

## *Chronology*

Some dates are conventional, but will serve for general orientation.

### Syà Dynasty [Mythical]

#### Shāng (or Yīn) Dynasty, 01766-01123

- 01320 Wǔ Dīng (conquest by Aryan invaders; introduction of writing)  
01154 Jòu Syín (bad last ruler; r 01154-01122)

#### Jōu Dynasrty, 01122-0771

- 01122 Battle of Mù-yě; Jōu Wǔ-Wáng conquers Shāng  
0781 Jōu Yōu-wáng (bad last woman story, r 0781-0771)  
0771 Jōu destroyed by unknown tribes; end of Jōu dynasty proper

Post-Jōu Period (wrongly called "Eastern Jōu")

#### Spring and Autumn (better name for the period)

- 0770 Jōu Píng-wáng (r 0770-0720) relocates to Eastern Capital at Lwò-yáng  
[These 46 years, 0769-0723, are a blank; there is no record of events]  
0722 Spring and Autumn Chronicle (CC) begun in Lǚ  
**Lǚ Yǐn-gūng** (r 0722-0712)  
07 **Lǚ Hwán-gūng** (r 0700-0694)  
07 **Lǚ Jwāng-gūng** (r 0693-0662)  
**Lǚ Mǐn-gūng** (r 0661-0660)  
**Lǚ Syī-gūng** (r 0659-0627)  
0684 1st Solidary Covenant 同盟  
0656 Chí Hwán-gūng leads invasion of Chǔ  
0632 Jìn Wǎn-gūng defeats Chǔ at Battle of Chǎng-pú  
**Lǚ Wǎn-gūng** (r 0627-0609)