

## Who Is This?

Mt. 21:10-11

10. When Jesus entered Jerusalem, the whole city was stirred and asked, "Who is this?"

11. The crowds answered, "This is Jesus, the prophet from Nazareth in Galilee."

Mk. 4:41 - They were terrified and asked each other, "Who is this? Even the wind and the waves obey him!"

Lk. 5:20-21

20. When Jesus saw their faith, he said, "Friend, your sins are forgiven."

21. The Pharisees and the teachers of the law began thinking to themselves, "Who is this fellow who speaks blasphemy? Who can forgive sins but God alone?"

Lk. 7:47-49

47. Therefore, I tell you, her many sins have been forgiven--for she loved much. But he who has been forgiven little loves little."

48. Then Jesus said to her, "Your sins are forgiven."

49. The other guests began to say among themselves, "Who is this who even forgives sins?"

Jn. 5:8-12

8. Then Jesus said to him, "Get up! Pick up your mat and walk."

9. At once the man was cured; he picked up his mat and walked. The day on which this took place was a Sabbath,

10. and so the Jews said to the man who had been healed, "It is the Sabbath; the law forbids you to carry your mat."

11. But he replied, "The man who made me well said to me, 'Pick up your mat and walk.'"

12. So they asked him, "Who is this fellow who told you to pick it up and walk?"

Jn. 12:32-34

32. But I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all men to myself."

33. He said this to show the kind of death he was going to die.

34. The crowd spoke up, "We have heard from the Law that the Christ will remain forever, so how can you say, 'The Son of Man must be lifted up'? Who is this 'Son of Man'?"

Isaiah 9:6-7

6. 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.

7. Of the increase of his government and peace there will be no end. He will reign on David's throne and over his kingdom, establishing and upholding it with justice and righteousness from that time on and forever. The zeal of the LORD Almighty will accomplish this.

**I.** He begins vs. 6 with "for unto us". We are the reason for the Universe! He created us so that we could have the opportunity to experience God's love!

**II.** "A Child is born" – His humanity (***Incarnation***)

**III.** "A Son is Given" – His divinity (***Crucifixion***)

**IV.** "and the government (Empire, kingdom, Kings domain) shall be (Carried) upon his shoulder" – His ascendancy, sovereignty and supreme authority (***Resurrection***)

Colossians. 3:1 - Since, then, you have been raised with Christ, set your hearts on things above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God.

Heb. 2:14,15 - Since the children have flesh and blood, he too shared in their humanity so that by his death he might destroy him who holds the power of death--that is, the devil--and free those who all their lives were held in slavery by their fear of death.

**V.** "and His Name"- honor, authority, character, what sets one apart  
Proverbs 22:1a - A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches,  
Church - Ekklesia - called out ones

**VI.** "shall be Called" = published, read about, pronounced, Cried unto, invited, declared, preached, proclaimed, made famous and renowned.

1. Wonderful = pele' (peh'-leh) - a miracle, a marvel, extraordinary, remarkable, amazing.

2. Counselor = ya'ats (yaw-ats') ; adviser; deliberator, one who resolves, lawyer, advocate, sustainer, consultant, guide, originator, one who gives purpose.

3. Mighty God = gibbôr /El = Almighty, powerful, warrior God who excels in everything and cannot lose.

4. Everlasting Father = aw-gan' – perpetual, eternal, one who stays, faithful in marriage, without end.

5. Prince of Peace

a. Prince = sar - head, boss, chief, director, commander, master, ruler and administrator.

b. shalom - safety, wellness, happiness, health, prosperity, peacefulness, wholeness.

“Of the increase of his government (Empire, kingdom, Kings domain) and peace (safety, wellness, happiness, health, prosperity, peacefulness, wholeness) there will be no end.(border, boundary, limit, after)”

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Ps. 24:7-10

7. Lift up your heads, O you gates; be lifted up, you ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.

8. Who is this King of glory? The LORD strong and mighty, the LORD mighty in battle.

9. Lift up your heads, O you gates; lift them up, you ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.

10. Who is he, this King of glory? The LORD Almighty-- he is the King of glory. Selah