Genesis 11:1-9 • The Origins of Babylon

1. God's "Phone Number": 593-5593

- a. "5": Gen., Ex., Lev., Num., Dt.—The books of the basic Law.
- b. "9": Josh., Jud., Ruth, 1 & 2 Sam., 1 & 2 Ki., 1 & 2 Chr.—
 The *Pre*-Babylonian books of history.
- c. "3": Ezra, Neh. & Esther—The *Post*-Babylonian books of history.
- d. "5": Job, Ps., Prov., Eccl. & SS—The books of wisdom dealing with the inner life.
- e. "5": Is., Jer., Lam., Eze. & Dan.—The books of the major prophets. Is. & Jer. Are *Pre*-Babylonian, Eze. & Dan. Are *Post*-Babylonian, and Lam. Is want went on *during* the deportation.
- f. "9": Hos., Joel, Amos, Oba., Jonah, Mic., Nah, Hab. & Zeph.—The *Pre*-Babylonian minor prophets.
- g. "3": Hag., Zech. & Mal.—The *Post*-Babylonian minor prophets.

	(v.1-2) Babylon is a system of		which
	integrates a false _		system in open
		to God which has	at its core an
		figure who deman	ds to be worshiped in
	place of the		
	(v.3-4) Babylon is characterized by replacing God's		
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	(v.5-9) Babylon is characterized by a conscious desire to		
	against and thwart God's will and ways but		
	for which the of God is inescapable. Every		
	iteration of Babylon in Scripture from Genesis to Revelation		
	ends on the wrong	side of God's	