

# A Century of Captivity, Exile, and Restoration

609 BC

**2 Chron.**  
**35:24**

King Josiah  
killed in  
battle

605 BC

**Daniel 1:1**

1<sup>st</sup>  
deportation  
(Daniel)

597 BC

**2 Chron.**  
**36:6**

2<sup>nd</sup>  
deportation  
(Ezekiel)

586 BC

**2 Chron.**  
**36:19**

Temple  
destroyed; 3<sup>rd</sup>  
deportation

538 BC

**Ezra 1:1**

Cyrus  
decrees that  
Jews return

536 BC

**Ezra 3:8**

Foundation  
of temple  
laid

520 BC

**Ezra 4:24**

Rebuilding  
of temple  
restarted

516 BC

**Ezra 6:15**

Rebuilding  
of temple  
finished

