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PREFACE

The Israelite descent to and exodus from Egypt and the subsequent conquest of Palestine is surrounded by a series of complex and interrelated questions and problems. These stem from the nature of the biblical sources, the evidence of extra-biblical and archaeological material, and the uncertainty pervading the chronological material. This study addresses itself to the primary question of the participants in the Egyptian exodus and Palestinian conquest. Consequently, the problems of chronology, archaeology, *etc.* will be considered only as they bear upon the problem at hand.

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ABBREVIATIONS

<i>AASOR</i>	<i>Annual of the American Schools of Oriental Research.</i>
<i>AJSL</i>	<i>American Journal of Semitic Languages and Literature.</i>
<i>APAW</i>	<i>Abhandlungen der preussischen Akademie der Wissenschaften.</i>
<i>BA</i>	<i>The Biblical Archaeologist.</i>
<i>BASOR</i>	<i>Bulletin of the American Schools of Oriental Research.</i>
<i>BEHJ</i>	<i>Bulletin des études historiques juives,</i>
<i>BJRL</i>	<i>Bulletin of the John Rylands Library.</i>
<i>ET</i>	<i>Expository Times</i>
<i>HUCA</i>	<i>Hebrew Union college Annual.</i>
<i>JAOS</i>	<i>Journal of the American Oriental Society.</i>
<i>JBL</i>	<i>Journal of Biblical Literature.</i>
<i>JNES</i>	<i>Journal of Near Eastern Studies</i>
<i>JPOS</i>	<i>Journal of the Palestine Oriental Society.</i>
<i>PEFQS</i>	<i>Quarterly Statement of the Palestine Exploration Fund.</i>
<i>PEQ</i>	<i>Palestine Exploration Quarterly.</i>

- PJB* *Palastinajahrbuch des deutschen evangelischen Instituts für Altertumswissenschaft des Heiligen Landes zu Jerusalem.*
- RB* *Revue Biblique.*
- RHR* *Revue de l'histoire des religions.*
- ZAW* *Zeitschrift für die alttestamentliche Wissenschaft.*