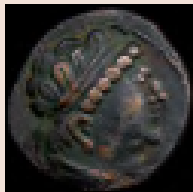


Persian Kings in the Bible

NAME	B.C. DATE	PERSIAN NAME	BIBLE NAME	BIBLE REFERENCE
Cyrus	539-530	Koorush	Cyrus	Isaiah 45, Daniel Ezra 1-3
Cambysses	530-521	Cambujieh	Ahasruerus	Ezra 4-6
Pseudo Smerdis	521	Berooyeh Doroughi	Artaxerxes	Ezra 4:7-23
Darius the Great	521-486	Darryoosh	Darius	Ezra 5-6
Xerxes	486-465	Khashayarshah	Ahasurerus	Esther 1-10
Artixerxes	464-423	Ardeshier Dernaz Dast	Artaxerxes	Neh. 1-13 Ezra 7:10



“I am Cyrus. King of the world. When I entered Babylon...I did not allow anyone to terrorize land...I kept in view the needs of Babylon and all its sanctuaries to promote the well-being...I put an end to their misfortune.”

Cyrus Charter of Human Rights