

Incest with Bilhah cost Reuben his rights as firstborn.
- Genesis 35:22 & 49:3-4

On account of the slaughter of Shechem, Jacob tells his sons that their descendants are to be scattered in the Promised Land. Simeon eventually fades from Biblical history. - Gen. 49

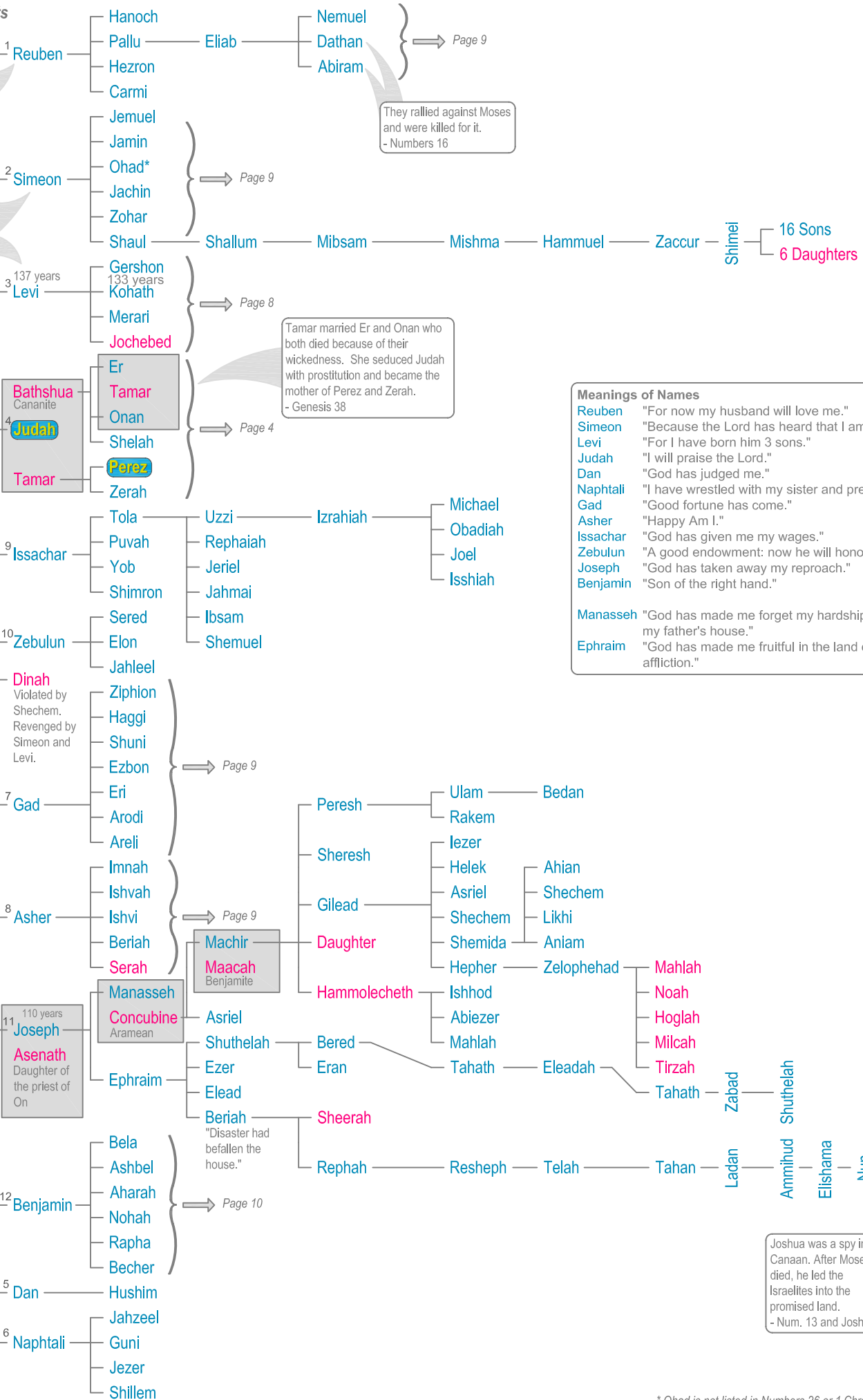
Leah
Unattractive and had weak eyes

Zilpah
Leah's servant

147 years
Jacob
God renamed him "Israel"

Rachel
Beautiful shepherdess

Bilhah
Rachel's servant



They rallied against Moses and were killed for it.
- Numbers 16

Tamar married Er and Onan who both died because of their wickedness. She seduced Judah with prostitution and became the mother of Perez and Zerach.
- Genesis 38

Meanings of Names	
Reuben	"For now my husband will love me."
Simeon	"Because the Lord has heard that I am hated."
Levi	"For I have born him 3 sons."
Judah	"I will praise the Lord."
Dan	"God has judged me."
Naphtali	"I have wrestled with my sister and prevailed."
Gad	"Good fortune has come."
Asher	"Happy Am I."
Issachar	"God has given me my wages."
Zebulun	"A good endowment: now he will honor me."
Joseph	"God has taken away my reproach."
Benjamin	"Son of the right hand."
Manasseh	"God has made me forget my hardship and all my father's house."
Ephraim	"God has made me fruitful in the land of my affliction."

Joshua was a spy in Canaan. After Moses died, he led the Israelites into the promised land.
- Num. 13 and Joshua

* Ohad is not listed in Numbers 26 or 1 Chronicles 4.