

The Genesis of Jesus

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Matthew 1:1, 6-17

I. The Time Was Ripe

A. Fourteens: why?

B. What is clear

II. Despite Sin—Or Because of Sin?

A. “By the wife of Uriah” (2 Samuel 11-12)

B. Manasseh (2 Kings 21:1-15)

C. The deportation to Babylon (586 BC, see Ezra 3:12-13)

D. God’s answer to sin

III. The New Genesis

A. Back to the beginning!

B. Jesus came to bring a new creation (see Mark 1:27; John 2:21; Ephesians 2:9; 2 Corinthians 5:17)

C. Jesus promises a new creation (see Matthew 19:28; Titus 3:4-7)

D. Do we need a new beginning? (see Hebrews 12:4; John 3:30; Revelation 21:5; 22:20)