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“All right then, the Lord himself will give you the sign. Look! The virgin will conceive a child! She will give birth to a son and will call him Immanuel!”
Isaiah 7:14

“This is how Jesus the Messiah was born. His mother, Mary, was engaged to be married to Joseph. But before the marriage took place, while she was still a virgin, she became pregnant through the power of the Holy Spirit. Joseph, to whom she was engaged, was a righteous man and did not want to disgrace her publicly, so he decided to break the engagement quietly.

As he considered this, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream. ‘Joseph, son of David,’ the angel said, ‘do not be afraid to take Mary as your wife. For the child within her was conceived by the Holy Spirit. And she will have a son, and you are to name him Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins.’”

All of this occurred to fulfill the Lord’s message through his prophet:

‘Look! The virgin will conceive a child!
She will give birth to a son,
and they will call him Immanuel,
which means ‘God is with us.’”
Matthew 1:18-23

Immanuel: “God With Us”

1. What does it mean?
2. How did He do it?
3. Why did He do it?

ALWAYS

Part of His reason for coming was to

Another part was to

Immanuel came to _____ the _____

“All praise to God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. God is our merciful Father and the source of all comfort. He comforts us in all our troubles...”
2 Corinthians 1:3-4

Immanuel came to _____ the _____

“Don’t imagine that I came to bring peace to the earth! I came not to bring peace, but a sword.” Matthew 10:34

Memory Verse

“And she will have a son, and you are to name him Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins. All of this occurred to fulfill the Lord’s message through his prophet: ‘Look! The virgin will conceive a child! She will give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel, which means ‘God is with us.’”
Matthew 1:21-23

MY NEXT STEP IS TO . . .

- Invite Immanuel to be my Savior for the 1st time
- Memorize Matthew 1:21-23
- Invite a friend, neighbor, or co-worker to Christmas Eve at ERBC



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