

The Long Awaited Promise

The promises of the coming of Christ throughout the Old Testament - Christmas 2017 Chris Mueller

Introduction:

Isaiah 9:6 *For a child will be born to us, a son will be given to us; And the government will rest on His shoulders; And His name will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Eternal Father, Prince of Peace.*

#1 A birth planned from the _____

Genesis 3:21 *and the Lord God made garments of skin for Adam and His wife and clothed them*

Genesis 3:15 *And I will put enmity between you and the woman and between your seed and her seed; He shall bruise you on the head and you shall bruise him on the heel.*

Galatians 4:4 *...born of a woman...*

#2 A birth accomplished _____

Luke 1:35 *The angel answered and said to her, "The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you; and for that reason the holy Child shall be called the Son of God."*

Isaiah 7:14 *Therefore the Lord Himself will give you a sign: Behold, a virgin will be with child and bear a son, and she will call His name Immanuel.*
Isaiah 9:6 *For a child will be born to us, a son will be given to us; And the government will rest on His shoulders; And His name will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Eternal Father, Prince of Peace.*

Matthew 1:23 *"Behold, the virgin shall be with child and shall bear a Son, and they shall call His name Immanuel," which translated means, "God with us." 24 And Joseph ...took Mary as his wife, 25 but kept her a virgin until she gave birth to a Son; and he called His name Jesus.*

#3 A birth chosen _____

Micah 5:2 *But as for you, Bethlehem Ephrathah, Too little to be among the clans of Judah, From you One will go forth for Me to be ruler in Israel. His goings forth are from long ago, From the days of eternity.*

Matthew 2:6 *And you, Bethlehem, land of Judah, Are by no means least among the leaders of Judah; For out of you shall come forth a Ruler Who will shepherd My people Israel.*

Matthew 2:1 *Now after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea in the days of Herod the king*

2 Corinthians 5:15 *He died for all, so that they who live might no longer live for themselves, but for Him who died and rose again on their behalf.*

Luke 6:46 *Why do you call Me, 'Lord, Lord,' and do not do what I say?*

#4 A birth designed _____

Isaiah 53:5 *But He was pierced through for our transgressions, He was crushed for our iniquities; The chastening for our well-being fell upon Him, And by His scourging we are healed. 6 All of us like sheep have gone astray, Each of us has turned to his own way; But the Lord has caused the iniquity of us all to fall on Him.*

Matthew 1:21 *She will bear a Son; and you shall call His name Jesus, for He will save His people from their sins.*

Conclusion:

Luke 2:4 *Joseph also went up from Galilee, from the city of Nazareth, to Judea, to the city of David which is called Bethlehem, because he was of the house and family of David, 5 in order to register along with Mary, who was engaged to him, and was with child. 6 While they were there, the days were completed for her to give birth. 7 And she gave birth to her firstborn son; and she wrapped Him in cloths, and laid Him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn.*

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