

SERMON STUDY GUIDE

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“The Pattern of the Servant”

Sermon Text: Isaiah 42:1-9

Sermon Outline:

1. How Jesus Saw Himself
2. How Jesus Saw His Mission
3. How Do You See Yourself and Your Mission?

Questions:

1. Christians believe that Jesus was (and is) 100% God and 100% man. In terms of his incarnation, Christians believe that Jesus had to “grow up” just like any other human, except without sin. Why is this significant?
2. How did Jesus come to understand his Messianic mission?
3. What is the significance of Jesus’ baptism?
4. How is our mission different from the mission of Jesus and how is it the same?
5. God delights in his children, particularly when we carry out his purposes. Have you ever reflected upon this truth? How can this help you carry out that mission?