

## **Key People Groups**

Key people groups in the OT are (generally speaking):

*Dates (where given) are only approximate, and any overlap is only because of the approximations used.*

**Patriarchs**, (Genesis)

**Priests**, (Exodus-Deuteronomy)

**Moses** (Prophet, deliverer; about 1520BC to about 1400BC)

**Joshua** (Moses' servant; first mentioned about 1440BC, died about 1365BC)

**Judges**, (Judges; from Othniel, 137BC3, to Samuel, 1020BC)

**Prophets**, (Samuel, 1067BC was not the first, but a marked prophet after the majority of the Judges had passed on – he himself was a judge; then, we have the longer series of prophets that spoke to the tribes/kings starting with Ahijah to the northern kingdom in 931, and Shemaiah to the southern kingdom (also in 931BC), upto Malachi, about 415BC.

**Kings** (Saul, 1043BC to Hoshea of Israel, 722BC; Zedekiah of Judah, 586BC).

So, these are the key people groups, but note, none of them fulfill what Christ does!