

"Example is always stronger than precepts; a good man's life often teaches more than his words."

- JC HARVEY









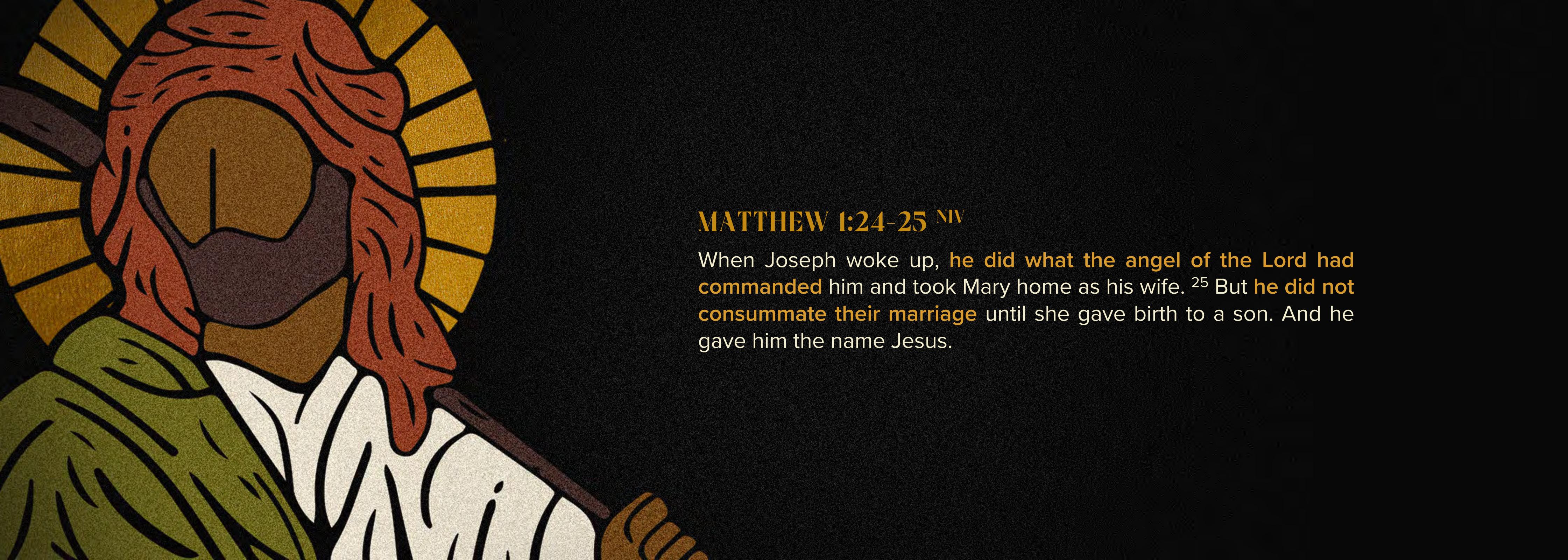


MATTHEW 1:20-23 NIV

But after he had considered this, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, "Joseph son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary home as your wife, because what is conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit. ²¹ She will give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins." ²² All this took place to fulfill what the Lord had said through the prophet: ²³ "The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel" (which means "God with us").

OLD TESTAMENT PROPHECIES FULFILLED

Born of a Woman Gen 3:15
Seed of Abraham Gen 22:18
Tribe of Judah Gen 49:10
Family of David 2 Sam 7:12-13
Born in Bethlehem Micah 5:2
Son of a Virgin Isaiah 7:14



JOSEPH ISAMANWHO...

...trusts God's Word.

...puts others needs ahead of himself.

...endures hardship.

...remains faithful in all things, always.

JOSEPHIS A MAN WHO LOVES WELL.



LOWE FOR OTHERS

Seeks God's best for them regardless of the cost.

- John 3:16, 1 John 3:16



LOVE FOR OTHERS

Seeks God's best for them regardless of the cost.

- John 3:16, 1 John 3:16

LOVE FORGOD

Seeks to obey Him regardless of the cost.

- John 14:15, 23-24

MATTHEW 1:18a, 21, 23 NIV

¹⁸ This is how the birth of Jesus (Christ) the Messiah came about...

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"If we could condense all the truths of Christmas into only three words, these would be the words: 'God with us.'

More astonishing than a baby in the manger is the truth that this promised baby is the omnipotent Creator of the heavens and the earth!"

- JOHN MACARTHUR



JOHN 3:16-17 NIV

For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. ¹⁷ For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him.