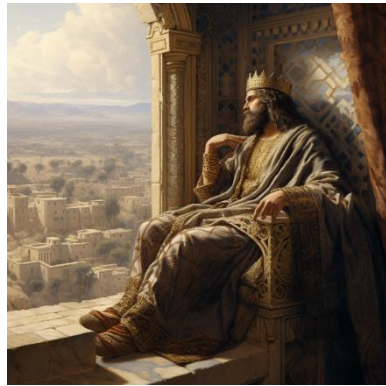


The Book of Enoch - discovered in the distant land of Ethiopia?

Originating from antiquity, it traversed the annals of time, finding its way to the heart of Africa and into war-torn Ethiopia, where it remained concealed for centuries.

As the tale goes, Queen of Sheba traveled to Jerusalem, intrigued by the extreme wealth & profound wisdom of King Solomon – the son



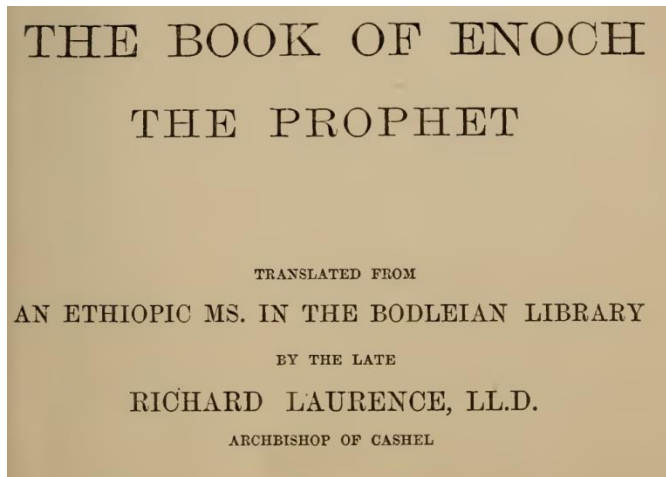
of King David. They admired one another and when she embarked on the journey back to her homeland, among the

gifts from King Solomon's court was the very precious Book of Enoch.



Ethiopian tradition asserts that the Queen of Sheba returned to her land carrying not only the

knowledge of Solomon's kingdom but also a deeper understanding of the cosmos, the Watchers, and the Nephilim, all of which are contained in the Book of Enoch, a book that became an integral part of the Ethiopian spirituality and culture.



The translation of the Book of Enoch from ancient Ethiopic-MS to English by Richard Laurence, LL.D., Archbishop of Cashel, marked a pivotal moment in the quest for understanding of this ancient knowledge. Scholars and enthusiasts alike have marveled at the revelations, which lent credence to the ancient myths and religious tales about larger-than-life beings; about the Watchers and about the Nephilim.

THE BOOK OF ENOCH.

CHAP. I.

1. THE word of the blessing of Enoch, how he blessed the elect and the righteous, who were to exist in the time of trouble; rejecting¹ all the wicked and ungodly. Enoch, a righteous man, who *was* with God, answered and spoke, while his eyes were open, and *while* he saw a holy vision in the heavens.² This the angels showed me.

2. From them I heard all things, and understood what I saw; that which will not take place in this generation, but in a generation which is to succeed at a distant period, on account of the elect.

3. Upon their account I spoke and conversed with him, who will go forth from his habitation, the Holy and Mighty One, the God of the world :

¹ *to the rejection of.* N.B. The Italic words in the text supply an ellipsis. In the notes they are used to mark the literal sense.

² *which was in the heavens.*

Let us go on this journey together,
and uncover hidden truths.