

“Christmas Caesar Worship.” Christmas 2019 Sermon

I Text:

Old Covenant: Isaiah 53

New Covenant: *Luke 2:1-7*

II Doctrine: The Son of God decided to be incarnated to save his people. Our lord Jesus Christ would crush the power of Satan and establish his empire of redemption. Empires of the world were always built with the power of the material world. Christ conquered the world through his spirit. All the wealth and power of Caesar Augustus could not stop the empire of the real Caesar. The King of the universe and his saving grace is all we need.

III Comparing Scripture With Scripture:

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2) Empires of the world were always built with the power of the material world. Christ conquered the world through his spirit. (*Isaiah 53*)

3) All the wealth and power of Caesar Augustus could not stop the empire of the real Caesar. The King of the universe and his saving grace is all we need. (*Luke 2:1-7; Isaiah 9:6,7*)

History and Etymology for incarnate

Adjective

Middle English incarnat, from Late Latin incarnatus, past participle of incarnare to incarnate, from Latin in- + carn-, caro flesh — more at CARNAL

Average Daily Suicides per Month, 2015

Month	Average # of suicide deaths per day	2015 rank
January	116.71	9
February	114.82	10
March	126.94	3
April	124.20	6
May	127.94	1
June	126.17	5
July	127.23	2
August	126.19	4
September	119.27	7
October	118.97	8
November	111.90	12
December	111.90	11
2015 Average	121.02	

Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's National Center for Health Statistics.

