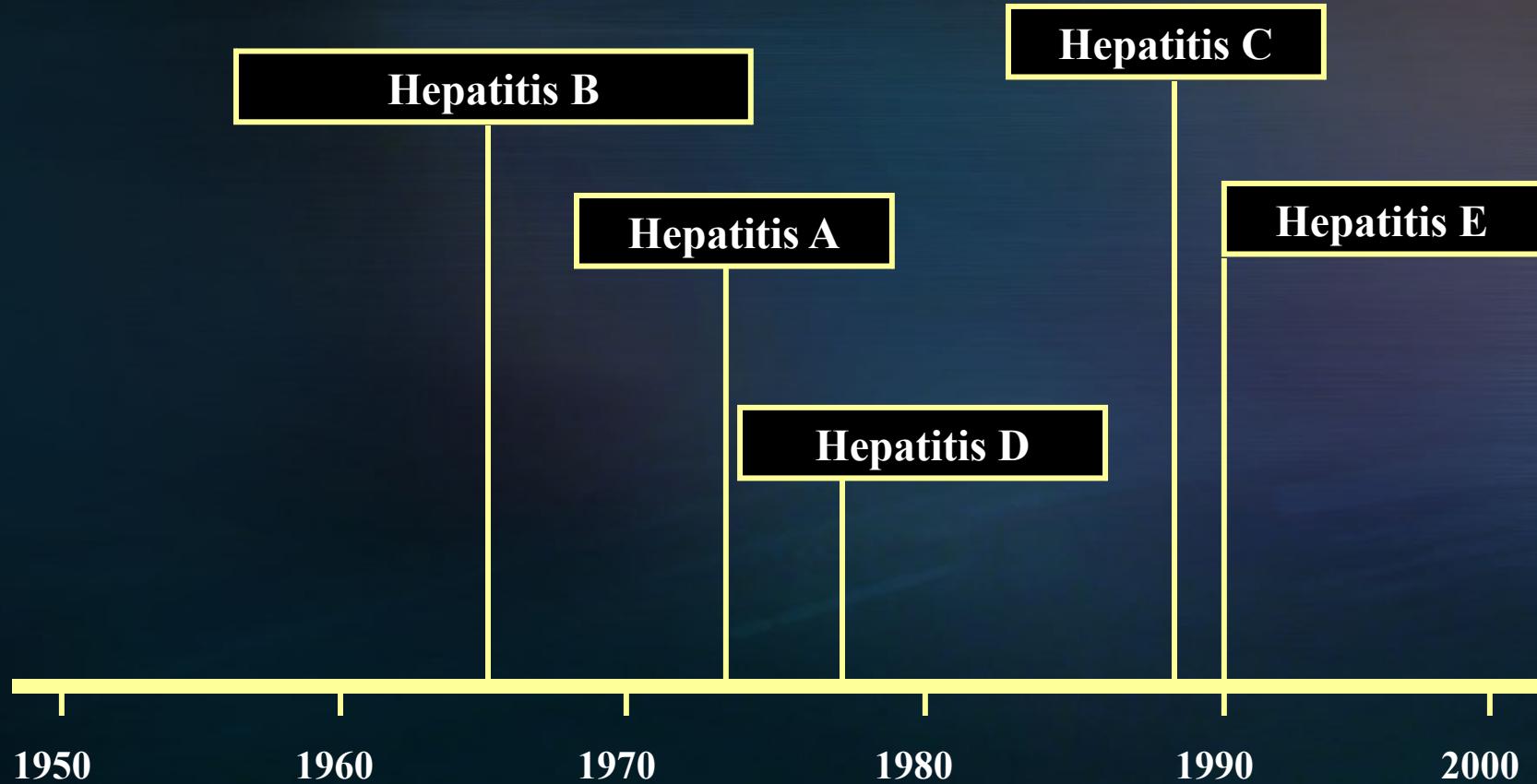


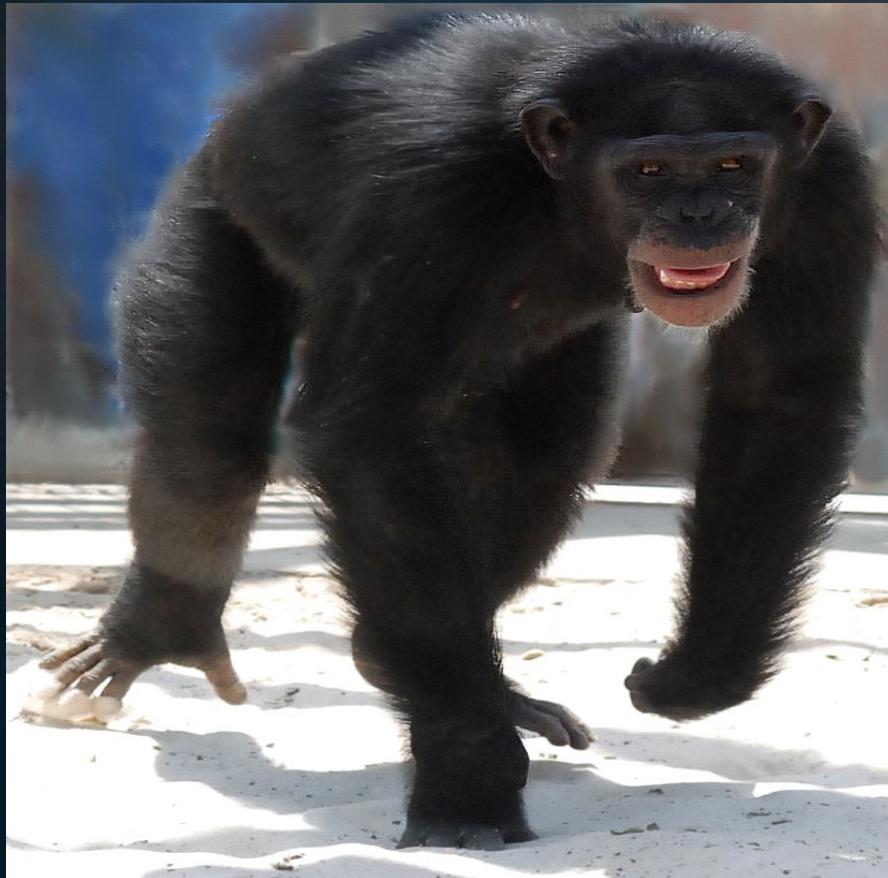
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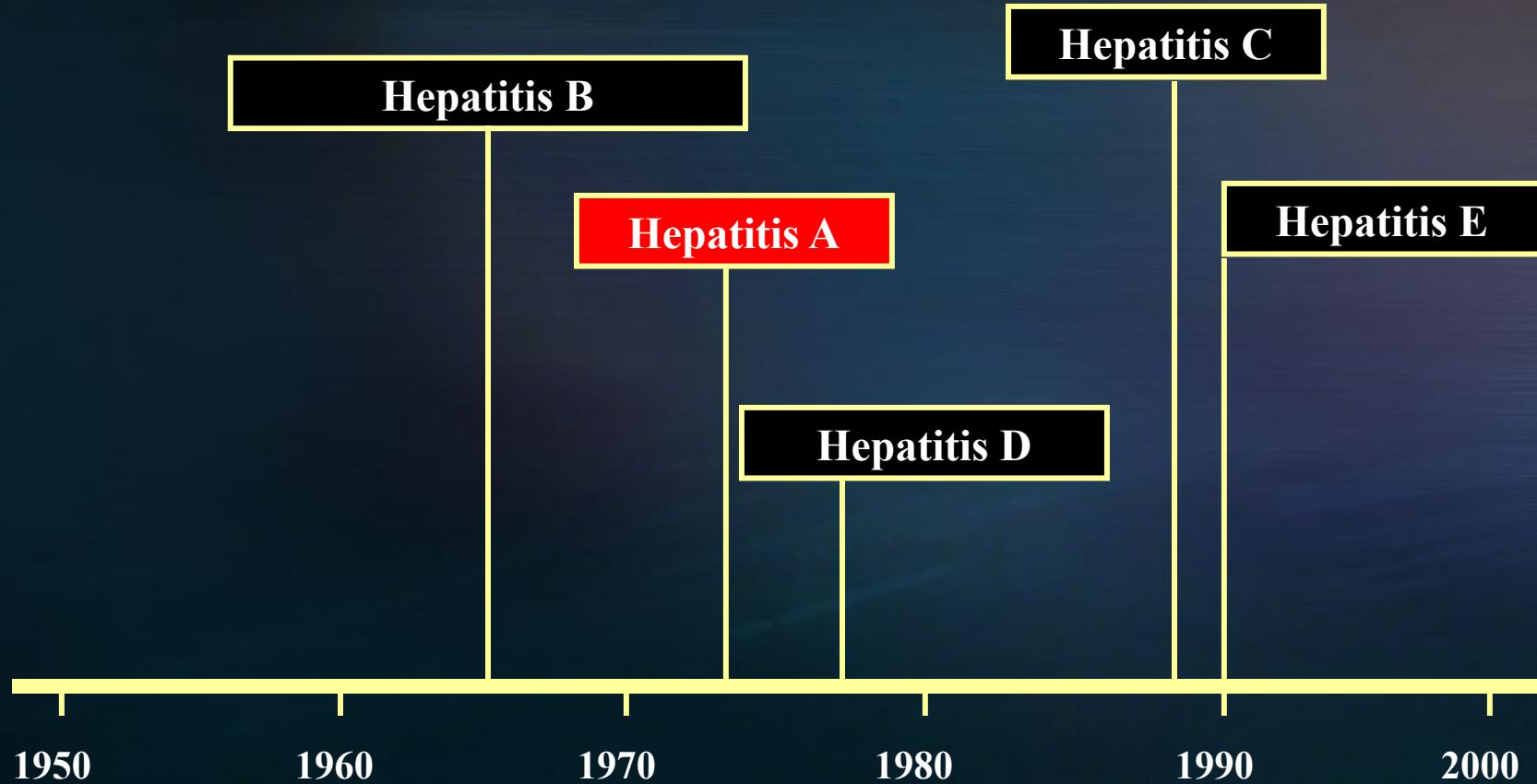
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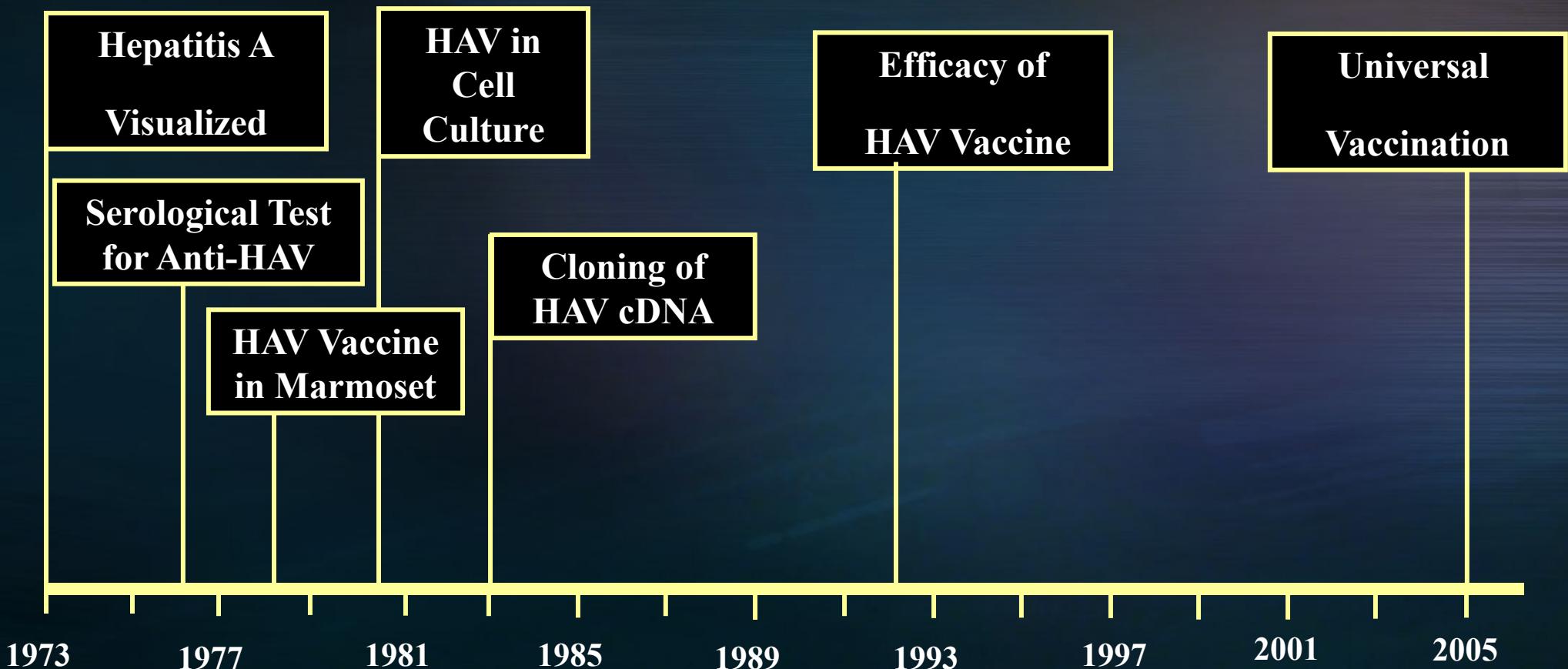
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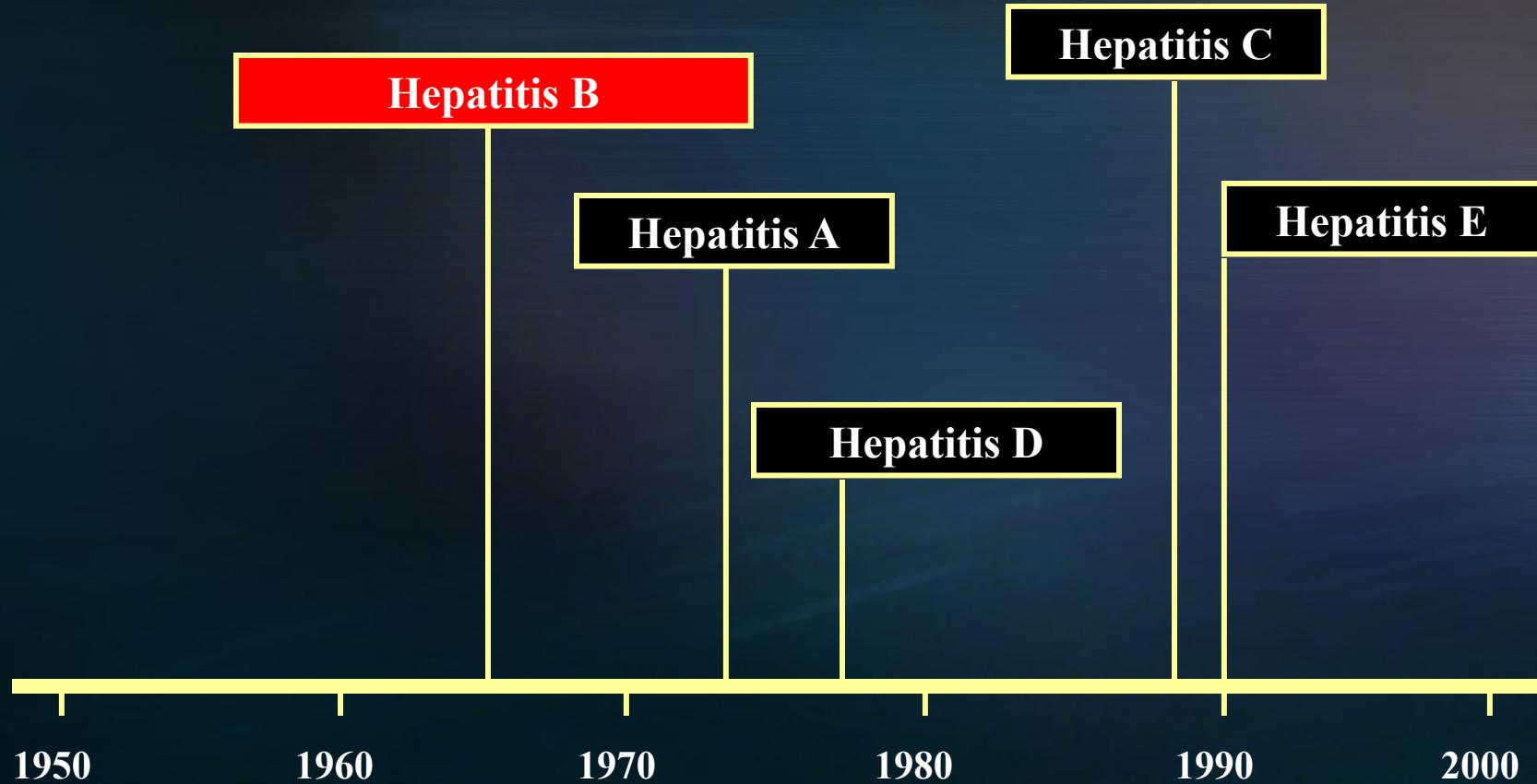
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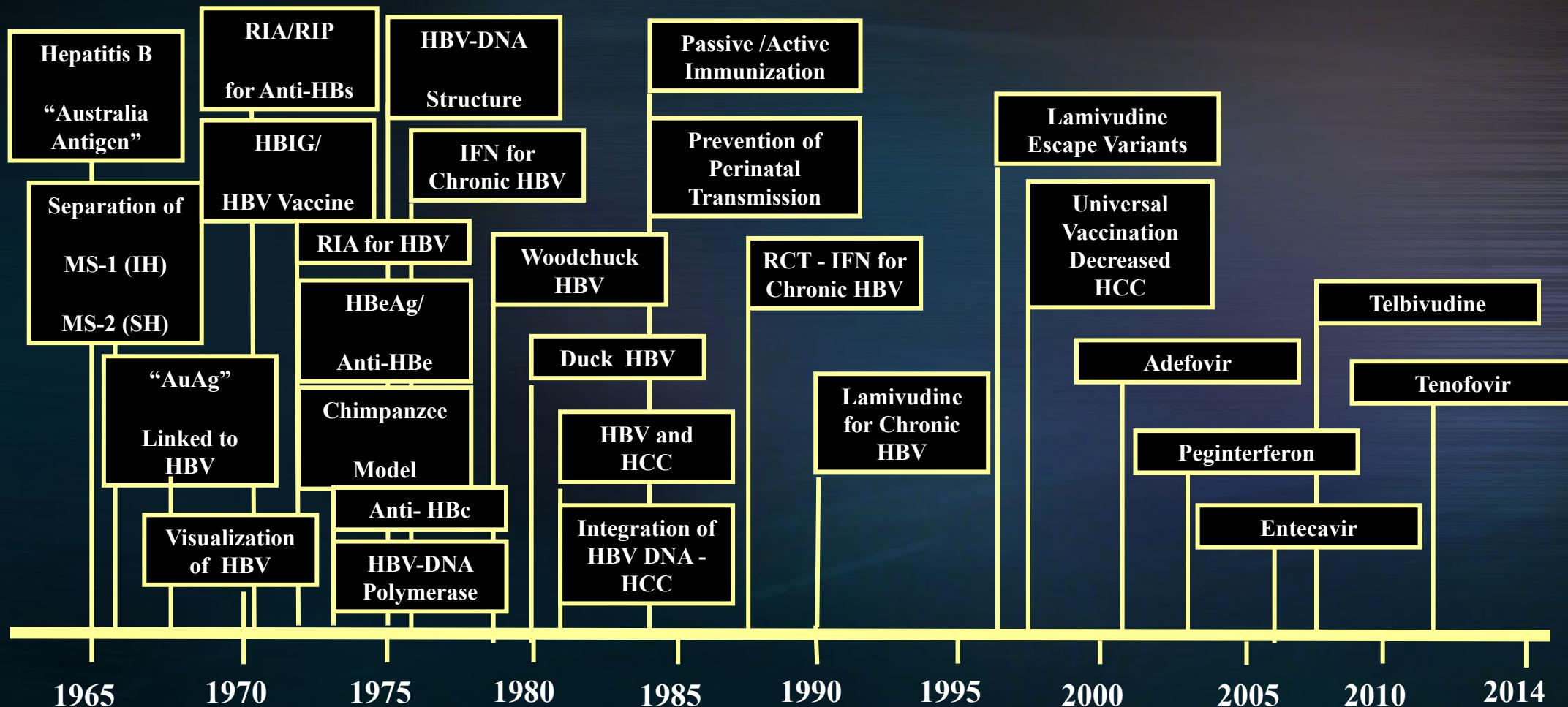
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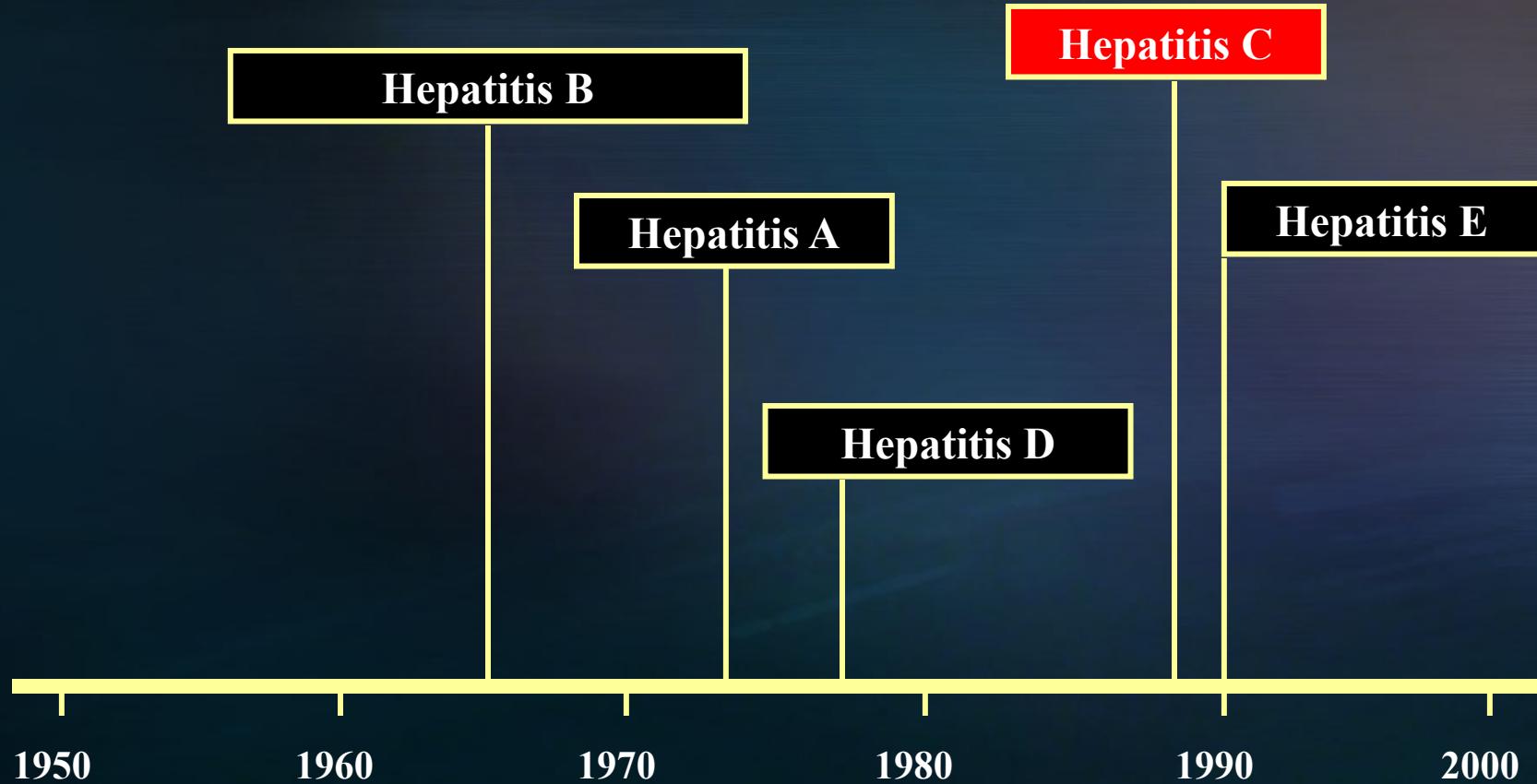
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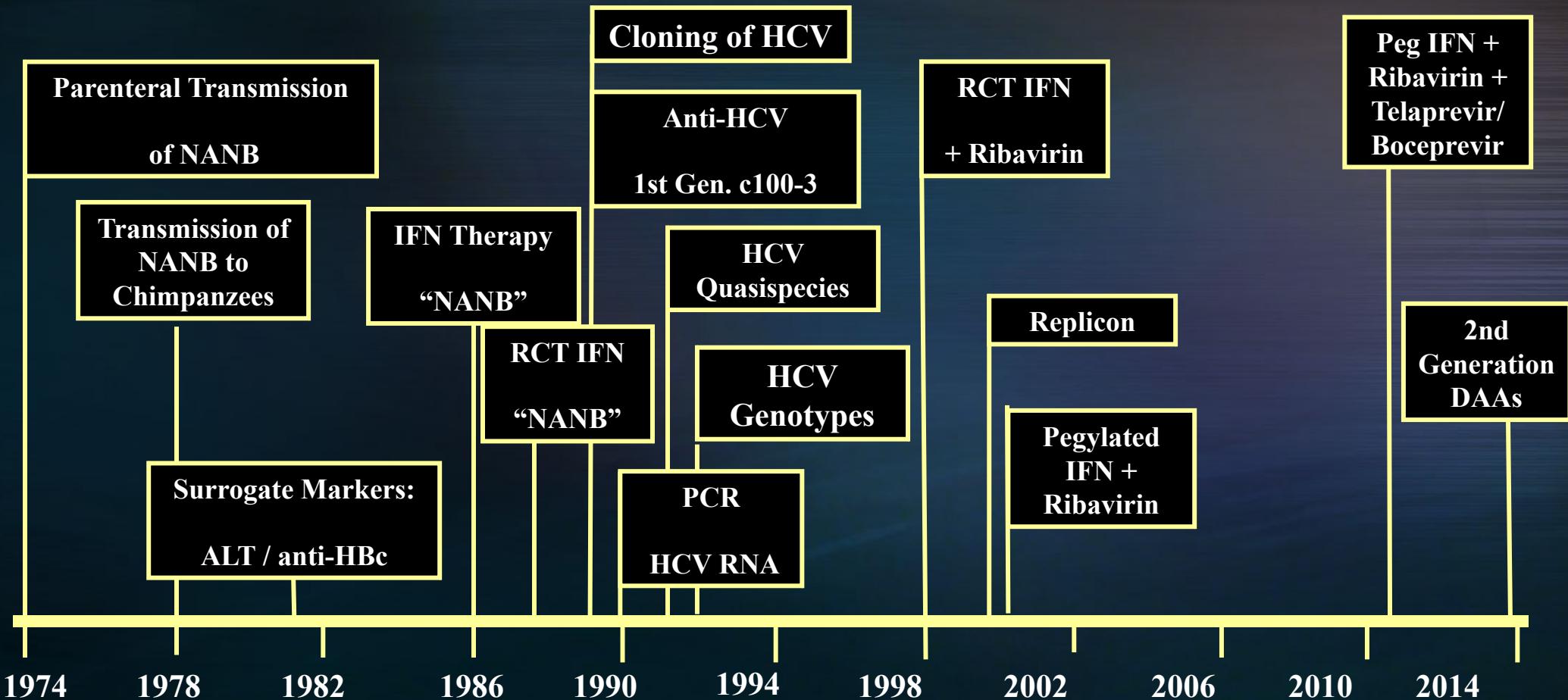
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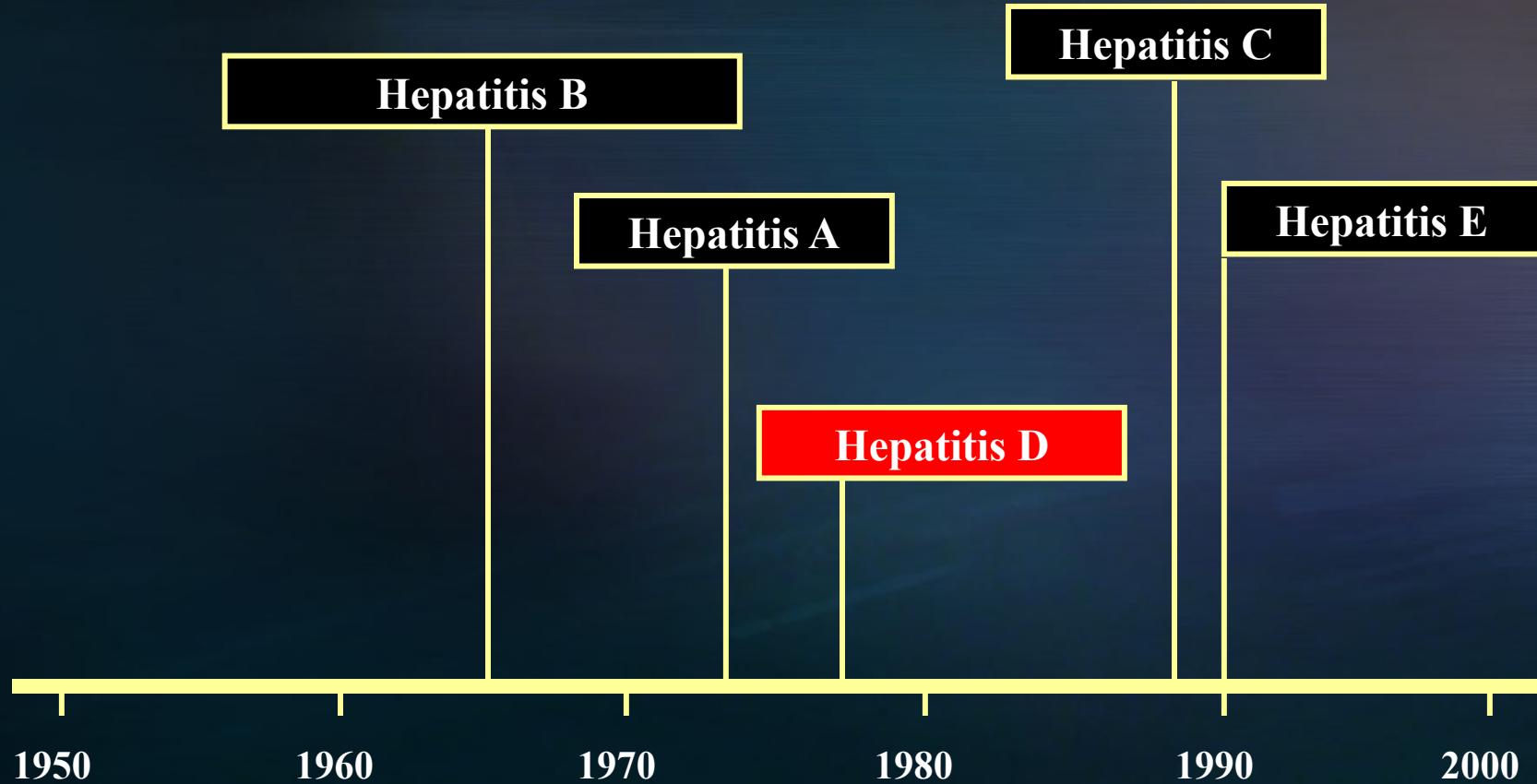
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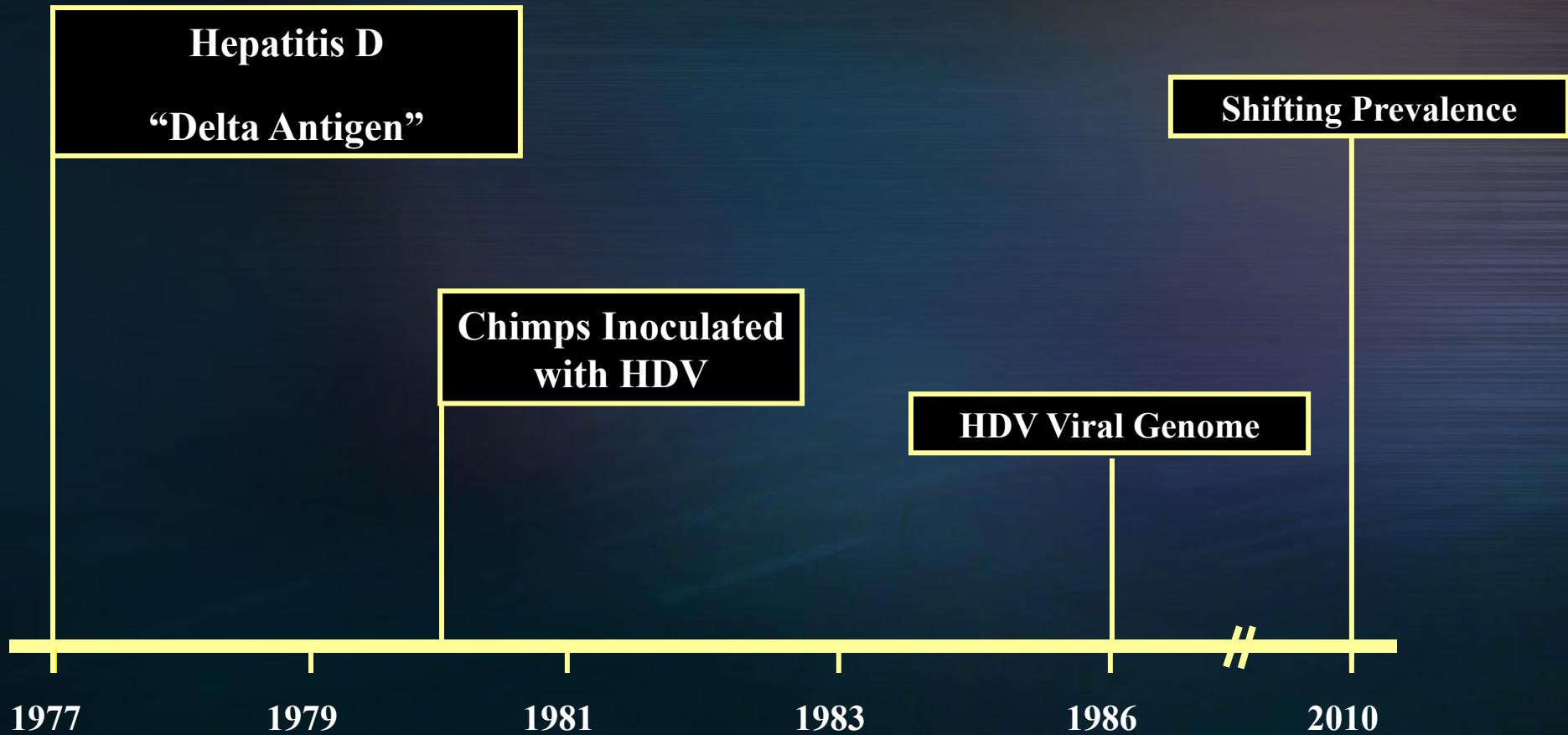
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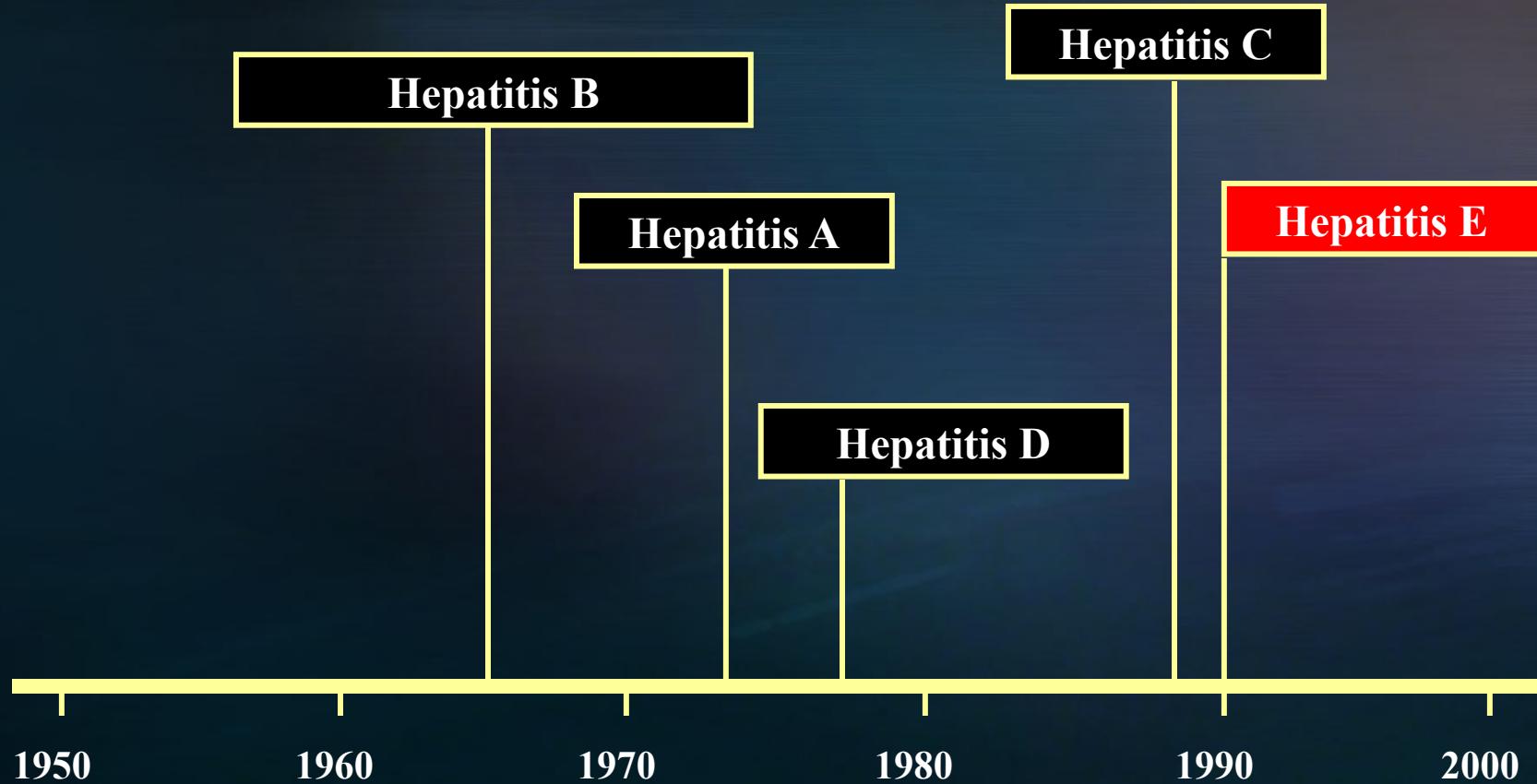
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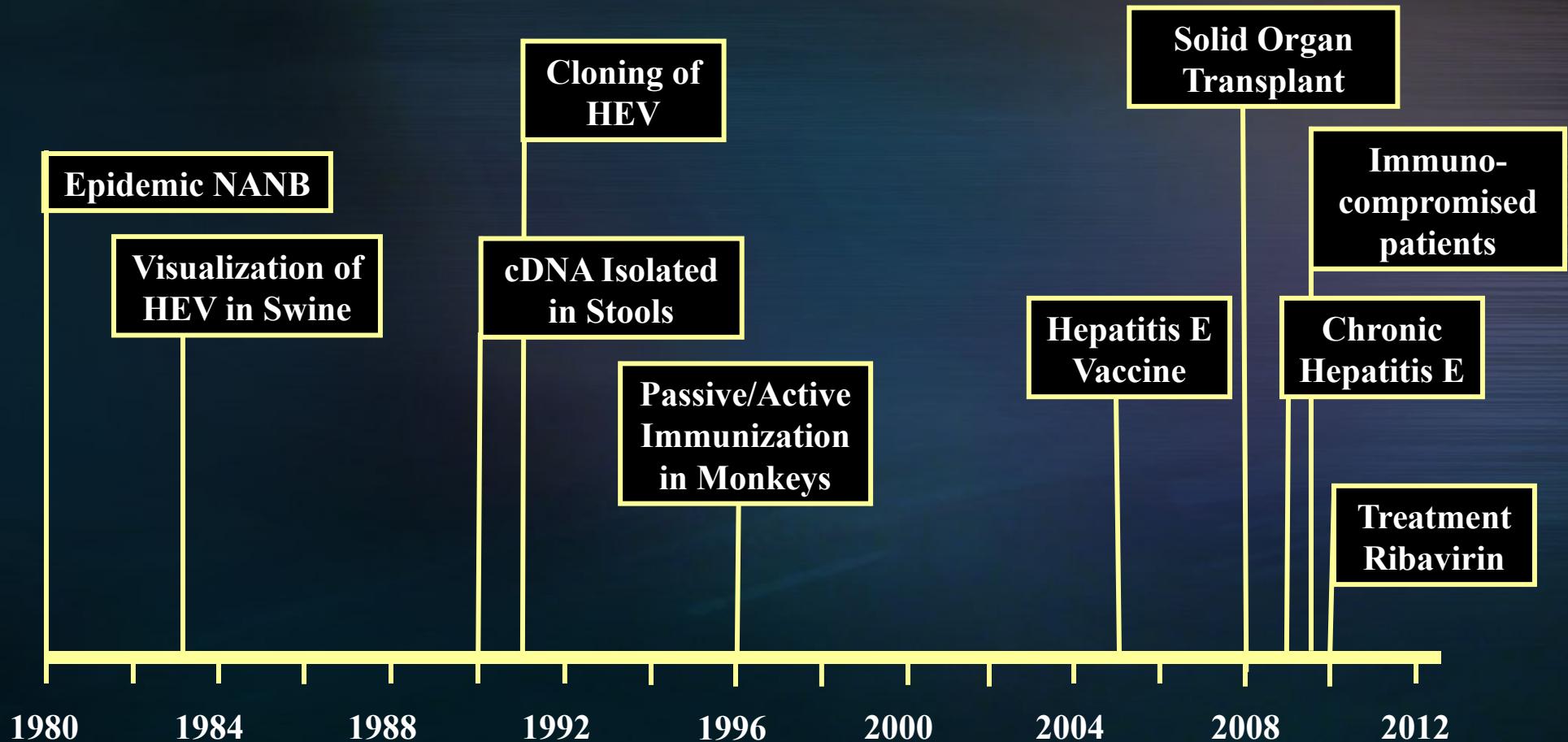
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# Conclusions

- Hepatitis A
  - Safe and effective vaccine
- Hepatitis B
  - Safe and effective oral therapy that achieves viral and clinical remission but indefinite duration
  - Safe and Effective Vaccine, universal vaccination
  - Malignant transformation
- Hepatitis C
  - Safe and effective oral therapy but residual cirrhosis predisposes to HCC
- Hepatitis D
  - Prevention with Hepatitis B vaccine
  - Primary therapy marginal
- Hepatitis E
  - Vaccines not readily available
  - Can evolve into chronic hepatitis

# Challenges for Future

- Curing Hepatitis B
  - Eradicate cccDNA
- Preventing Hepatitis B malignant transformation
- Access to combination DAAs for Hepatitis C
- Salvage therapy for relapsing HCV
- Shorten duration of HCV Therapy
- Vaccine for HCV
- Effective treatment for Hepatitis D
- Readily available vaccine for Hepatitis E
- Linkage of Hepatitis E with other systemic disorders