

“The Arrival of Hope”

*Hope for the family*

Matthew 1:18-25

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Christmas

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*<sup>18</sup> This is how the birth of Jesus the Messiah came about: His mother Mary was pledged to be married to Joseph, but before they came together, she was found to be pregnant through the Holy Spirit. <sup>19</sup> Because Joseph her husband was faithful to the law, and yet did not want to expose her to public disgrace, he had in mind to divorce her quietly.*

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*<sup>20</sup> But after he had considered this, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, “Joseph son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary home as your wife, because what is conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit. <sup>21</sup> She will give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins.”*

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*<sup>22</sup> All this took place to fulfill what the Lord had said through the prophet: <sup>23</sup> “The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel” (which means “God with us”).*

*<sup>24</sup> When Joseph woke up, he did what the angel of the Lord had commanded him and took Mary home as his wife. <sup>25</sup> But he did not consummate their marriage until she gave birth to a son. And he gave him the name Jesus.*

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# PROBLEM

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# Plan / Purpose

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# Unity

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# Love

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Birth = γένεσις = genesis =  
"beginning" **A New Beginning**

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<sup>23</sup> ..... and they will call him  
*Immanuel*” (which means “God with us”).

*Immanuel* = “God with us”

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*The **birth of Jesus** is the genesis, the new beginning for man kind, a new opportunity in our lives for us individually and for our families and in a new beginning we will not be alone, Immanuel = “God with us”*

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