# Zara Yaqob (1434-1468)

- Dawit Youngest Son, Zara Yaqob, declared emperor in 1434.
- Zara Yaqob was the greatest ruler and patron of the church among the kings of the Solomonic Dynasty.
- He is known to be crowned in Axum and in doing this; he sought to invest the Monarchy with all the religious and political symbols of Ancient Axum.

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- Zara Yacob born in 1391.
- Abune Philipos Ze Debre Bizen forecasted to Etege Egzi kebra she will born the son and he crowned.
- Zara Yacob teaches and spent his childhood time with Abba Yestinos in Debre Bizen monastery and surroundings.
- During the time he gained clear

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- Prof. Getachew belived that Estifanos and his disciples were raised a new Idea.
- He also believed the new idea is defeated by the previous one.
- Estifanos and the disciples raised 30 years where Martin Luther was found reformation on catholic church.
- Prof. Mesfin W/mariam said the era of Estifanos indicates practice of thinking

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- Prof. Getachew belived that Estifanos and his disciples were the 15th century revival, renewal and reformation thinkers.
- Their conduct were praying, quiet and celibacy life.
- They didn't prayed for St. Mary & the holy cross and also other saints.
- Their thought also found during Atse Yagba Tsion in Tigri (1278-1286).

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- Estifanos and his disciples was raised during Atse Yishak (1406-1421).

Zara Yaqob's Religious and Moral Codes

- Fixed numerous feast days and fasting periods
- ordered priests to teach the creeds and Ten commandments to the people
- Denounced sorcerers and any act of sorcery

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- Declared everyone should worship God alone and honour Holy virgin Mary Mother of the creator and the cross
- Ordered to install a cross in the direction of a faraway church
- Decreed that Saturday must be observed with that of Sunday
- Ordered – every Christian should go to the nearest church

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- Every Christian had to have his own Father confessor, without whose recommendation participation of the Holy communion was forbidden
- Encouraged the establishments of a Mini-Library in every church.
- በድላይን በ1438 ያሸነፈበትን ታሪክ ከተዓምረ ማርያምና ተዓምረ ጊዮርጊስ አስገብቶታል።

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Heresies during Zara Yacob were

- Debate b/n Bete Ewostatewos & Bete T/Haimanot
- Estifanos and his disciples
- Ze Mikaleyaweyan Gemaliyal (አምላክ መንፈስ እንጂ እንደ ፍጡር መልክ የለውም)
- Againist Debre Tsion
- Desk
- Dino
- Bitu

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1. መጽሐፈ ብርሃን (ስለ ልዩ ልዩ የቤተ ክርስቲያን ጉዳዮች 121 አርዕስት አለው)
2. መጽሐፈ ሚላድ (ስለ ወልድ መወለድ)
3. መጽሐፈ ሥላሴ (ስለ ሥላሴ)
4. ተዓቅቦ ምስጢር (ስለ ቅዱስ ቁርባን ጥንቃቄው፣ ስለ ሜሮን)
5. ቀዳሚት የሚነበብ ድርሳን
6. በዮሐንስ ወንጌላዊ እለት የሚነበብ ድርሳን
7. ጠማረ ትስብዕት (ስለ ሰውነት፣ ደስክና ዲኖን ያወገዘበት፣ የወንጌላውያን እና ሐዋርያት በዓል ሲከበር የሚነበብ)
8. እግዚአብሔር ነግሠ (ዓድቃንን ማመስገኛ መዝሙር)
9. ስብሐተ ፍቁር (የምሕላ ጸሎት)

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1. ድርሳነ መላዕክት
2. ተዓምረ ማርያም
3. ራዕየ ተዓምር
4. መጽሐፈ ባህርይ
5. ድርሳን ወገድል ዘያሬድ
6. ገድለ ዮስጢኖስ