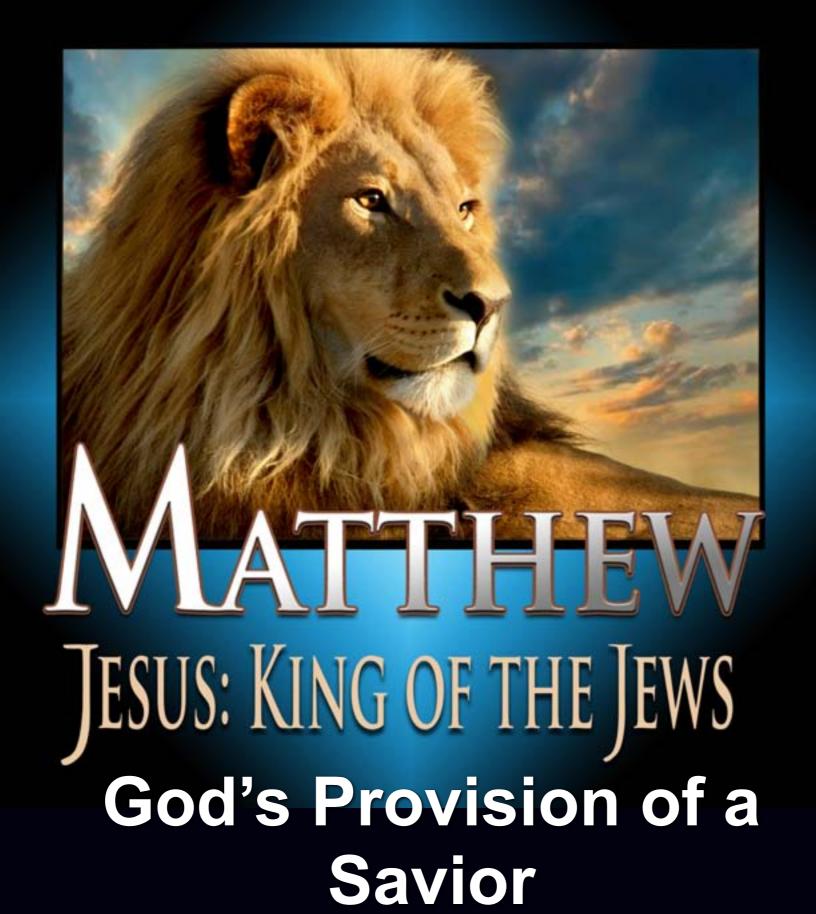
Matthew Series
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The Life of Jesus: Infancy and Early Ministry Jesus is born in Bethlehem. Gabriel appears to Mary. Gabriel appears to Zechariah in the temple. appears to to Bethlehem. John the Baptist Joseph. John the Baptist is circumcised. Joseph, Mary, Zechariah prophesies about his and Jesus flee The Magi ask Herod in future career. to Egypt. Jerusalem about the circumcised. Shepherds "King of the Jews." visit Jesus. Mary and Joseph present Jesus at the temple. Mary visits Elizabeth. appear to Simeon and Anna Caesar Augustus shepherds

decrees a census.

Mary stays with Elizabeth prophesy about Him.

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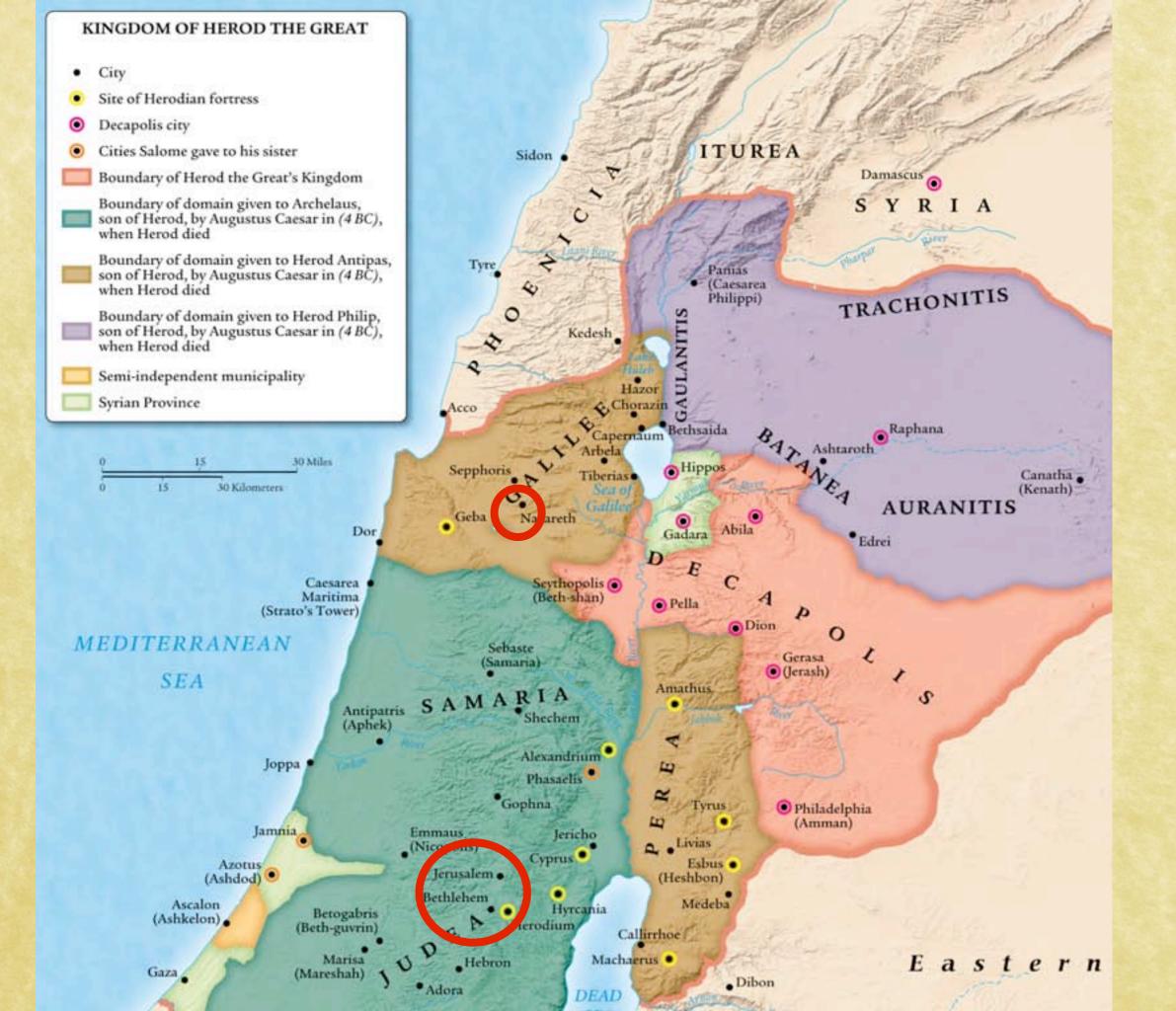
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Luke 1:26-27

- 1. The sixth month refers to the sixth month of Elisabeth's pregnancy.
- 2. Gabriel is the angel most often associated with providing key revelation related to God's plan for Israel.
- 3. Luke is specific about giving us directions about Mary's location in a small village in Galilee.



Luke 1:26-27

- 4. Mary and Joseph had not yet had sexual relations.
- 5. Mary in Aramaic is Miriam.

Luke 1:28, "And having come in, the angel said to her, 'Rejoice, <u>highly favored one</u>, the Lord is with you; blessed are you among women!"

χαριτόω charitoo perf pass part fem sing to be gracious, be favored, bestow Luke 1:29, "But when she saw him, she was troubled at his saying, and considered what manner of greeting this was."

διαταράσσω diatarassō aor pass indic 3 sing confused, perplexed

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χάρις charis
acc fem sing
grace, favor; gratitude;
gift

Luke 1:30-33

- 1. You have found favor with God.
- 2. You will conceive and give birth to a Son.
- 3. The Son shall be called Jesus, Yeshua.
- 4. He will be great.
- 5. He will be identified as God, called the Son of God; 1:35.
- 6. He will fulfill the Davidic Covenant.

DAVIDIC COVENANT

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ca. 1000 BC

2 Sam. 7:12–16 Psa. 89 1 Chron. 17:11–14

ETERNAL HOUSE

2 Sam. 7:11, 13a, 16 1 Chron. 17:10

ETERNAL KINGDOM

2 Sam. 7:12c 1 Chron. 17:14

ETERNAL THRONE

2 Sam. 7:13b 1 Chron. 17:12b, 14 Luke 1:34, "Then Mary said to the angel, 'How can this be, since I do not know a man?'

Luke 1:35, "And the angel answered and said to her, 'The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Highest will overshadow you; therefore, also, that Holy One who is to be born will be called the Son of God.'"

Rom. 5:12, "Therefore, just as through one man sin entered the world, and death through sin, and thus death spread to all men, because all sinned—"

Matt. 1:18, "Now the birth of Jesus Christ was as follows: After His mother Mary was betrothed to Joseph, before they came together, she was found with child of the Holy Spirit."

Matt. 1:19, "Then Joseph her husband, being a just man, and not wanting to make her a public example, was minded to put her away secretly.

Matt. 1:20, "But while he thought about these things, behold, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream, saying, 'Joseph, son of David, do not be afraid to take to you Mary your wife, for that which is conceived in her is of the Holy Spirit.

Matt. 1:21, "'And she will bring forth a Son, and you shall call His name JESUS, for He will save His people from their sins.'"

Matt. 1:22, "So all this was done that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the Lord through the prophet, saying:

Matt. 1:23, "'Behold, the virgin shall be with child, and bear a Son, and they shall call His name Immanuel,' which is translated, 'God with us.'"

Matt. 1:24, "Then Joseph, being aroused from sleep, did as the angel of the Lord commanded him and took to him his wife,"