



Matthew 1:23 NIV

“The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel”
(which means “God with us”).



I. Jesus' Coming is an
Answer to Prophecy
Matthew 1:16 NIV



and Jacob the father of Joseph, the husband of Mary, and Mary was the mother of Jesus who is called the Messiah.



I. Jesus' Coming is an
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Genesis 3:15 NIV



And I will put enmity
between you and the woman,
and between your offspring and hers;
he will crush your head,
and you will strike his heel.”



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Genesis 22:18 NIV

and through your offspring all nations on earth will be blessed, because you have obeyed me.”



I. Jesus' Coming is an
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Genesis 49:10 NIV



The scepter will not depart from Judah,
nor the ruler's staff from between his feet,
until he to whom it belongs shall come
and the obedience of the nations shall be his.



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2 Samuel 7:12-13 NIV

12 When your days are over and you rest with your ancestors, I will raise up your offspring to succeed you, your own flesh and blood, and I will establish his kingdom. 13 He is the one who will build a house for my Name, and I will establish the throne of his kingdom forever.



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Isaiah 7:14 NIV



Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign: The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and will call him Immanuel.



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Matthew 1:22 NIV



All this took place to fulfill what the Lord
had said through the prophet:



II. Jesus' Coming Identifies Who He Is



John 1:14 NIV

The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.



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Acts 4:12 NIV

Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to mankind by which we must be saved.”



II. Jesus' Coming Identifies Who He Is



Luke 4:34 NIV

“Go away! What do you want with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are—the Holy One of God!”



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Luke 4:41 NIV

Moreover, demons came out of many people, shouting, “You are the Son of God!” But he rebuked them and would not allow them to speak, because they knew he was the Messiah.



III. Jesus' Coming Has Purpose Philippians 2:6-8 NIV

- 6 Who, being in very nature God,
did not consider equality with God something to be used to
his own advantage;
- 7 rather, he made himself nothing
by taking the very nature of a servant,
being made in human likeness.
- 8 And being found in appearance as a man,
he humbled himself
by becoming obedient to death— even death on a cross!



III. Jesus' Coming Has Purpose



Philippians 2:9-11 NIV

9 Therefore God exalted him to the highest place
and gave him the name that is above every name,
10 that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow,
in heaven and on earth and under the earth,
11 and every tongue acknowledge that Jesus Christ is Lord,
to the glory of God the Father.



III. Jesus' Coming Has Purpose



Psalm 139:7-10 NIV

7 Where can I go from your Spirit?

Where can I flee from your presence?

8 If I go up to the heavens, you are there;

if I make my bed in the depths, you are there.

9 If I rise on the wings of the dawn,

if I settle on the far side of the sea,

10 even there your hand will guide me,

your right hand will hold me fast.

Previous Scripture: **Philippians 2:6-11;**

Luke 4:41; Luke 4:34



III. Jesus' Coming Has Purpose Isaiah 9:6 NIV



For to us a child is born,
to us a son is given,
and the government will be on his shoulders.

And he will be called
Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God,
Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.



III. Jesus' Coming Has Purpose Hebrews 2:17 NIV



For this reason he had to be made like them, fully human in every way, in order that he might become a merciful and faithful high priest in service to God, and that he might make atonement for the sins of the people.