

The Genealogy of Jesus

Matthew 1:1-17

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Introduction: Most of us are at least familiar with our history. We can probably name our parents, our aunts and uncles, our grandparents, some of us even great grandparents, and a few of us can go even further back. Many of those who do not know their ancestry want to know it. People look through records and make calls to strangers to find out information about their past. I want to share three things about the genealogy of Jesus. Open your Bible and notice these things with me. Let's study together...

Discussion:

I. The Genealogy of Jesus Proves He Was Truly Human

He Was Fully Man (Luke 22:70)

He Was Not A Demi-God (I Timothy 2:5)

He Was Not An Angel (Genesis 18:2)

II. The Genealogy of Jesus Links The Past & The Present

His Family Tree Is Vital (II Samuel 7:14-16)

His Roots Are In The Ages (Galatians 4:4)

His Ancestors Were Waiting For The Seed (Hebrews 11:13)

III. The Genealogy of Jesus Has Positive Results

His Heritage Was Mixed (Matthew 1:6-7)

His Righteousness Was Not Inherited (Romans 5:12)

His Nationality Is Universal (Genesis 22:18)

Conclusion: Do you want to be added to the family of God (**Galatians 3:26-27**)? Do you want encouragement from your brothers and sisters? Are you looking for help or need prayers? The family of God is here for you today AND your Heavenly Father is with you always! Let the Father add you to His family tree. Let His Son save you. Let His Holy Spirit seal you. Your adoption papers are ready!