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The seed of a woman

Genesis 3:14-15

***Adam and Eve had been tempted by Satan (the serpent) to sin. After they gave into their sin, they were ashamed and God found them covering themselves in the garden. God revealed the consequences of this sin to Satan, Adam and Eve.

Who was verses 14-15 directed to?

What was the punishment given to the physical serpent (vs 14)?

***It is thought that before this, snakes were able to walk or had a slightly different form.

What was going to happen between the spiritual serpent (Satan) and Eve (vs 15)?

***In John 8:44, Jesus called unbeliever's the Devil's children.

What do you think the end of verse 15 meant?

***Though Satan would think He was harming Jesus by driving him to the cross (brusing his heal), God was gaining the ultimate victory (bruising his head) when Jesus rose victorious over the grave.

Galatians 4:3-7

What were you enslaved to before you became a believer (vs 3)?

What do you think "the fullness of time" referred to (vs 4)?

Who did God send (vs 4)? How was he born (vs 4)?

How was this a fulfillment of Genesis 3:15?

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Who did Jesus redeem (vs 5)?

What privilege have believers been given (vs 5)?

What have we become (vs 6)?

What can we do as sons of God (vs 6)?

Why is it important to realize we are no longer slaves, but sons (vs 7)?

Hebrews 2:14-15

What do the children of God share with Jesus (vs 14)?

How is this a fulfillment of Genesis 3:15?

***Genesis 3:15 predicted that the Messiah (Christ) would come from a woman. Jesus was God, but He was also human.

What was Jesus able to destroy (vs 14)?

Who was Jesus able to deliver?

How was this a fulfillment of Genesis 3:15?

The seed of Abraham

Genesis 12:1-3

What did God call Abraham to do (vs 1)?

What did God say He would make out of Abraham (vs 2)?

What would Abraham be (vs 2)?

What did God say He would do to those who blessed and cursed the

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Abraham and his descendants (vs 3)?

What would all families of the earth receive through Abraham (vs 3)?

Genesis 22:15-18

How did Abraham display his faith (vs 15-16)?

What was God going to do for Abraham (vs 17)?

Who would be blessed through the offspring of Abraham (vs 18)?

Galatians 3:7-9

Who are the children of God (vs 7)?

What did Scripture predict would happen (vs 8)?

What Old Testament scripture did Paul quote (vs 8)?

Who is blessed like Abraham was blessed (vs 9)?

Why do you think it is emphasized that this blessing came by faith?

Acts 3:25-26

***Peter was declaring the Gospel in the temple and using the Old Testament to reveal the need for the people to repent and accept Jesus as the Messiah.

Who did Peter say the Jews were (vs 25)?

What promise had God made to Abraham (vs 25)?

Who had God sent Jesus to first (vs 26)?

How was this to be a blessing to Israel (vs 26)?

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The seed of Isaac & Jacob

Genesis 26:1-5

Why did God appear to Isaac (vs 1-2)?

Where did God want Isaac to stay (vs 2-3)?

What promise did God give to Isaac (vs 3)?

What would the offspring of Isaac be like (vs 4)?

Who would be blessed through the offspring of Isaac (vs 4)?

What was emphasized about Abraham (vs 5)?

Genesis 28:14

What did God promise to the offspring of Jacob? How was this the same as the promises to Abraham and Isaac?

Hebrews 11:17-20

What did Abraham do by faith (vs 17)?

Why do you think this action took great faith?

What did God say would come through Isaac (vs 18)?

What did Abraham believe God could do (vs 19)?

How does the example of Abraham offering his only son parallel with God offering His only son?

Personal Application

What can you learn about God from this passage?

How can you apply what you have learned to your everyday life?

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The seed of Judah

Genesis 49:8-10

***When Jacob was near death, he called his sons to him and prophesied about what would happen to them and their descendants.

What would the brothers of Judah do (vs 8)?

What was Judah compared to (vs 9)?

What would not depart from the hand of Judah (vs 10)?

What would all people do to a descendant of Judah (vs 10)?

Matthew 1:3

How was Jesus a descendant of Judah?

Luke 3:33

How was Jesus a descendant of Judah?

Revelation 5:1-5

What did John see (vs 1)?

What did the angel ask (vs 2)?

What was not found (vs 3)?

How did John respond (vs 4)?

Why was John told not to weep (vs 5)?

How was Jesus described (vs 5)?

Exodus 3:13-14

***Moses was in the desert where he saw a burning bush. He

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discovered it was God wanting to speak to him.

What did Moses want to know (vs 13)?

How did God describe Himself (vs 14)?

What do you think this meant?

John 4:21-26

***Jesus was speaking with the woman at the well in Samaria.

What was going to be coming (vs 21)?

What did Jesus declare about salvation (vs 22)?

How does true worship take place (vs 23)?

***This emphasized that worship is not about a time and a place.

How is God desribed (vs 24)?

What did the woman say she knew (vs 25)?

What did Jesus declare about Himself (vs 26)?

How does this parallel the meeting of Moses and God?

The Passover Lamb

Exodus 12:5-7

***After the nine plagues, Pharaoh would not let the children of Israel go. God prepared the Israelites for the final plague by describing how they were to offer a lamb so the death angel would pass over their houses.

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What was the requirement for the Passover lamb (vs 5)?

What were they to do with the blood (vs 7)?

John 1:29-34

What did John the Baptist declare about Jesus (vs 29)?

What did John mean when he declared that Jesus came after him but was before him (vs 30)?

What was John waiting for (vs 31)?

What did John see (vs 32)?

What did John declare about Jesus (vs 34)?

I Corinthians 5:7-8

How was Christ described (vs 7)?

How should we act in light of our salvation (vs 8)?

***The context of this passage is about putting off sin and putting on righteousness.

1 Peter 1:18-21

What did not deliver you from your sins (vs 18)?

What was it that delivered you from your sin (vs 19)?

When was the plan of salvation developed (vs 20)?

How was it "hidden" (vs 20)?

How was it revealed (vs 20)?

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What does this give all believers (vs 21)?

The atoning sacrifice

Leviticus 16:15-19

***This passage described the sacrifice on the Day of Atonement which would take place once a year.

What was the priest to do with the blood of the goat (vs 15)?

What would this atone for (vs 16)?

Who was the only one who could make this offering (vs 17)?

What was the priest to do with some of the blood (vs 18)?

Hebrews 9:7-12

What would the high priest do once a year (vs 7)?

What did the actions of the priest indicate (vs 8-9)?

What would the sacrifices not do (vs 9)?

What could this atonement do (vs 10)?

What was Christ described as (vs 11)?

What blood did Christ use (vs 12)?

What did this secure (vs 12)?

Personal Application

What can you learn about God from this passage?

How can you apply what you have learned to your everyday?

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The bronze serpent

Numbers 21:4-9

What happened among the children of Israel (vs 4)?

What did the people do (vs 5)?

What did God send as a punishment (vs 6)?

What did the people realize (vs 7)?

What did they ask Moses to do (vs 8)?

What did Moses make (vs 9)?

What happened to those who looked at the serpent (vs 9)?

John 3:14-18

What did Jesus say would happen to Him (vs 14)?

What healing would come to men if they looked to Him (vs 15)?

How was God's love shown to the world (vs 16)?

What did Jesus come to the world for (vs 17)?

What does verse 18 make clear?

A prophet among them

Deuteronomy 18:15-22

What did Moses say would happen (vs 15)?

Who did he tell the people to listen to (vs 15)?

What had the people requested at Mount Sinai (vs 16)?

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***The people were afraid to hear God directly so they wanted a man to be an intercessor for them.

Who did God say He would raise up (vs 18)?

What was this prophet going to do (vs 18)?

What would happen to those who failed to listen to the prophet (vs 19)?

John 5:37-47

How did God bear witness to Jesus (vs 37)?

What did many of the Jews not believe (vs 38)?

What were the Old Testament Scriptures meant to do (vs 39)?

What did the people refuse to do (vs 40)?

What was Jesus not concerned about (vs 41)?

How did Jesus come (vs 43)?

What were the people not seeking (vs 44)?

Why do you think Jesus referenced Moses (vs 45)?

How had Moses written about Jesus (vs 46)?

Why is it important to believe the predictions about Jesus (vs 47)?

Acts 3:19-24

What did Peter call on the Jews to do (vs 19)?

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What would those who obeyed receive (vs 20)?

Where would Jesus remain until it was time for Him to return (vs 21)?

What had Moses said (vs 22)?

What would happen to those who did not listen (vs 23)?

What did the prophets proclaim about Jesus (vs 24)?

Raising up a priest

1 Samuel 2:35-36

***The sons of Eli were committing evil deeds and God rejected them from being priests. God had an ultimate plan for His priest.

Who was God going to raise up (vs 35)?

What would this priest do (vs 35)?

How long would he be priest (vs 35)?

What would the descendants of Eli do (vs 36)?

Hebrews 2:16-18

Who does our High Priest help (vs 16)?

Why did Jesus have to be made like other humans (vs 17)?

What did Jesus do for the sins of His people (vs 17)?

What did Jesus go through (vs 18)?

What can He understand (vs 18)?

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A king forever

2 Samuel 7:12-17

Who was God going to raise up (vs 12)?

Who would he be a descendant of (vs 12)?

What would be established forever (vs 13)?

***This was a predication of Solomon becoming king, but was also directed at the fact of the ultimate king, the Messiah.

What would not be taken from the line of David (vs 15)?

How long would the kingdom of David last (vs 16)?

Romans 1:1-4

What had God promised (vs 1-2)?

How is the Son of God described (vs 3)?

Who was Jesus declared to be (vs 4)?

Luke 1:31-33

What was going to happen to Mary (vs 31)?

What would God give Him (vs 32)?

How would Ee reign (vs 33)?

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The Christ of Christmas

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***There are a few Psalms that we will study that appear to have dual meanings. The immediate meaning most likely refers to what is happening to David and other godly men, but there is a greater meanings which predicts the life of the Messiah.

Rulers against the Anointed

Psalm 2:1-12.

Who was fighting against God's "anointed" (vs 1-2)?

What did they want to do (vs 3)?

What was God's response (vs 4)?

How will God respond (vs 5)?

What did God declare about the Messiah (vs 7)?

What did God say He would do (vs 8)?

What did the Son of God have the power to do (vs 9)?

What were the rulers of the earth warned to do (vs 10)?

How are they to treat the Son of God (vs 12)?

What is promised to those who looked to the Messiah (vs 12)?

Acts 4:23-31

***Peter & John were arrested and brought before the Jewish counsel and questioned about their teaching. This was meant to stop them from sharing the message of Jesus.

What did Peter and John do when they were released (vs 23)?

How did their fellow Christians respond (vs 24)?

What did they quote in their prayer (vs 25-26)?

Why do you think they quoted this?

What did the believers declare about Jesus (vs 27)?

What did they recognize about God's plan (vs 28)?

What did the believers ask for (vs 29)?

What was the result of this prayer (vs 31)?

Forsaken by God

Psalm 22:1-18

What cry did the psalmist make (vs 1)?

Have you ever felt this way? Explain.

What did God not appear to be doing?

What did the psalmist recognize about God (vs 3-4)?

What did God not allow to happen (vs 5)?

What did David and Jesus both experience (vs 6-7)?

What did the people cry out (vs 8)?

How had God not forgotten them (vs 9-10)?

What did the psalmist ask (vs 11)?

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What took place in the life of David and Jesus (vs 11-12)?

What happened to their bodies (vs 13)?

***Most likely David used metaphors for how he felt, while Jesus actually experienced these physical trials.

What happened physically to Jesus (vs 15)?

Who surrounded Jesus? What did they do (vs 16)?

What did they do for the clothing of Jesus (vs 17-18)?

Matthew 27:37-48

What was written over the head of Jesus (vs 37)?

Who was Jesus placed between (vs 38)?

What did men do while Jesus was on the cross (vs 39)?

How did they mock Jesus (vs 40)?

Who else mocked Jesus (vs 41)?

What did they declare (vs 42)?

What did they say God should do (vs 43)?

Why did God choose not to deliver Jesus from the cross?

What happened while Jesus was on the cross (vs 45)?

What did Jesus cry out (vs 46)?

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What did the bystanders think Jesus was calling for (vs 47)?

What did one person do for Jesus (vs 48)?

Not a bone broken

Psalm 34:20

What prediction was made in verse 20?

***It should also be noted that sacrifices were not to have their bones broken.

John 19:28-37

What did Jesus declare (vs 28)?

What was held to the mouth of Jesus (vs 29)?

What did Jesus declare after this (vs 30)?

What happened next (vs 30)?

What did the religious leaders want (vs 31)?

What did the soldiers do to the other criminals (vs 32)?

What didn't they do to Jesus (vs 33)?

What did they do to Jesus (vs 34)?

What was the result?

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Conceived by a virgin

Isaiah 7:14

***Isaiah was sent by God to King Ahaz who was living in fear because of an alliance between Syria and the northern tribes of Israel. He was given current hope, but also hope for the future.

Who was going to conceive (vs 14)?

Why is this so significant?

What would the name of the Christ be (vs 14)?

Matthew 1:18-23

What was the status of Mary and Joseph (vs 18)?

What did Mary find out (vs 18)?

Where did the child come from (vs 18)?

What did Joseph desire to do (vs 19)?

Why do you think he desired to do this?

What happened as Joseph was thinking about these things?

What did the angel tell Joseph not to do (vs 20)?

What did he tell Joseph about the child (vs 20)?

What would they call his name (vs 21)? Why?

Why did this all take place (vs 22)?

What was quoted in verse 23?

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What did Immanuel mean (vs 23)?

How did Joseph respond (vs 24)?

What did Joseph not do (vs 25)?

Why is this significant?

What did they call him (vs 25)?

Why was the name of Jesus so important?

Unto us a child is born

Isaiah 9:1-7

What land was going to be humbled in the short term (vs 1)?

***These tribes made up the region that came to be known as Galilee. This was where great wickedness was being practiced during the life of Isaiah.

What was going to happen in a future time (vs 1)?

What would the people who were in darkness see (vs 2)?

What would this produce (vs 3)?

What will be broken (vs 4-5)?

***Though the region of Galilee would be captured by the Assyrians and the Jews would be oppressed, this would not last forever. Great light would come to them through a deliverer.

What would be given to the Galilee region (vs 6)?

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What would be on his shoulders (vs 6)?

What do you think this meant?

What names were given to this child (vs 6)? What do you think these names meant?

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

What would there not be an end to (vs 7)?

Why would this child sit on the throne of David (vs 7)?

How would He rule (vs 7)?

Luke 1:26-33

When did the angel come to Mary (vs 26)?

Where was she living (vs 26)?

How was she described (vs 27)?

How was Mary greeted (vs 28)?

Why do you think she was surprised at this statement (vs 29)?

What did the angel tell Mary not to do (vs 30)?

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What had Mary found (vs 30)?

What was going to happen to Mary (vs 31)?

What was she told to call this son (vs 31)?

What would He be called (vs 32)?

What was God going to give this son (vs 32)?

How long would He reign (vs 33)?

What was Mary confused about (vs 34)?

How would this conception take place (vs 35)?

What was emphasized about this child (vs 35)?

What was given to Mary as a sign (vs 36)?

What did the angel declare about God (vs 37)?

Why was this important for Mary to understand?

How did Mary respond to this (vs 37)?

What does this reveal about the humility of Mary?

How does this emphasize that Jesus was the Christ?

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A victorious Messiah

Isaiah 11:1-10

What was going to come from Jesse (vs 1)?

What do you think this meant?

What was going to rest on this shoot (vs 2)?

What would He delight in (vs 3)?

Why was this so important with kings?

How is the reign of the Messiah described (vs 4-5)?

What will happen during the reign of the Messiah (vs 6-8)?

What will the earth be full of (vs 9)?

Who would seek after the Messiah (vs 10)?

Revelation 19:11-14

Who did John see sitting on a horse (vs 11)?

How is He described (vs 11)?

What is He called (vs 13)?

A victorious Messiah

Isaiah 53:1-12

Why do you think chapter 53 started out with a question?

How would the Messiah grow up (vs 2)?

Why do you think Jesus came as an ordinary man and did nothing

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spectacular for the first 30 years of his life?

How was Jesus described in verse 3?

What did Jesus do (vs 4)? How?

What happened to Jesus (vs 5)? Why?

Why did Jesus need to come to earth (vs 6)?

What did Jesus choose not to do (vs 7)?

What happened to Jesus (vs 8)?

How was Jesus buried (vs 9)?

What was the will of the Lord (vs 10)? Why?

What came out of the anguish of Jesus (vs 11)?

What benefit did we receive from what Jesus chose to do?

Matthew 27:57-51

How is Joseph described (vs 57)?

Why did Joseph go to Pilate (vs 58)?

What did Joseph do with the body of Jesus (vs 59-60)?

How did this fulfill the prophecy in Isaiah 53?

Who was watching (vs 61)?

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Isaiah 61:1-3

What had God called the Messiah to do (vs 1)?

What did He proclaim (vs 2)?

How was the Messiah going to change the fortunes of Israel (vs 3)?

Luke 4:16-22

Where did Jesus travel to (vs 16)?

What was Jesus given (vs 17)?

What did Jesus read (vs 18-19)?

What did Jesus declare about that prophecy (vs 20-21)?

How did the people respond (vs 22)?

The Spirit Messiah would come from Bethlehem

Micah 5:2

How was Bethlehem descirbed (vs 3)?

Who would come from Bethlehem (vs 3)?

Matthew 2:1-6

Who came to seek for Jesus (vs 1)?

What did they call Him (vs 2)?

How did they know about this birth (vs 3)?

What did Herod find out when he assembled the Jewish leaders (vs 4-6)?

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How was the Messiah described (vs 6)?

The coming KingZechariah 9:9

Why was Israel told to rejoice (vs 9)?

How was He going to come to them (vs 9)?

Matthew 21:6-9

What did the disciples do (vs 6)?

What did they bring for Jesus to ride on (vs 7)?

What were the crowds doing & shouting (vs 8-9)?

A forerunner

Malachi 3:1, 4:5-6

Who was God going to send (vs 1)?

Who was coming before the great day (vs 5- Chapter 4)?

What would this prophet do (vs 6)?

Luke 1:13-17

What was going to happen to Elizabeth (vs 13)?

What will this child produce (vs 14)?

What would he do (vs 16-17)?

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