

Lesson Guide 2 – The Life of Jesus (Jesus is Coming)

Isaiah 9, John 1

Pre-class Activity – Class Starter Worksheet (Brainercise Answer: **Age, Who Am I: Aquilla**)

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Prayer Requests

- Praise
- Thanksgiving
- Concern
- Grow up to be like Jesus

Story of Jesus - The story of Jesus began before his birth. Listen to this first chapter of John and substitute Jesus' name when you hear "the Word". What do we learn about Jesus?

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1. In the beginning was Jesus
2. Jesus was with God
3. Jesus was God
4. Jesus was with God in the beginning
5. Even though Jesus was God, he took on flesh and became like us
6. Though the world was made through Jesus, the world did not recognize him when he came to earth.

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Classroom Activity Rebus Worksheet – Have students look up passages and fill out worksheet

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Jesus was Known by Other Names – Review Rebus Worksheet with students

God the Father and Jesus the Son knew from the beginning of time that men would sin. And they had a plan to bring people back in a close friendship with God – Jesus would come to earth. The whole O.T. is dotted with scriptures that tell us, "Jesus is Coming!"

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Redeemer – Job 19:25, Jesus paid the price for us. We were prisoners of the world, and he redeemed us. We were hostages, and he paid our ransom with his own blood.

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Cornerstone – Isaiah 28:16 Jesus is the most important foundation stone in the entire building. The church is the temple of God and everything begins with Jesus and depends on Jesus.

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Holy One Psalm 16:10 Jesus is the one like God. Just as we can't begin to reach up and touch a star no matter how hard we stretch, Jesus is that far above us and more.

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Righteous Branch – Jeremiah 23:5 Jesus came through the family of David, the great king of Israel. Jesus is the very most excellent person in David's entire family tree.

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Anointed One Daniel 9:25 Jesus is the one especially chosen by God. Just as God chose David to be king by anointing his head with oil, God also chose Jesus to do the most important job in the universe.

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Prince of Peace Isaiah 9:6, 7 Jesus is the king's son, the crown prince. His kingdom is a kingdom of peace, because he makes peace between God and Man.

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Man of Sorrows – Isaiah 53:3 Jesus was often sad while he lived on earth. It made him sad to see the pain and evil in the world he made. Then at the end of his life, he carried all our sorrows on the cross

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Sun of Righteousness – Malachi 4:2 Jesus is the bright and shining light of goodness and holiness that fills the special need in all the people of every nation.

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