

What's In The Name?

Matthew 1:18-25

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The meaning of names in the Scriptures carried _____ implications. They often pictured _____ circumstances, and sometimes anticipated _____ for the future. God used _____ names in particular to _____ the coming Messiah: Immanuel and Jesus.

A. Circumstances of the Passage

1. The two _____ involved
 - a. Mary – the _____ espoused (engaged) to Joseph
 - (1). _____
 - (2). _____ by no fault of her own
 - b. Joseph – a _____ man
 - (1). _____ to love and protect his wife
 - (2). Assumed _____
 - (3). Considering a _____ divorce
 - (4). Obeyed the _____ from the angel
2. The _____ of the Lord
 - a. Appeared in a dream with a “_____ not” message
 - b. Clarified Mary’s pregnancy was _____
 - c. Gave the _____ of the child, and _____

B. The Names of the Child

1. Immanuel – “With _____ is God”
 - a. Used _____ in the Old Testament
 - (1). Isaiah 7:10-14
 - (a.) To _____ King Ahaz
 - (b). To give a _____ to the nation

(2). Isaiah 8:8, 10

- (a). To _____ that Assyria would overrun their land
- (b). To give hope even in _____ times

b. The _____ of “God with us” is developing.

- (1). When God commissioned _____-year-old Moses
- (2). God gave Himself the _____ name of Yahweh.
- (3). God present with _____

c. Used _____ in the New Testament

- (1). God with us in _____ flesh
- (2). His continuing _____ with believers

2. Jesus – “Jehovah is _____.”

- a. He came to save _____ from their sins.
1 Timothy 1:15
- b. He came to save by His own _____.
Colossians 1:14
- c. He came to take _____ sin.
John 1:29
- d. He came to save from _____ iniquity.
Titus 2:14
- e. He came to save because _____ one else can.
Acts 4:12