

Jesus At Age 12
Luke 2:39-52

- I. He Grew and Increased in Wisdom (39-40)
 - A. What a great mystery the Incarnation is!
 - B. Consider the contrast:
- II. Jesus At The Temple (41-51)
 - A. Jesus' parents were demonstrating faithfulness, once again
 - B. Because of His age (and culture) Jesus was able to be left behind
 - C. When His family finds Him, Jesus is in the temple – listening, asking, and answering
 - D. People marveled at Jesus and His understanding
 - E. A mild rebuke by His mother – which was not warranted
 - F. Did you not know...
 - G. Jesus maintained righteousness, even toward His earthly parents
- III. The Marvel of the Incarnation, Revisited (52)
 - A. He kept increasing in wisdom and stature
 - B. He increased in favor with God and man