**12TH ERA (1950 – 1901 BC): 12TH SIGN LEO “DEFENDER OF POOR ROARS”**

**STAR PROPHECY**

- **Leo** contains many bright stars:
  - **Regulus**: “Treading Under Foot”
  - **Denbola**: “Judge Who Comes”
  - **El Gibbor**: “Mighty Warrior is God”

- **Leo** is positioned directly above the Serpent **Hydra**, to whom we have assigned the spiritual meaning: “Harlot: Pagan Princess”.

- **Leo** signifies the appearance of a Mighty Warrior to vanquish wickedness and depravities that paganism (Hydra) has foisted on the Earth.

- **Leo** is an unclean animal, a big cat with claws. He is not Defender of the Faith: He is Defender of Poor. *(Just as the male lion is keeper of the cubs while the female lions are hunting)*.

- **Leo** may be an unrighteous nation used by God to punish sinning once-righteous nations. God holds the people who use his name to a high standard. After warnings and repeated rebellion, God releases Leo, the Judge Who Comes. *(See Habbakuk’s Complaint: Hab. 1 (especially v 8))*

**HISTORICAL EVENTS**

Here is the lesson the sons of **Jacob** will never learn: living in the Promised Land is a privilege not a right.

- In 1963 BC Joseph was born. **Jacob** decided to return to Canaan. He tarried six years to earn a flock. In 1957 BC **Jacob** returned: but his wives & children had been raised in pagan Syria and behaved like heathen.

- In Canaan **Jacob’s family** did many immoral and illegal things *(for which Jacob as head of the family was responsible)*: (a) Stole idols [Rachel] (b) Broke Treaty w. Shechem; (c) Slaughtered defenceless men of Shechem (d) Hid foreign gods under a tree; (e) incest; (g) threatened Joseph’s life; (h) sold Joseph into slavery; (i) married Canaanite women; etc. etc.

- **Jacob**’s family behaved so terribly his reputation in Canaan was tarnished for countless generations.

- Meanwhile, the **LORD** [Defender of Poor] rescued **Joseph** and lifted him up from the ash heap. The **LORD** also sent a famine which chased Jacob’s family out of Canaan into the waiting claws of **Joseph**.

- 1924 BC **Flight to Egypt**: no more altars to Jehovah! Out of Promised Land you reprobate hypocrites!

- 1907 BC **Jacob dies in Egypt**: embalmed by Joseph