

Christmas...A Divine Intervention

Isaiah 9:6

⁶For unto us a Child is born, Unto us a Son is given;
And the government will be upon His shoulder,
And His name will be called Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God,
Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.



The Day Is Described

- **Isaiah 8:22 (NKJV)**

Then they will look to the earth, and see trouble and darkness, gloom of anguish; and *they will be* driven into darkness.

- **Isaiah 8:22 (NLT)**

...and down at the earth, but wherever they look, there will be trouble and anguish and dark despair. They will be thrown out into the darkness.

- **Proverbs 29:2 (NKJV)**

When the righteous are in authority, the people rejoice; but when a wicked *man* rules, the people groan.

- **2 Kings 16:2-4 (NLT)**

Ahaz was twenty years old when he became king, and he reigned in Jerusalem sixteen years. He did not do what was pleasing in the sight of the LORD his God, as his ancestor David had done. ³Instead, he followed the example of the kings of Israel, even sacrificing his own son in the fire.^[a] In this way, he followed the detestable practices of the pagan nations the LORD had driven from the land ahead of the Israelites. ⁴He offered sacrifices and burned incense at the pagan shrines and on the hills and under every green tree.

- **Isaiah 8:19 (NLT)**

Someone may say to you, "Let's ask the mediums and those who consult the spirits of the dead. With their whisperings and mutterings, they will tell us what to do." But shouldn't people ask God for guidance? Should the living seek guidance from the dead?

Sunday Sermon Outline

What is wrong with the World?

- **Genesis 6:5 (NKJV)**

Then the LORD^[a] saw that the wickedness of man *was* great in the earth, and *that* every intent of the thoughts of his heart *was* only evil continually.

- **Jeremiah 17:9 (NLT)**

“The human heart is the most deceitful of all things, and desperately wicked. Who really knows how bad it is?”

Isaiah 64:6 (NKJV)

“And all our righteousness are like filthy rags,”

Isaiah 7:14 (NKJV)

Therefore the Lord Himself will give you a sign: Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a Son, and shall call His name Immanuel.