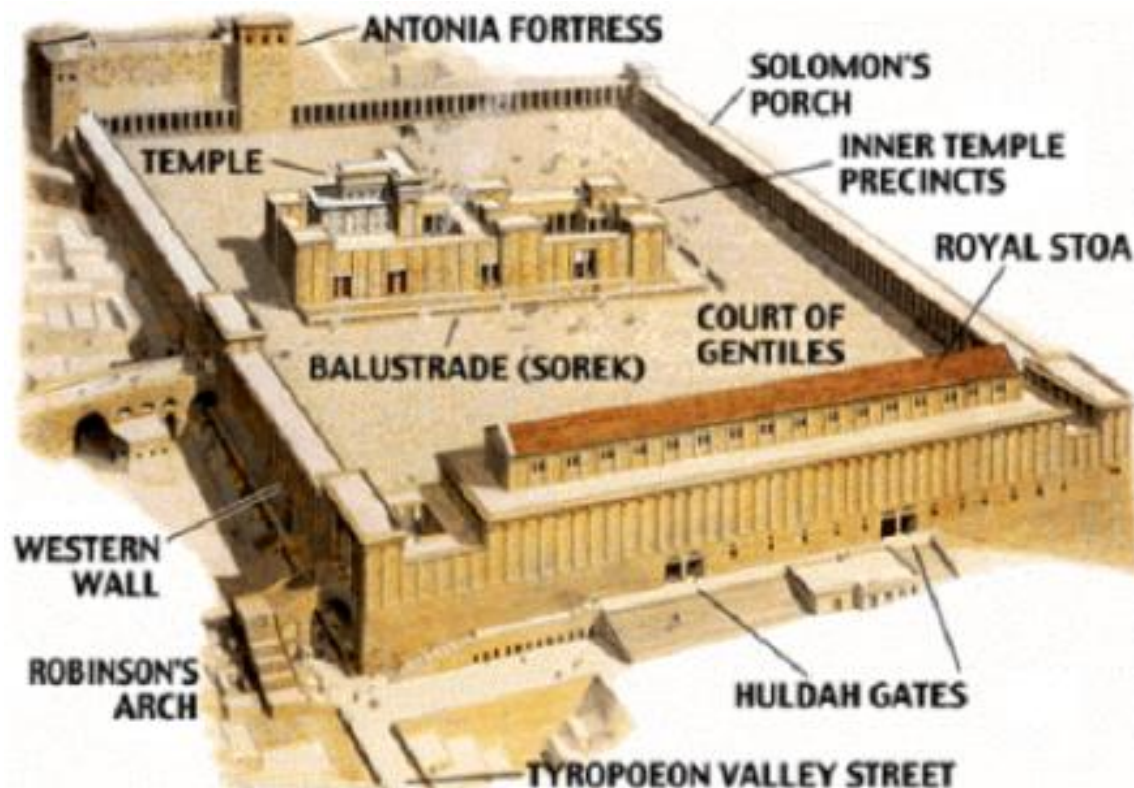


14:12-26;

The Cleansing of the Temple

Jesus got upset because:

- They moved the Money changing **INSIDE** the temple walls
- To the court of the Gentiles
- The Gentiles can not worship... can not trespass



or will be Killed

John 2: 14 - 16

Jesus clears the Temple Courts



“ ...Stop turning my Father’s House into a Market...”

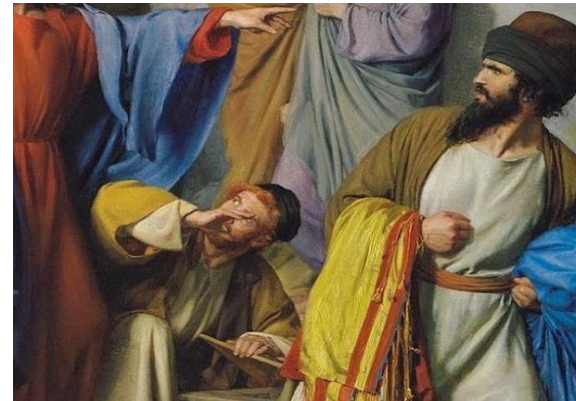
The Cleansing of the Temple

Imagine that you were there ...

Walking in their sandals



The Money Changers Sandals ?



The Apostles Sandals ?



Emergence

Hometown Woes

Preaching in Nazareth

Background:

- Jesus' reputation was growing
- He was invited to speak in Nazareth



- Three parts of Synagogue Service....

1) The Worship Part

2) The Reading of the Scriptures

3) The Teaching Part

- Jesus was invited to do Parts 2 & 3 that day

Preaching in Nazareth

The Reading:

- He read from Isaiah
- They were amazed at his words

The Teaching:

- *Then ... Luke 4: 24 - 27*

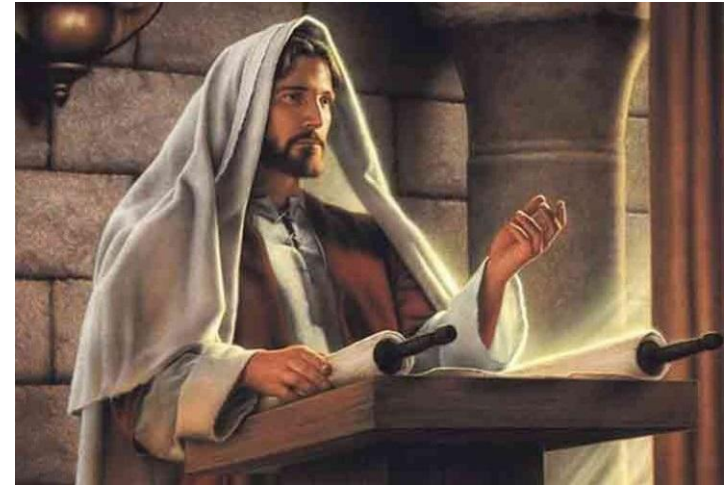
- Elijah not sent to Israel's aid ... but to Sidon
- Elisha not sent to Israel's aid ... but to a Syrian

- Jesus was paying a compliment to *Gentiles*

- Jews believed that God created Gentiles ...
...to be fuel for the fires of Hell

- **If you were in the Synagogue....**

... how would you have reacted?



Mediterranean Sea

Sidon

● Caesarea Philippi

Tyre

Galilee

● Korazim

● Capernaum

Cana ●

Sea of Galilee

Nazareth ●

● Gadara

Aenon ●

Jesus' Travels

Samaria

Sychar ●

Jordan River

Judea

Jericho ●

Jesus' Baptism ●

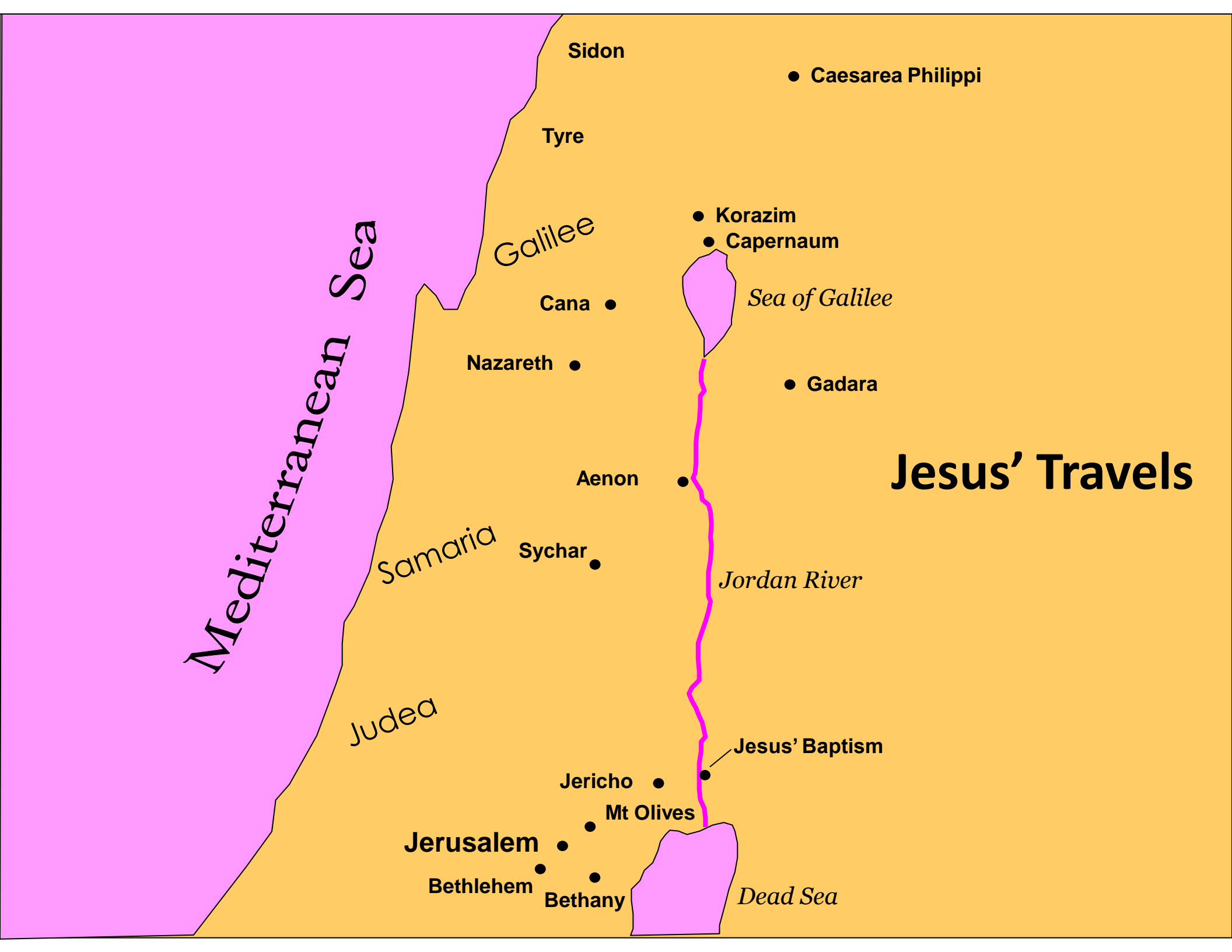
Mt Olives ●

Jerusalem ●

Bethlehem ●

Bethany ●

Dead Sea



From Luke 4:

²⁸ All the people in the synagogue were furious when they heard this.

- What do you think was going on ?

- ²⁹ They got up, drove him out of the town, and took him to the brow of the hill on which the town was built, in order to throw him off the cliff.



From Luke 4:

*³⁰ But he walked right through the crowd ...
..... and went on his way.*



- This was really a miracle !

- The sandals of the Jews now?



Emergence

Jesus Ordains Twelve

Already on Board

Peter

Andrew

James

John

Philip

Nathaniel

Matthew

Added Now

James the younger

Jude

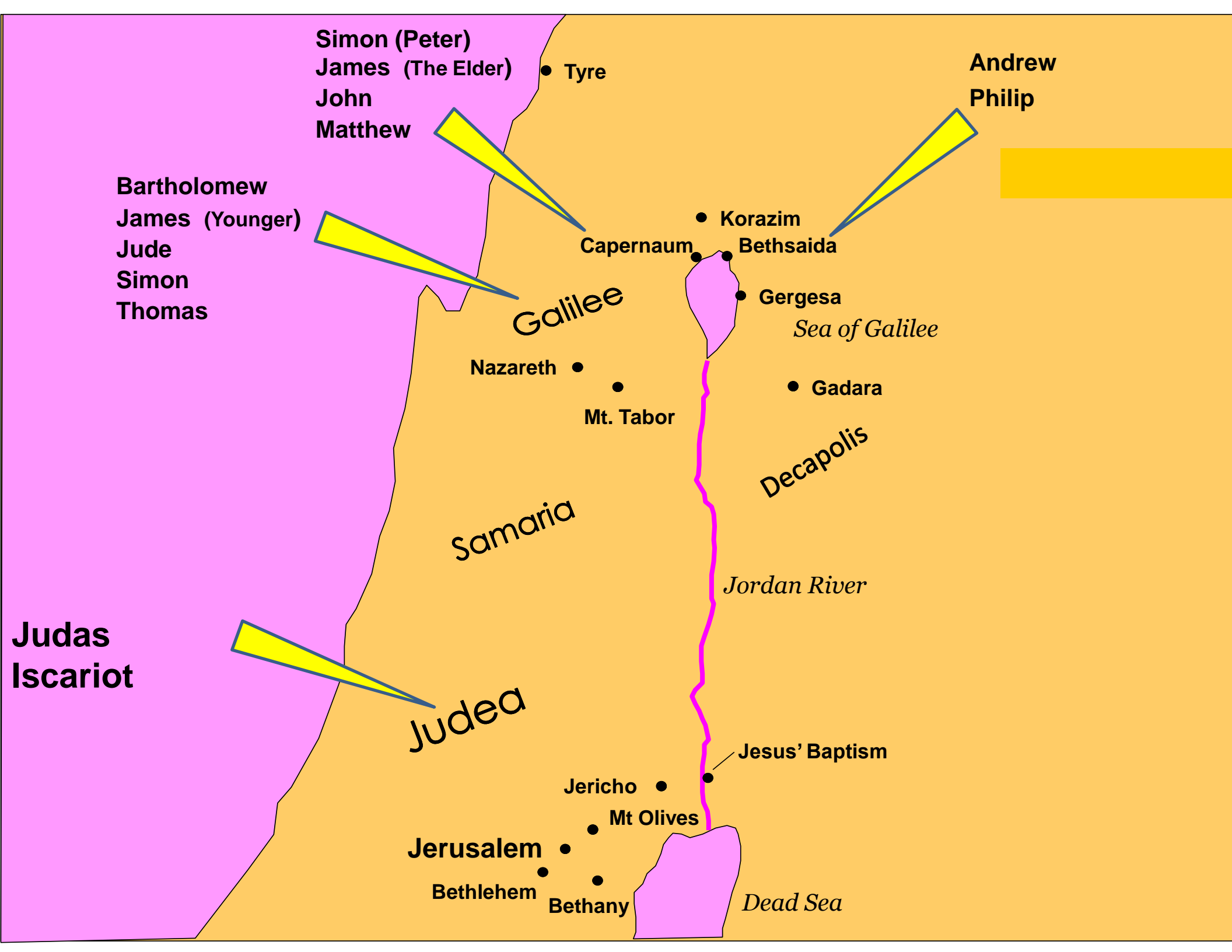
Simon

Thomas

Judas Iscariot

Apostle Backgrounds

<u>Apostle</u>	<u>Hometown</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Notes</u>
Simon (Peter)	Capernaum	Fisherman	Andrew's brother
Andrew	Bethsaida	Fisherman	Peter's brother
James (The Elder)	Capernaum	Fisherman	John's brother
John	Capernaum	Fisherman	James' brother
Philip	Bethsaida	Fisherman	Recruited Bartholomew
Bartholomew	Cana	??	Called Nathaniel
Matthew	Capernaum	Tax collector	
James (Younger)	Galilee	??	Jude's brother
Jude	Galilee	??	Called Thaddeus
Simon	Galilee	Fisherman	The Zealot
Thomas	Galilee	??	Called Judas
Judas Iscariot	Judea	??	Group Treasurer



Simon (Peter)
James (The Elder)
John
Matthew

Andrew
Philip

Bartholomew
James (Younger)
Jude
Simon
Thomas

Judas
Iscariot

Galilee

Decapolis

Samaria

Judea

• Tyre

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Sea of Galilee

Apostle Backgrounds

<u>Apostle</u>	<u>Hometown</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Notes</u>	<u>Died</u>	<u>Manner of Death</u>
Simon (Peter)	Capernaum	Fisherman	Andrew's brother	64 A.D.	Crucified – Upside Down
Andrew	Bethsaida	Fisherman	Peter's brother	70 A.D.	Crucified
James (The Elder)	Capernaum	Fisherman	John's brother	44 A.D.	Beheaded
John	Capernaum	Fisherman	James' brother	90 A.D.	Natural Causes
Philip	Bethsaida	Fisherman	Recruited Bartholomew	54 A.D.	Crucified
Bartholomew	Cana	??	Called Nathaniel	70 A.D.	Whipped to Death
Matthew	Capernaum	Tax collector		65 A.D.	Killed by Sword
James (Younger)	Galilee	??	Jude's brother	70 A.D.	Stoned to Death
Jude	Galilee	??	Called Thaddeus	72 A.D.	Killed with Arrows
Simon	Galilee	Fisherman	The Zealot	74 A.D.	Crucified
Thomas	Galilee	??	Called Judas	70 A.D.	Speared to Death
Judas Iscariot	Judea	??	Group Treasurer	33 A.D.	Hanged - Suicide

Popularity

- Jesus could really confuse us at times.....

Background:

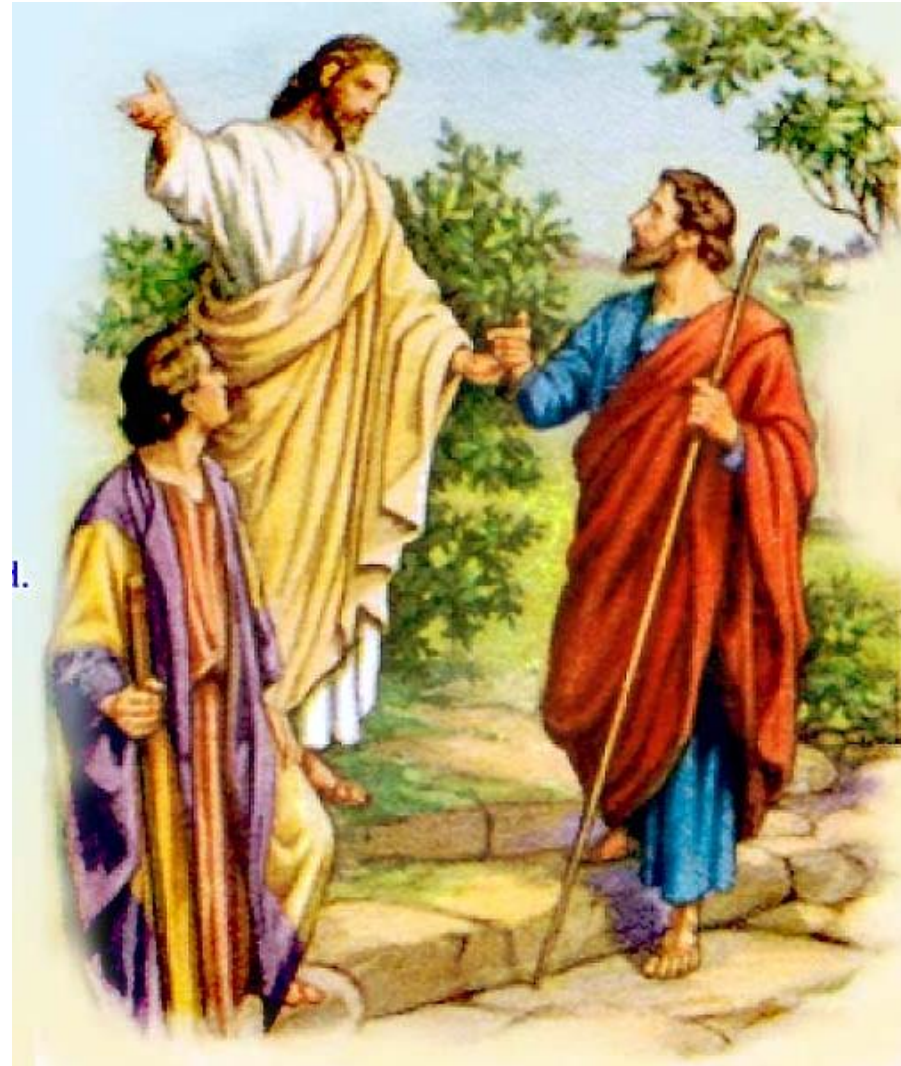
- Jesus had been healing many**
- Many People wanted to follow him**

Matthew 8: 19,22

Then a teacher of the law came to him and said, "Teacher, I will follow you wherever you go."

Another disciple said to him, "Lord, first let me go and bury my father."

But Jesus told him, "Follow me, and let the dead bury their own dead."



- Was Jesus being kind of Rude ?

Customs in Palestine back then

... When a Father died

- Ultimate Filial obligation before leaving home
 - *Eldest son returns to tomb after 1 year*
 - *Eldest son “re-buries” his fathers bones in a box*
 - *Slides box into slot in wall*



The man in the Gospel could have been asking for a year delay

The Loss of John the Baptist

Mediterranean Sea

Jesus

Jordan River

Canaan

- Both had to flee from Herod's sword

- They met up again ...
....when Jesus went public

• **Jerusalem**

John

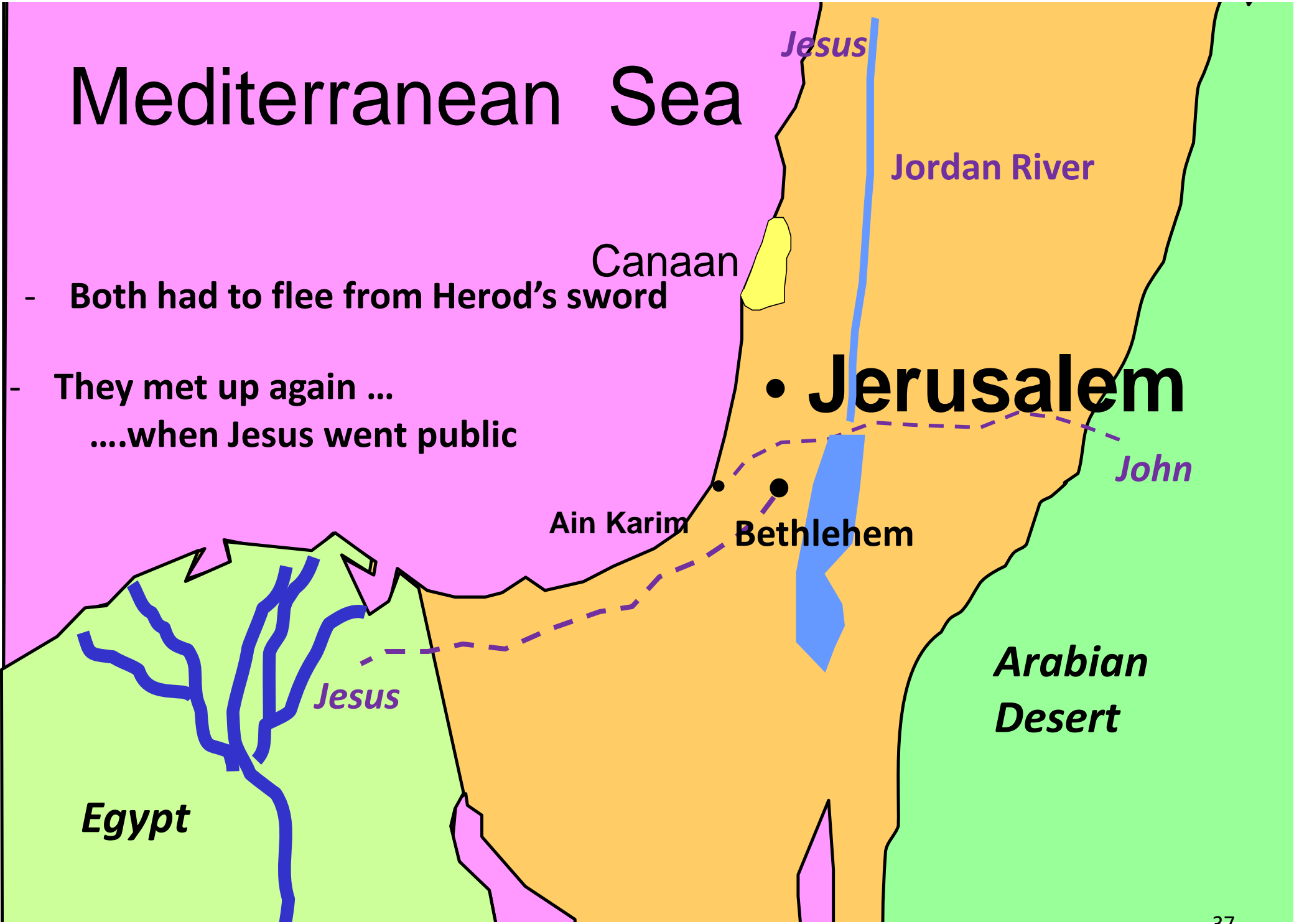
Ain Karim

Bethlehem

**Arabian
Desert**

Jesus

Egypt



John Baptizes Jesus



- John's message was for people "To Repent"
- He was preparing for the Messiah to come
- John Baptized with water but ...
...Jesus' will baptize with Fire

Jewish Beliefs



- The word Messiah and the word Christ mean the same thing..
- The nations would ally themselves against the champion of God.
- The result would be the total destruction of these hostile powers.
- The Messiah would be the most destructive conqueror in history
- Palestine would be the center of the world ... the rest of the world subject to it

... John's Beliefs

John gets arrested



"¹⁹ But when John rebuked Herod the tetrarch because of his marriage to Herodias, his brother's wife, and all the other evil things he had done,²⁰ Herod added this to them all: He locked John up in prison. "[\(Luke 3:19-20\)](#).

John in Prison



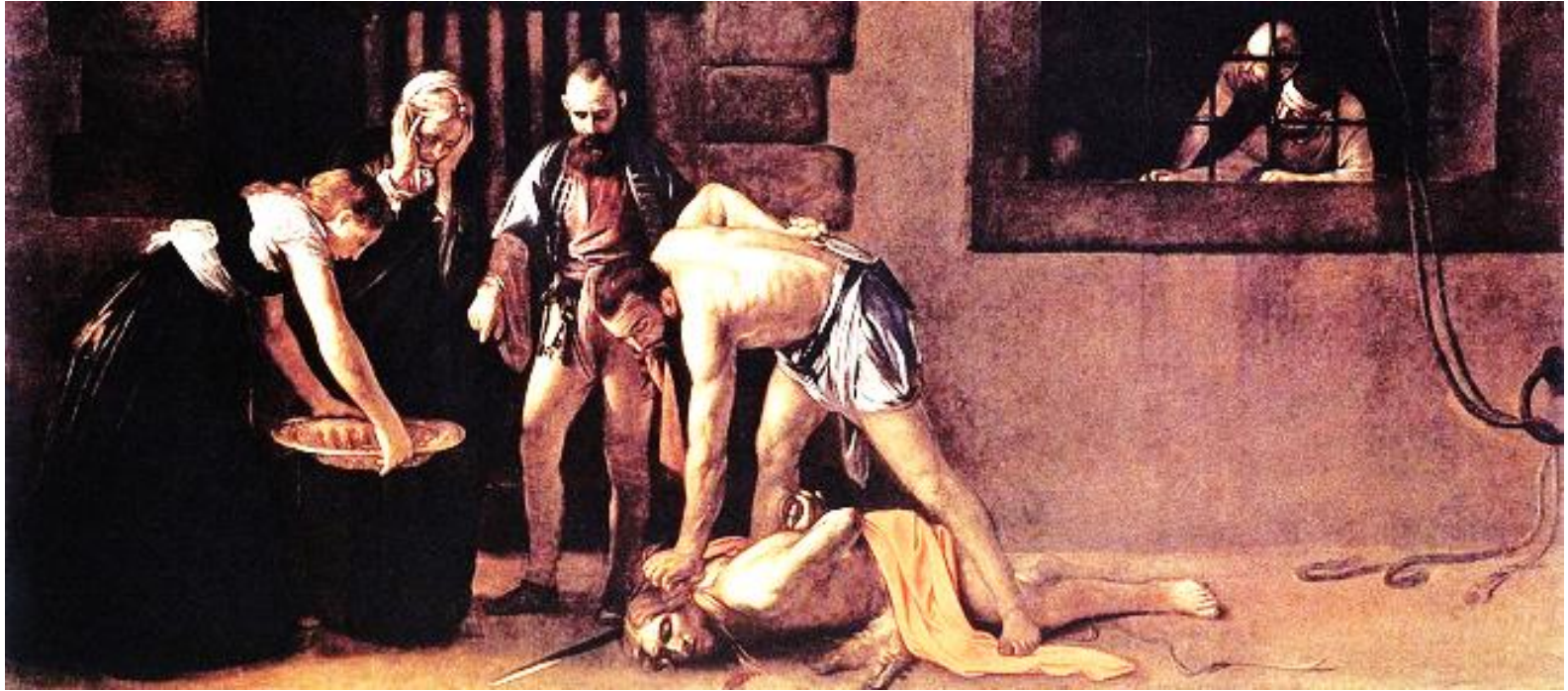
¹⁶ They were all filled with awe and praised God. “A great prophet has appeared among us,” they said. “God has come to help his people.”¹⁷ This news about Jesus spread throughout Judea and the surrounding country.’

Luke 7:16-17

² When John, who was in prison, heard about the deeds of the Messiah, he sent his disciples ³ to ask him, “Are you the one who is to come, or should we expect someone else?”

Matthew 11:1-3

John is Executed



Herod had John Beheaded

Student Question

*Why didn't Jesus go to John's prison
.... and put John's head back on ?*

Poor John

- **Was John upset at what he had heard about Jesus ?**
- **What was behind John's question to Jesus ?**
 - **What did John Preach before Prison ?**
 - **Was Jesus' approach what John expected ?**
- **What did John want Jesus to do ?**
 - **Announce to all that He was the Messiah**
 - **Bring on the Judgment for all who did not repent**
 - **Begin the punishment of Israel's oppressors**
- **Could Jesus have....**
 - **Had John for an Apostle ?**

MESSIAH

