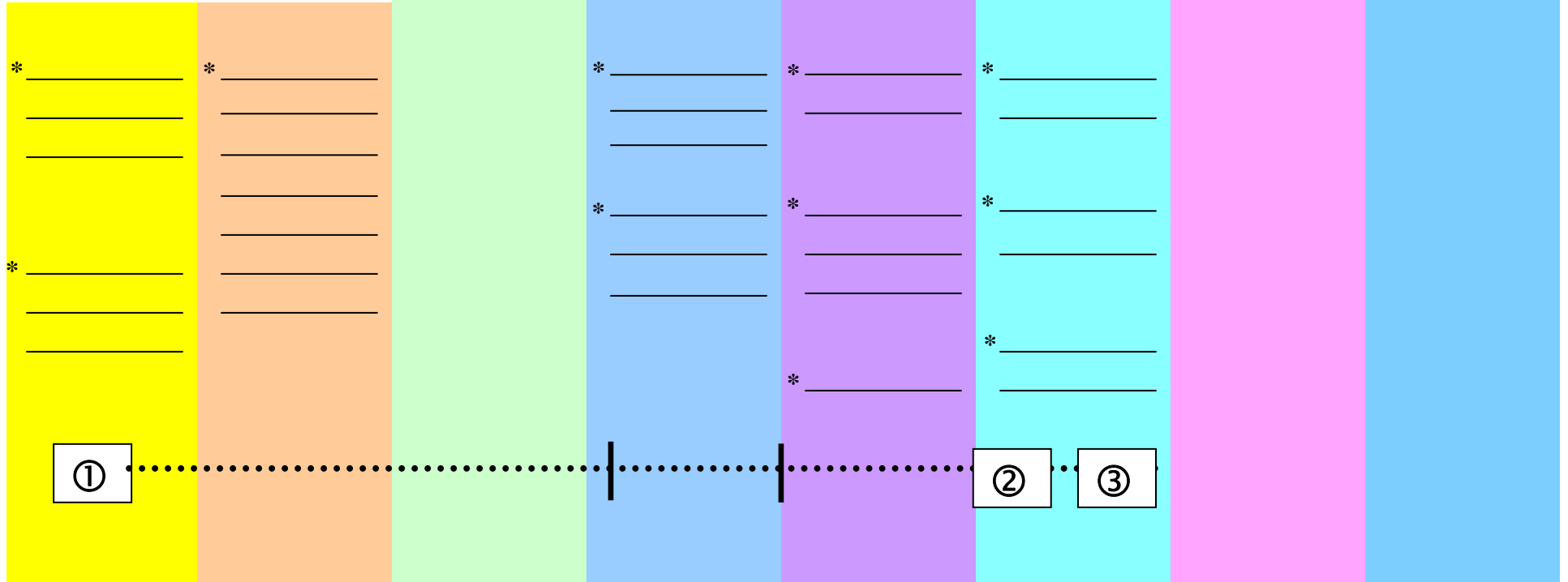


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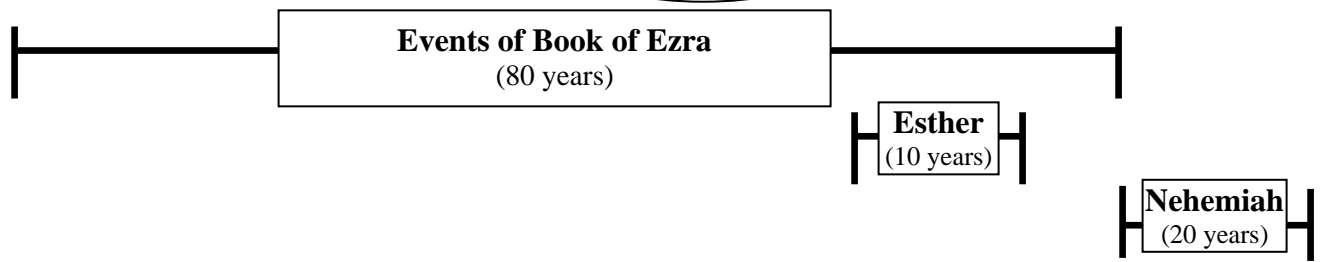
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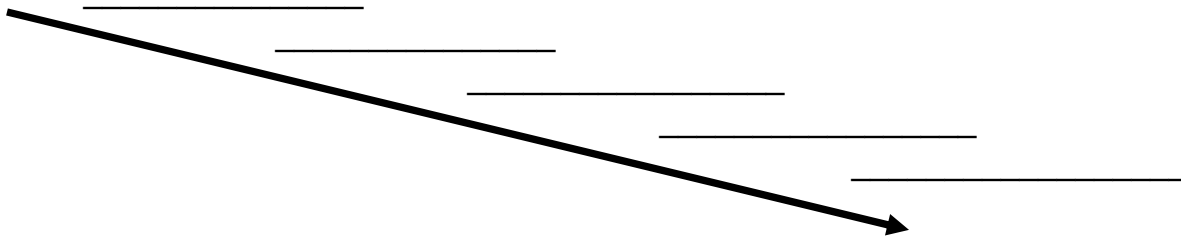
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ESTHER

The History of Dominating World Powers



The Events in the Book of Esther

- Chronologically, takes place between _____
- Records about _____ of history
- Took place about _____ before Ezra's return to Jerusalem
- Took place about _____ before Nehemiah's return to Jerusalem



ESTHER

- _____, from the tribe of Benjamin
- _____ and _____
- Raised by _____
- Obtained _____ in the sight of all
- _____ into the Persian king's _____
- Took the place of _____ as queen
- _____ than any other woman

MORDECAI

- Became as a _____ to Esther
- Held a _____ within the king's gate
- Saved _____ from death
- _____ to any other than the Lord
- Known as _____
- A true _____
- A man of _____
- Led by the _____

HAMAN

- An _____, _____ of the Jews
- A man of great _____
- A man of great _____
- A man of _____ greatness
- A great _____!

