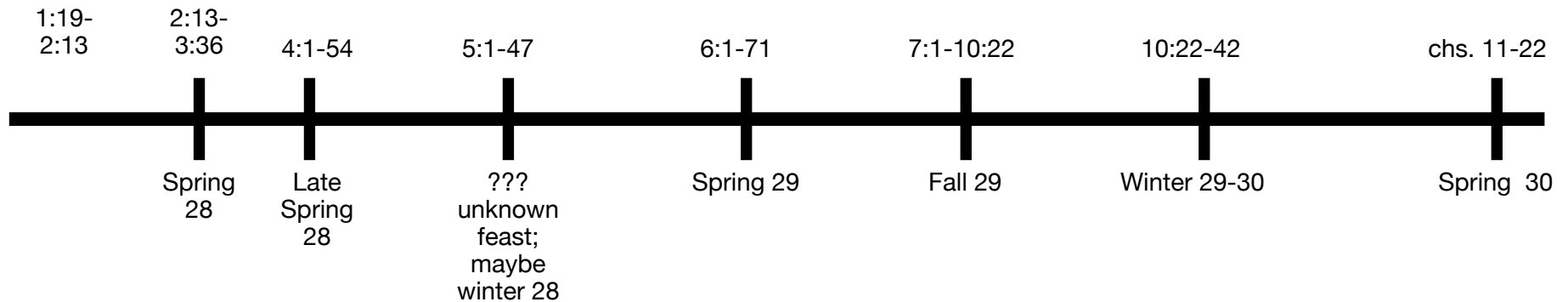


Timeline of the Events of Jesus' Life in the Gospel of John

John focuses his story of Jesus on just a few snapshots that take place over about 2½ - 3 years. In fact, John is so selective that all told he only covers a few events from a handful of weeks (about 6-8!) of that three year period. I place the date of the crucifixion in A.D. 30 (though some place in A.D.33). Below is a timeline showing how little of Jesus' life is actually covered in the John's Gospel.



To be fair, we don't know exact dates or if John has put some events out of order. But what I think is important to see is just how small a part of Jesus' life during these years is even covered. A few events from a week here. Something that happened on a day there. So all told John only recounts a small handful of days from roughly three years of Jesus' life!