

THE AMORAIM

(all dates are C.E.)

1st Generation, ca. 220-260

Palestine

Hama bar Bisha
Hanina (bar Hama)
Yannai ("the Elder")
Judah bar Pedaiah
Oshaya Rabbah
Judah Nesiah II
Joshua ben Levi
Zabdai ben Levi
Jonathan ben Eleazar

Babylonia

Shela
Abba bar Abba (father of Samuel)
Zeira the Elder
Karna
Mar Ukba I
Samuel bar Abba (Yartinaah)
Rab (Abba Arikha)
Rabbah bar Hana
Assi

2nd Generation, ca. 260-290

Palestine

Kahana
Yohanan bar Nappaha
Simeon ben Lakish
Hilfa
Isaac ben Eleazar
Alexandri
Simlai
Hiyya bar Joseph
Yose ben Hanina
Measha
Mami I
Tanqum bar Hanilai

Babylonia

Mar Ukba II
Huna
Judah bar Ezekiel
Adda bar Ahavah
Rabbah bar Avuha
Matnah
Jeremiah bar Abba

3rd Generation, ca. 290-320

Palestine

Samuel bar Nahman
Isaac Nappaha
Eleazar ben Pedat
Abbahu
Ammi (ben Nathan)
Assi
Judah Nesiah III
Hiyya II bar Abba
Simeon bar Abba
Zeira
Samuel bar Isaac
Hela
Abba bar Memel
Abba bar Kahana
Hanina bar Pappai
Aha bar Hanina
Tanqum bar Hiyya

Babylonia

Huna bar Hiyya
Hisda
Ulla bar Ishmael
Hammuna
Sheshet
Rabbah bar Huna
Nahman bar Jacob
Rami bar Abba
Rabbah bar bar Hana
Rabbah bar Nahmani
Joseph bar Hiyya

4th Generation, ca. 320-350

Palestine

Jeremiah
Helbo
Aha of Lydda
Abin I
Hanan of Sepphoris
Yudan
Huna bar Abin
Judah bar Simon
Joshua bar Nehemiah
Hanina ben Abbahu
Ahavah ben Zeira
Pinhas bar Hama
Dimi
Aibu

Babylonia

Aha bar Jacob
Rabbah bar Shela
Abba bar Ulla
Rami bar Hama
Idi bar Abin
Abaye
Rava
Adda II bar Ahavah
Nahman bar Isaac

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Palestine

Yonah
Yose bar Zavda (Zevida)
Judah Hanasi IV
Berekhiah Ha-Kohen
Yose bar Abin

Babylonia

Papa bar Hanan
Bivai bar Abaye
Hama of Nehardea
Dimi of Nehardea

5th Generation, ca. 350-400