

THE VIRGIN BIRTH OF THE LORD JESUS CHRIST

1. The virgin birth was planned in eternity past.
 - A. Psalm 2:7, "I will declare the decree: the Lord hath said unto Me, Thou art my Son; this day have I begotten Thee."
2. The virgin birth was prophesied.
 - A. Isaiah 7:14, "Therefore the Lord Himself shall give you a sign; Behold, a virgin shall conceive, and bear a Son, and shall call His Name Immanuel."
3. God made preparation for the virgin birth.
4. Attacks were made on the humanity of Christ by Satan.
5. Hebrews 19:1-22 is Christ's birth from the standpoint of Deity.
6. Luke chapter one is Christ's birth from the standpoint of humanity.
7. Jesus Christ's humanity came from God, virgin birth, and went back to God in resurrection and ascension.
8. Jesus was born of virgin Mary. Luke 2:11, "For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, which is Christ the Lord."
 - A. Mary was the mother of the humanity of Jesus Christ, not the mother of His Deity. Mary was not the mother of God. God does not have a mother. She was the mother only of the humanity.
9. The provision of God the Holy Spirit in the virgin birth, is given in Luke 1:35.
 - A. "And the angel answered and said unto her, The Holy Spirit shall come upon thee, and the power of the Highest shall overshadow thee: therefore also that Holy Thing which shall be born of thee shall be called the Son of God."
10. Romans 1:3, "Made ... according to the flesh" means made according to the norm or standard of the flesh. He was bonafide humanity. He was born trichotomous: Body, Soul and Spirit. The human race was born spiritually dead, so dichotomous, no human spirit.
 - A. Ephesians 2:2, 5, "Wherein in time past ye walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that now worketh in the children of disobedience." "Even when we were dead in sins, hath quickened us together with Christ, (by GRACE ye are saved.)"
 1. No ability to have fellowship with God. Dead.
11. It was necessary for Jesus Christ to have a human spirit to understand the will of God the Father in His humanity.
12. He did not have a human father, so He did not have an old sin nature.
13. The virgin birth fulfills the Davidic Covenant.
 - A. 2 Samuel 7.

- B. Psalm 89:3, "I have made a covenant with My chosen, I have sworn unto David My servant."
 - C. 2 Chronicles 21.
 - D. Mary is in the line of David. God promises unconditionally to David that he will have a Son who will reign forever and ever, anticipation of the fulfillment at the Second Advent.
14. There are two genealogies of Jesus Christ in His humanity.
- A. Legal line, Joseph.
 - B. Birth line, Mary, royal line. Both came from David.
15. Without the virgin birth, there is no salvation.
- A. "Neither is there salvation in any other, there is no other Name on Earth under Heaven, whereby we must be saved," Acts 4:12.

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