

	July	Tammuz								Du'uzu	NEBUCHADNEZZAR			SCYTHIANS	
	August	Ab								Abu	Acc.			8	
	September	Elul								Ululu	Enthronement of Nebuchadnezzar				
	October	Ethanim								Tesritu					
	November	Bul								Arahsamnu					
	December	Chislev								Kislimu	Babylonian Chronicle: "In his accession year Nebuchadnezzar returned to Hattu... In the month Shebat he took the vast booty of Hattu to Babylon" (A.B.C. p.100).				
604	January	Tebeth								Tebetu					
	February	Shebat								Shabatu					
	March	Adar								Addaru					
	April	Abib	CYARAXES							Nisannu	NEBUCHADNEZZAR	A-g. 46	4.k. 22	EGYPT	
	May	Ziv	10							Ajaru					
	June	Sivan								Simanu	Babylonian Chronicle: "In the month Sivan (Nebuchadnezzar)... marched to Hattu... and he received their vast tribute" (A.B.C. p.100).				
	July	Tammuz								Du'uzu				SCYTHIANS	
	August	Ab								Abu				9	
	September	Elul								Ululu					
	October	Ethanim								Tesritu					
	November	Bul								Arahsamnu					
	December	Chislev								Kislimu	Babylonian Chronicle: "in the month Kislev Nebuchadnezzar captured Ashkelon." ----- "In the month Shebat he...returned to Babylon" (A.B.C. p.100).				
603	January	Tebeth								Tebetu					
	February	Shebat								Shabatu					
	March	Adar								Addaru					
	April	Abib	CYARAXES							Nisannu	NEBUCHADNEZZAR	A-g. 47	4.k. 23	EGYPT	
	May	Ziv	11							Ajaru	Babylonian Chronicle: "In the month Iyyar(Ajaru) (Nebuchadnezzar) ... marched (again) to Hattu" (A.B.C. p.100).				
	June	Sivan								Simanu					
	July	Tammuz								Du'uzu				SCYTHIANS	
	August	Ab								Abu				10	

Last of the 23 years of Jeremiah's warnings

After 23 years of Jeremiah's warnings, "The word that came to (him)...in the *fourth (anniversary) year* of Jehoiakim...(in) the first year of Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon" (Jeremiah 25:1,3) was that: "Because ye have not heard my words... I (Yahweh) will send...Nebuchadnezzar the king of Babylon, my servant...against this land...and against all these nations round about... And this whole land shall be a desolation...and these nations shall serve the king of Babylon seventy years" (verses 8, 9,11).

With Babylon having already subjugated Assyria and certain nations in Hattu (north of Judah) some 5 years prior to the last year of warnings, the figure of 70 years pronounced must have had its commencement when Babylon first began its ascendancy before its eventual rulership over all nations in 609 B.C., such having begun while Jeremiah was still warning Judah, that is, prior to the end of his 23 years of warnings which ended in 604 B.C.

Sequence of events of Daniel 2:1

The second chapter of Daniel begins with the statement, "In the second year of the reign of Nebuchadnezzar (he) dreamed dreams", such dreams being commonly taken to have occurred in the year after he besieged Jerusalem and took Daniel and others away to Babylon. In this same second year it also appears that Daniel was of a mature age when he interpreted the king's dream (verse 24).

However a conflict appears from other accounts which indicate Daniel was not taken to Babylon in Nebuchadnezzar's second year nor could have been at any time before his seventh, such being the year he besieged Jerusalem (for the first time) and took many captives (2 Kings 24:14), Daniel being among the "(educated) children" of royal lineage chosen to be instructed in the learning of the Chaldeans