

The Birth of Christ

This is a simple topic, yet people try to make it very difficult, nevertheless a true revelation of the Scriptures will prove unto the reader that this topic is easy to comprehend. Why was Christ born? First and for most; Christ came to earth to redeem us from our sins. There was no one else who could redeem us except Christ. The blood of animals could not do it; there was no righteous man or woman who could do it, it had to be Christ. There are many Scriptural references in the Old Testament that point to the coming of Christ, which were fulfilled in the New Testament. I will not quote all of the references, but a few key Scriptures will be quoted to prove the miracle of Christ's birth.

Genesis 3:15: “And I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise his heel.” This verse is explained in my first book; however I will reaffirm what this means. The seed of the devil is unrighteousness and the seed of the woman is the birth of Christ via virgin birth, which is fulfilled in *Matthew 1:20*.

Genesis 49:10 notes that Christ would come from the tribe of Judah, and this prophecy is fulfilled in *Luke 3:23 and 33*.

Psalms 41:9 notes that Christ would be betrayed by a friend, and this comes to pass in *John 13:21*.

There are many references that can be used to prove the miraculous coming and birth of Christ. Interesting enough no one seems to debate if Christ existed or not, however people do debate His birth. In *Genesis 3:15* it talks about the seed of a woman. Seed comes from a man a not a woman. There is only one woman in history that did not have the aid of a man to reproduce and that woman was the mother of Jesus. When Mary was expecting she told Joseph, however Joseph was a righteous man, and he did not want to get married to Mary due to the fact that she was pregnant. Joseph and Mary never had intercourse because they were only engaged. Joseph did not realize that Mary was found

with child of the Holy Ghost. An angel also appeared unto him and told him that is was a child from God. *Reference Matthew 1:18-19*. When he realized this they got married.

Why is the birth of Christ such a great issue? Many believe in the Immaculate Conception; however virgin birth cannot be compared to Immaculate Conception because Mary was born into a world of sin and was tainted by sin, because all have sin. *Reference Romans 3:23*. Nevertheless, the birth of her Son Jesus was miraculous because Jesus was not tainted by sin. He was spotless and perfect.

I do not believe that the issue of Jesus' birth should even be a topic of confusion. Christ came with one purpose and that was to seek and to save those that were lost. *Reference Matthew 18:11*. There was no woman upon the face of the earth righteous enough to bring forth the Messiah; however God uses imperfect people because He wants them to strive towards perfection. *Hebrews 6:1* says: "...let us go on unto perfection;...". Christ the perfect man was born via a virgin birth under the law, whose mother was God fearing, but not perfect. This in itself was the phenomenal work of God. It is phenomenal because God uses imperfection, referring to his mother, comes into an imperfect world, and yet was perfect in all His ways.

The man Christ Jesus was and is perfect. His birth was and is not mysterious, rather it was miraculous.

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