

## Time Line

538	Return to Zion from Babylon
332	Alexander the Great conquers Jerusalem
168	Prohibitions of Antiochus IV; Maccabean revolt
165	Temple regained and purified
142	Simeon/Independent State of Judea
63	Romans Conquer Jerusalem
40BCE-40 CE	Rabbis Hillel and Shammai
37-4 CE	Herod the Great
40 – 220	Tannaim
70 CE	Destruction of Jerusalem by Romans Yohanan ben Zakkai establishes school at Yavneh
132-135	Bar Kokhba revolt against Rome
140	Rabbis reassemble in Galilee
200 ca.	Judah the Prince heads up Palestinian Jewish community
220	Mishna codified; Babylonian academy founded at Sura (R. Abba-Rab)
3 <sup>rd</sup> -6 <sup>th</sup> cent.	Amoraim
297	Founding of academy at Pumbedita in Babylon (Judah b. Ezekiel)
400	Jerusalem Talmud completed
500	Babylonian Talmud completed
6 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> cent.	Geonim
630-640	Muslim conquest of Middle East
1000	Rabbinic control shifts from Sura to North Africa
1135-1204	Moses ben Maimon (Maimonides)
1350	Beginning of Kabbalah in Safed
1571	<i>Shulhan Aruk</i> and <i>Mapah</i> appear together as the basic authority for “Orthodoxy”
18 <sup>th</sup> -19 <sup>th</sup> cent.	Emancipation
1720-86	Moses Mendelssohn
1767-1822	Saul Ascher (1767-1822)
1794- 1886	Leopold Zunz
1807	Napoleon's Sanhedrin