

15 That whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have eternal life.

16 For ¹God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.²

THE
LIFE

OF

CHRIST



Matthew 11:28-30 (KJV)

28 Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. 29 Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and ye shall find rest unto your souls. 30 For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.

THE BIRTH OF CHRIST

I. Ancestry

III. Arrival of Christ

COMPARISON OF THE FAMILY TREES

Joseph's Tree:

Matt. 1:2-17

- ★ Generations 1-20
Not listed
- ★ Adam to Abraham
- Begins with Abraham
lists 14 Generations
Abraham to to David
- ★ #35 Solomon

Mary's Tree:

Luke 3: 23-38

- ★ Generations 1-21
- ★ Lists 14 Generations
including
David
- ★ #35 Nathan

(All Biblical genealogies except Gen. 5 have gaps)

Jeremiah 22:24-30 (King James Version)

24 As I live, saith the LORD, though Coniah the son of Jehoiakim king of Judah were the signet upon my right hand, yet would I pluck thee thence;

25 And I will give thee into the hand of them that seek thy life, and into the hand of them whose face thou fearest, even into the hand of Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon, and into the hand of the Chaldeans.

26 And I will cast thee out, and thy mother that bare thee, into another country, where ye were not born; and there shall ye die.

27 But to the land whereunto they desire to return, thither shall they not return.

28 Is this man Coniah a despised broken idol? is he a vessel wherein is no pleasure? wherefore are they cast out, he and his seed, and are cast into a land which they know not?

29 O earth, earth, earth, hear the word of the LORD.

30 Thus saith the LORD, **Write ye this man childless**, a man that shall not prosper in his days: for no man of his seed shall prosper, sitting upon the throne of David, and ruling any more in Judah.

Jeremiah 36:30-31

30 Therefore thus saith the LORD of Jehoiakim king of Judah; **He shall have none to sit upon the throne of David:** and his dead body shall be cast out in the day to the heat, and in the night to the frost.

31 And I will punish him and his seed and his servants for their iniquity; and I will bring upon them, and upon the inhabitants of Jerusalem, and upon the men of Judah, all the evil that I have pronounced against them; but they hearkened not.

The Curse of Coniah-Jechoniah
was bypassed through of the
Virgin Birth.

4 Women

Tamar, Rahab, Ruth, Bath-Sheba

4 Men:

Abraham

Isaac

Jacob

Judah

I. Abraham- Father of a Multitude

James 2:23 (King James Version)

²³And the scripture was fulfilled which saith, Abraham believed God, and it was imputed unto him for righteousness: and he was called the Friend of God.

Isaiah 41:8 (King James Version)

⁸But thou, Israel, art my servant, Jacob whom I have chosen, the seed of Abraham my friend.

2 Chronicles 20:7 (King James Version)

7Art not thou our God, who didst drive out the inhabitants of this land before thy people Israel, and gavest it to the seed of Abraham thy friend for ever?

John 15:13-15 (King James Version)

¹³Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends.

¹⁴Ye are my friends, if ye do whatsoever I command you.

¹⁵Henceforth I call you not servants; for the servant knoweth not what his lord doeth: but I have called you friends; for all things that I have heard of my Father I have made known unto you.

II. Isaac -- Laughter

Genesis 26:27-33

27 And Isaac said unto them, Wherefore come ye to me, seeing ye hate me, and have sent me away from you?

28 And they said, We saw certainly that the LORD was with thee: and we said, Let there be now an oath betwixt us, even betwixt us and thee, and let us make a covenant with thee; **29** That thou wilt do us no hurt, as we have not touched thee, and as we have done unto thee nothing but good, and have sent thee away in peace: thou art now the blessed of the LORD.

30 And he made them a feast, and they did eat and drink.

31 And they rose up betimes in the morning, and swore one to another: and Isaac sent them away, and they departed from him in peace.

32 And it came to pass the same day, that Isaac's servants came, and told him concerning the well which they had digged, and said unto him, We have found water.

33 And he called it Shebah: therefore the name of the city is Beersheba unto this day.

Proverbs 20:18 (KJV)

18 Every purpose is established
by counsel: and with good
advice make war.

Isaac - Jews

Jacob - Jews

Ishamel – Arabs

Esau –
Edomites, Idumeans

Herod the Great
Nation vanishes
after AD 70

III. Jacob – Supplanter (to take the place of)

Genesis 25:21-23 (King James Version)

21 And Isaac intreated the LORD for his wife, because she was barren: and the LORD was intreated of him, and Rebekah his wife conceived.

22 And the children struggled together within her; and she said, If it be so, why am I thus? And she went to enquire of the LORD.

23 And the LORD said unto her, Two nations are in thy womb, and two manner of people shall be separated from thy bowels; and the one people shall be stronger than the other people; and the elder shall serve the younger.

Genesis 27:34-36 (King James Version)

34 And when Esau heard the words of his father, he cried with a great and exceeding bitter cry, and said unto his father, Bless me, even me also, O my father.

35 And he said, Thy brother came with subtilty, and hath taken away thy blessing.

36 And he said, Is not he rightly named Jacob? for he hath supplanted me these two times: he took away my birthright; and, behold, now he hath taken away my blessing. And he said, Hast thou not reserved a blessing for me?