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- P. 159 For outlines of the contents of J Guthrie recommends B. W. Anderson's Understanding the O.T., J.A. Bewer's The Literature of the O.T., and Gottwald's A Light to the Nations. Guthrie says, "The present writer would hold that J carried the narrative through the conquest and the founding of the kingdom, incorporating the "early source" of the books of Samuel as its conclusion.
- 6.2 p. 159 "Scholars are not agreed on the question of how far J continued his narrative."

 See N. H. Snaith in <u>The Old Testament and Modern Study</u> (ed. Rowley), pp. 84-105
 - p. 159 For a summary of various theories about strata within J itself as well as a "two edition" view of J in which the final writer would be definitely indebted to his predecessors, cf. C. A. Simpson in <u>Interpreter's Bible</u>, v.1, pp. 190-196 and <u>Revelation and Response in the Old Testament</u>, pp. 94-110.
 - p. 160 The present writer would hold that E, like J, continues into the historical books and that the "late source" of the books of Samuel as well as a good deal of the material in the books of the Kings is connected with E. Cf. Snaith in The Old Testament and Modern Study (ed. Rowley), pp. 84-105, for a survey of opinions.