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- Abraham nearly lost the promise through fear in Egypt
- The royal line was once reduced to a single surviving child
- Israel spent 400 years enslaved, then 70 years in exile

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This genealogy shouts:

- God keeps promises across centuries
  God controls history even when people think it's chaos
- · God's timing is perfect-even when it feels painfully slow

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## **JESUS IS THE SAVIOR** FOR ALL PEOPLE

Tamar – incest and scandal Rahab – a prostitute Ruth – a Moabite foreigner Bathsheba — labeled by her sin with David

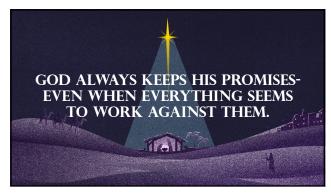
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## GOD CARRIES OUT HIS PERFECT PLAN THROUGH BROKEN PEOPLE

- This genealogy declares:

  Sin never stopped God's plan
  Failure never canceled God's promise
  God redeems broken people
- God invites outsiders
- God uses scandal, sin, and shame to bring about salvation

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