

God presents to us our Savior, for us to name our King.

1. God Delivered Our Savior—Christ the King His Son. Matt. 1-3

- a. Christ’s lineage genealogy and the virgin birth proved He is the promised Messiah (1).
- b. Christ was visited by wise kings (2), taken secretly to Egypt escaping Herod.
- c. John the Baptist announced the King, preached His baptism, and baptized Jesus (3).

“And when Jesus was baptized, immediately he went up from the water, and behold, the heavens were opened to him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and coming to rest on him; and behold, a voice from heaven said, ‘This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased,’”
Matt. 3:16-17

2. Christ Delivered His Gospel—Salvation Offered to All Nations. Matt. 4-10

- a. Christ proved His power over Satan and temptation (4) and called disciples in Galilee.
- b. Jesus preached His mountain sermon (5-7) with beatitudes, rules of law, and True Way.
- c. He demonstrated and shared with apostles powers over healing, weather, and life (8-10).

“And he called to him his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to heal every disease and every affliction.” ... “These twelve Jesus sent out, instructing them, ‘Go nowhere among the Gentiles and enter no town of the Samaritans, but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. And proclaim as you go, saying, ‘The kingdom of heaven is at hand. ‘Heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse lepers, cast out demons,’” Matt. 10:1 ... 5-7

3. His own Rejected Him—or Believed in Him. Matt. 11-28

- a. John the Baptist was rejected (11). The Pharisees rejected Christ, planned His death (12).
- b. Christ taught in parables (13), miracles (14), and debated Pharisees and Sadducees (15).
- c. Peter confessed Christ (16). Christ prepared His disciples for faith and His death (16-20).
- d. Christ presented Himself entering into Jerusalem (21) and debated leaders (22-23).
- e. He prophesied His Second Coming (24) and Judgment (25).
- f. Leaders plotted His death, Judas betrayed Him, He was arrested, Peter denied Him (26).
- g. Christ was crucified and buried (27), and resurrected from an empty tomb (28)!

“Now when Jesus came into the district of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, ‘Who do people say that the Son of Man is?’ And they said, ‘Some say John the Baptist, others say Elijah, and others Jeremiah or one of the prophets.’ He said to them, ‘But who do you say that I am?’ Simon Peter replied, ‘You are the Christ, the Son of the living God.’ And Jesus answered him, ‘Blessed are you, Simon Bar-Jonah! For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my Father who is in heaven,’” Matt. 16:13-17

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