

Walk With the Word

Matthew 14

14:1-12 – The death of John the Baptist.

This is Herod Antipas, a son of Herod the Great.

Herod the Great, alive when Jesus was born, killed “the innocents.”

Herod Antipas would be part of killing Jesus.

(There are two remaining Herods in Scripture: Acts 12 & Acts 25)

John the Baptist confronted Herod concerning incest (sin).

Herodian Dynasty

Herod the Great (37-4 B.C.)

Known for his massive building projects;
massacre of the innocents in Bethlehem;
ruling at time of Jesus' birth.

Herod Philip (Archelaus) (A.D. 4-6)(Matt. 2:22)

Herod Antipas (4 B.C. – A.D. 39)

Responsible for executing John the Baptist;
reigning during Jesus' ministry and death;
reigning at Pentecost.

Half-brothers

Herodian Dynasty

Herod Agrippa I (A.D. 4-40)

Imprisoned Peter;
death by “worms” (Acts 12:20-28)

Herod Agrippa II (A.D. 40-54)

Acts 25
Reigning at Paul’s trial in Caesarea.

14:13-21 – Feeding the five thousand.

Note: They all ate and were satisfied.

Note: After eating, there were 12 baskets full.

(This is symbolic of the 12 tribes of Israel.)

14:22-36 – Jesus walks on water and commands Peter to also!

Peter also walks on water until taking his eyes off Jesus!

Jesus admonishes Peter for his lack of faith.

The disciples declare Jesus the Son of God.

Cities of North Central Israel

