

**What Child Is This?**

Is. 9:1-7

**1. We need a \_\_\_\_\_.** (vv. 1-5)

This original birth announcement was made in the midst of \_\_\_\_\_ and gloom.

Christmas joy is best understood in contrast to the brokenness of life \_\_\_\_\_ Him.

Vv. 2-3 describe how the birth of Christ will bring \_\_\_\_\_ to a world of darkness.

Vv. 4-5 describe how Jesus will finally bring \_\_\_\_\_ to Israel.

This is in line with biblical prophecy of the \_\_\_\_\_.

**2. What His name will be \_\_\_\_\_.** (v. 6)

It was absolutely necessary for our Savior to be \_\_\_\_\_ God and man.

- He is the \_\_\_\_\_.

But as used in the Bible, it is properly applied only to God and His works. Only \_\_\_\_\_ is wonderful!

As the Old Testament uses it, "Counselor" refers to an "advisor" or "consultant" who is \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

- He is the \_\_\_\_\_.

So Isaiah tells us that Jesus is our "\_\_\_\_\_."

This title tells us that our Hero, Jesus, is not \_\_\_\_\_ the Son of God; He is also God the Son.

- He is the \_\_\_\_\_.

This literally means that He lives in the \_\_\_\_\_. All the past and all the future are present for Him.

- He is the \_\_\_\_\_.

This phrase can be translated, "The prince whose \_\_\_\_\_ brings peace."

**3. What our Savior will \_\_\_\_\_.** (v. 7)

Jesus is coming again to establish His \_\_\_\_\_.

God \_\_\_\_\_ desires His plan of redemption to be accomplished in the world He created, and in your life.

**Calvary Connection Group**  
Discussion Questions for the week of Dec. 19, 2021

**Getting to Know Me**

- Are you a thin crust or a deep dish pizza kind of person? Why?
- At what age did you come to know Jesus Christ as your Savior? Briefly describe how that happened, if you can.

**Into the Bible**

- What one thing stood out to you in this week's sermon as something important to understand and apply?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- Isaiah 9 skips from the birth of Jesus, His 1<sup>st</sup> Coming, to His 2<sup>nd</sup> Coming in the blink of an eye, but we know that this spans at least 2,000 years. His 1<sup>st</sup> Coming was humble and peaceful. What will His 2<sup>nd</sup> Coming be like? Read Rev. 19:11-20:6. How is Jesus described at this time?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- Also from Rev. 19:11-20:6, what will we who are currently believers be doing in the Millennial Kingdom? (See esp. 20:6; also Rev. 5:10; 2 Tim. 2:12) What do you think that means?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- All of these names deserve further study to fully understand them, but let's focus on one: Mighty God. Read Jer. 32:17-22. This is just part of Jeremiah's prayer for Jerusalem, but it speaks of the Mighty God, *El Gibbor*, and some of His works. What has our Hero God done for Israel? What has He done for you?

**Application**

- Which of these 4 names or titles that Isaiah gives to Jesus means the most to you? Why?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- Linus dropped his blanket as he said the words, "Fear not!" What fear or fears do you think Jesus wants you to trust Him with and let go of?