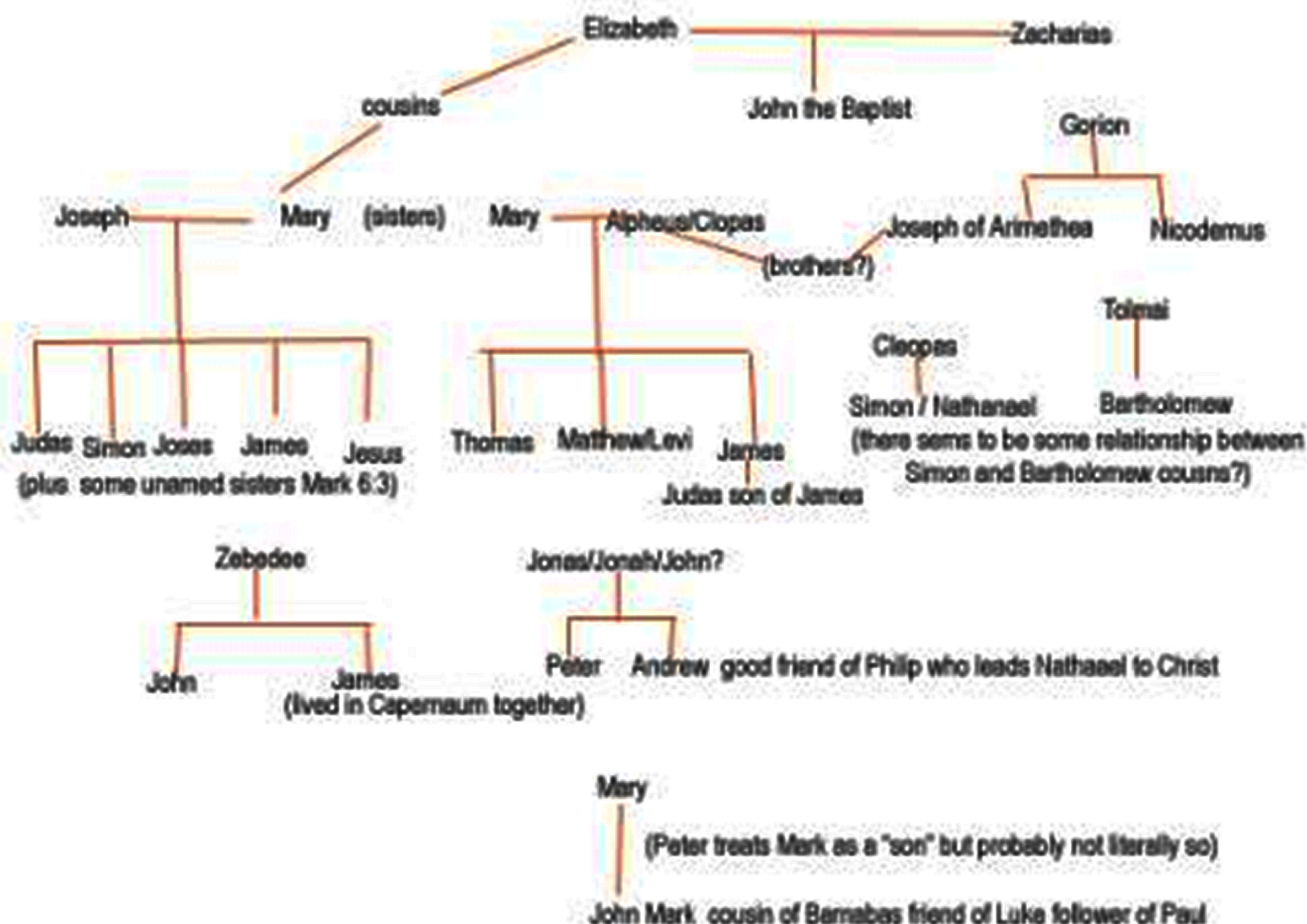


Relationships Among Gospel Characters



This chart is not "gospel" and there are areas that are contested, some people have two names (when this is so I use a slash / to separate the names) and quite a few are called James, Judas or Simon after popular Maccabean revolutionaries.

Judas Iscariot is related to no-one else among the disciples but may have been a nephew of Annas or Caiaphas the High Priests. James the brother of John is executed, James the brother of Jesus takes over the Jerusalem Church and founds the Ebionites.

Sources: International Standard Bible Encyclopedia, Easton's Bible Dictionary, Josephus: Wars of the Jews, Gill Commentary On The Bible