

How Jesus Was Born as a Descendant of David

A. Review: Saul and David. Exodus; 1 Samuel; 2 Samuel.

1. At first God was Israel's I _____ King. (Exodus 19-24)
2. He lived among them in a _____ (often called the "tabernacle"). (Exodus 26-27)
3. But Israel requested a v _____ king. (1 Samuel 8:4-6). This hurt God's feelings, but He granted them their request (1 Samuel 8:7-9).
4. God told the prophet Samuel that S _____ was to be Israel's first king (1 Sam. 9:15-17).
5. Samuel anointed Saul as king by pouring olive _____ on his head (1 Sam. 10:1).
6. Next, God anointed Saul with His H _____ S _____ (1 Sam. 10:9-11). To show that Saul had the Holy Spirit, the Spirit of God came upon Saul mightily and he started to prophesy (1 Sam. 10:10-11).
7. Later, Saul disobeyed God, and God rejected him from being Israel's king. Samuel told Saul, "To o _____ is better than s _____." (1 Sam. 15:22). He also said, "R _____ is like the sin of d _____" (meaning "witchcraft") (1 Sam. 15:23).
8. Instead of Saul, God chose D _____ to be king over Israel (1 Sam. 16:1-13). Samuel anointed David with o _____, and then the S _____ of the L _____ came upon him mightily from that day forward (1 Sam. 16:13).
9. The first evidence that God's Spirit was upon David was when he, as a teenager, without any armor killed a mighty giant named G _____! (1 Sam. 17:1-54). How did he kill him? (1 Sam. 17:48-50) _____

10. David became Saul's g _____ (1 Sam. 18). Saul grew jealous of David and repeatedly tried to k _____ him (1 Sam. 19-30). Finally, Saul was killed in battle (1 Sam. 31). Later David himself became k _____, first, over the tribe of J _____ (2 Sam. 2:1-4).
11. After a brief time of civil war, finally all I _____ as well as Judah made him king over the whole nation (2 Sam. 5:1-5).

B. God Promises David a Dynasty. 1 Samuel 7

1. David had a heart for God. He wanted to build God a h_____ of cedar to live in instead of a t_____ of curtains (2 Sam. 7:1-2).
2. The prophet Nathan told David that God said, "instead of you building me a house, I will build you a _____" (2 Sam. 7:11). By that God meant a dynasty. (What does "dynasty" mean?) _____
3. God told David his son (S_____) would build God a house (temple) (2 Sam. 7:12). Then he said something extremely important to David: (2 Sam. 7:16)
 - a. "Your h_____
 - b. and your k_____ will endure forever before Me;
 - c. your t_____ will be established f_____!"
4. How on earth would that happen?
5. When did the northern ten tribes get carried off into captivity by A_____? (In _____ B.C.)
6. When did the southern two tribes get carried off into captivity, and the temple get destroyed by B_____? (in _____ B.C.)
7. For hundreds of years after that there was no k_____ reigning over Israel.

C. The Angel Gabriel Appeared to Mary. Luke 1:26-35

1. An angel named _____ was sent to the city of N_____. He appeared to a young woman who was a v_____. She was engaged to a man named J_____. He was a descendant of D_____. The woman's name was M_____ (Luke 1:26-27).
2. The angel told her, "You have found f_____ with God. You will be with child and give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name _____. He will be great and will be called the _____ of the M_____ H_____. The Lord will give him the t_____ of His father D_____." (Luke 1:30-32).
3. He continued, "And He will reign over the h_____ of Jacob f_____. His k_____ will _____ end." (Luke 1:33)
4. So far, the people of Israel have not anointed Jesus as their King. Have you?