Epistle of Jude—Handout #3

Provenance

What is “provenance”?

What clues are there to the provenance of the epistle of Jude?

1. 

2. 

3.
Destination

To what type of Christian community?

Date

Terminus ante quem

Terminus a quo
**STRUCTURAL OUTLINE OF THE EPISTLE OF JUDE**

Introduction-Opening
Greeting and Benediction (1-2)

Beloved+Faith (as delivered in the content of the gospel of faith, 3)

False Teachers (4)  Apostates

*Redemptive-Historical Sandwich (5-16)*

**Section I** (5-10)

*Begin with Exodus under Moses; Ends with Death of Moses*

3 OT examples (5-7)

Character (8)

Michael, Archangel, Moses, Devil, Lord (9)

Character (10)

**Section II** (11-16)

*Begin with the First from Adam; Ends with the Seventh from Adam*

3 OT examples (11)

Character (12-13)

Enoch, Adam, Holy Ones/Angels, Ungodly, Lord (14-15)

Character (16)

True Teachers (17-18)  Apostles

Beloved+Faith (as possessed and active in prayer, love, patience, mercy, 20-23)

Conclusion-Closing
Farewell and Doxology (24-25)