

Sunday June 24<sup>th</sup> 2018  
The Word of God  
A Survey of the Bible – Part 8B  
'A Son Is Given'  
Study Questions

1). Read Galatians 4:4-5 – To whom did God send His Son and what was His purpose for doing so?

a). What does the sending of His own Son tell us about the importance of the purpose He wanted to accomplish?

b). Read Acts 3:19-21 – although these verses still await a future time, what insight do they give us into what was available to the Jewish people if they had received the Christ?

c). Given the parallel that exists between the opening 2 Chapters of Genesis and the opening 2 Chapters of John's Gospel, what do you think is the Lord's purpose in having John construct his Gospel in this way?

2). Read Matthew 1:1-2 – Who is Jesus said to be the Son of?

a). What is significant about Him being the Son of David and which scriptures did we look at in connection with this?

b). Read Matthew 1:6-7 + 16 What is significant about what we find in these verses?

c). Read Galatians 3:16 – What significance do we find in this verse regarding Jesus being the Son of Abraham?

d). How important is the genealogy of Jesus recorded in Matthew?

3). Read Mark 1:1-5 – How does Mark begin his Gospel and which 2 OT prophecies does he draw from?

a). Why do you think the Holy Spirit had both Mark and Luke begin their Gospels with John the Baptist?

b). What are we told about Zacharias and Elizabeth and what does this remind us of?

c). Why does God use a couple in their condition?

d). Read Luke 1:13 -17 – Which OT prophecy is being referenced in these verses?

e). As we look at what Gabriel tells Zacharias and what was prophesied in Malachi, what do we see to be different between the two and why would this be?

f). Read Matthew 11:10-15 – What does Jesus have to say about John the Baptist?

g). What is significant about Gabriel being the angel sent to both Zacharias and Mary?

h). Read Luke 1:30-35 – How does Gabriel approach his revelation to Mary?

i). Read Matthew 1:18-24 – What prophecy is revealed in these verses and why is this of such great importance?

j). Given all that we have been studying so far, do you now have a greater understanding of what the Lord is trying to accomplish through the Gospel writers?

Any final thoughts?