

### Prophecies concerning Jesus' birth and early years.

But thou, Bethlehem Ephratah, *though* thou be little among the thousands of Judah, *yet* out of thee shall he come forth unto me *that is* to be ruler in Israel; whose goings forth *have been* from of old, from everlasting. Micah 5:2 → {Matthew 2:5}.

The angel answered, "The Holy Spirit will come on you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you. So the holy one to be born will be called the Son of God, Luke 1:35 ← {Isaiah 7:14}.

So he [Joseph] got up, took the child and his mother during the night and left for Egypt, where he stayed until the death of Herod. And so was fulfilled what the Lord had said through the prophet: 'Out of Egypt I called My Son, Matthew 2:14–15 ← {Hosea 11:1}.

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### Prophecies concerning Jesus' ministry on the earth.

Jesus began His ministry in Galilee, Isaiah 9:1 → Matthew 4:12-17.

John the Baptist prepared the way before Him;

The voice of him that cries in the wilderness, Prepare ye the way of the LORD, make straight in the desert a highway for our God, Isaiah 40:3 → {Matthew 3:1-2}.

He will teach in parables, {Psalm 78:2 → Matthew 13:34-35}.

He will be hated without a cause, {Psalm 69:4 → John 15:25}.

<sup>5</sup> Then the eyes of the blind shall be opened, and the ears of the deaf shall be unstopped. <sup>6</sup> Then shall the lame *man* leap as an hart, and the tongue of the dumb sing: for in the wilderness shall waters break out, and streams in the desert, {Isaiah 35:5-6 → Matthew 9:35}.

<sup>4</sup> Surely He has borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows: yet we did esteem Him stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted. <sup>5</sup> But He *was* wounded for our transgressions, *He was* bruised for our iniquities: the chastisement of our peace *was* upon Him; and with His stripes we are healed, Isaiah 53:4-5 → {Matthew 8:16-17}.

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### Prophecies concerning Jesus' betrayal.

He will be betrayed by a friend, {Psalm 41:9 → Matthew 26:49}.

The price was 30 pieces of silver, {Zechariah 11:12 → Matthew 26:15}.

And Judas Iscariot cast down the 30 pieces of silver in the temple and the chief priests and elders bought the potter's field with the money, {Zechariah 11:13 → Matthew 27:5-7}.

### Prophecies concerning Jesus' crucifixion.

He will be forsaken by His disciples, {Zechariah 13:7 → Mark 14:50}.

He will be accused by false witnesses, {Psalm 35:11 → Matthew 26:59}.

He will be silent before His accusers (Isaiah 53:7 → Matthew 27:12).

He will be wounded and bruised, {Isaiah 53:5 → Matthew 27:26}.

He will be struck and spit on (Isaiah 50:6 → Matthew 26:67).

He will be mocked, ridiculed, {Isaiah 53:3 → Matthew 27:27 & John 7:5,48}.

He will collapse from weakness, {Psalm 109:24-25 → Luke 23:26}.

He will be taunted with specific words, {Psalm 22:6-8 → Matthew 27:39}.

People will shake their heads at Him, {Psalm 109:25 → Matthew 27:39}.

People will stare at Him, {Psalm 22:17 → Luke 23:35}.

He will be executed among 'sinners, (Isaiah 53:12 → Matthew 27:38).

His hands and feet will be pierced, {Psalm 22:16 → Luke 23:33}.

He will pray for His persecutors, {Isaiah 53:12 → Luke 23:34}.

Friends and family will stand far off, {Psalm 38:11 → Luke 23:49}.

They will divide His garments and cast lots, {Psalm 22:18 → John 19:23}.

He will thirst, {Psalm 69:21 → John 19:28}.

He will be given gall and vinegar, {Psalm 69:21 → Matthew 27:34}.

He will commit himself to God, {Psalm 31:5 → Luke 23:46}.

His bones will be left unbroken, {Psalm 34:20 → John 19:33}.

His side will be pierced, {Zechariah 12:10 → John 19:34}.

Darkness will come on the land at midday, {Amos 8:9 → Matthew 27:45}.

He will be buried in a rich man's tomb, {Isaiah 53:9 → Matthew 27:57}.

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Prophecy accounts for a major portion of scriptures within the Bible. Depending on your criteria for defining prophecy, some may argue that the entire Bible is prophetic, while most scholars agree that it contains at least 20–30% prophecy.

God wishes for all of His people to prophesy; we see this in both the Old Testament and the New Testament.

And Moses said to him, Are you jealous for my sake? Would God that all Jehovah's people were prophets, that Jehovah would put His Spirit upon them! Numbers 11:29.

And on my servants and on my handmaidens I will pour out in those days of my Spirit; and they shall prophesy: **Acts 2:18**.

I wish all of you to speak in languages, but rather that you may prophesy; for greater *is* he prophesying than he speaking in tongues, unless he interpret so that the church may receive building up, **1<sup>st</sup> Corinthians 14:5**.

**A prayer to the Father:**

Father in heaven, I come before You to exalt, praise, and glorify Your name. I thank You for giving us Your only begotten Son, Christ Jesus, for the Word became flesh and dwelt with us. Calling us out of darkness into His marvelous light and bringing us back into right fellowship with the Father.

I thank You, Father, for all of the prophets in the Old Testament and New Testament who were willing to take up their calling and to prophesy the Words given to them by Your Holy Spirit. I pray that the eyes of my understanding may be enlightened, knowing the calling that Christ has given to me and the riches and glory of Christ's inheritance within the saints, and that I may boldly speak forth Your Words of truth and of life eternal.

Father, I thank you that I am a citizen of heaven **Philippians 3:20** and therefore the world may not agree with the Words that I prophesy; however, as long as I am pleasing to you, I will continue to speak and prophesy of Your truth and Your kingdom. For Yours is the kingdom and the glory and the power forevermore.

**Amen.**



# The Volume of the Book



Then said I, Lo, I come (in the volume of the book it is written of Me,) to do Thy will, O God, **Hebrews 10:7 & Psalm 40:7**.

The first and greatest prophecy and judgment was from God, And I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise his heel, **Genesis 3:15**.

Strong's definition of a seed is: "sperma" G4690  
Something sown, that is, seed (including the male "sperm");

But when the fullness of time came, God sent out His Son, born of a woman and born under law, **Galatians 4:4**.

All that we see was spoken into existence; God's Word was meant to be spoken. As believers, we need to believe the Word and then speak the Word, just as God spoke through His prophets concerning His Son, as it is written in the book.

We should not think of prophecy as just foretelling of past or future events that have happened or will happen but, rather, speaking God's Word into the future so that God may later call upon that spoken Word and manifest it into existence.

Therefore the Lord Himself shall give you a sign; Behold, a virgin shall conceive, and bear a Son, and shall call His name Emmanuel, **Isaiah 7:14**.

For unto us a child is born, unto us a Son is given: and the government shall be upon His shoulder: and His name shall be called Wonderful, Counselor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace, **Isaiah 9:6**.