



The Forgotten Jesus Podcast Discussion Guide

Season 3 Episode 5

The Promise

“Today on the podcast we will examine the Genealogy in Matthew 1 and uncover right from the start the first two themes Matthew is pointing to in Jesus.”

Introduction

Recap: After our brief detour to look at the connections between Isaac and Jesus in Genesis 22 we return to the three themes of Matthew and the genealogy of Jesus.

1. Jesus is the new Moses
2. Jesus is the son of David
3. Jesus is God in the flesh, God with us.

Take a few minutes to review this week's episode and what stuck out to everyone from the episode.

What questions do you have about the genealogy of Jesus or Biblical genealogies in general?

Discussion

Have someone read aloud **Matthew 1:1-17, Exodus 6:14-27**.

What stands out to you about the genealogy of Jesus and what do you think is the significance of those things?

How do we start to see some of the themes of Matthew in the genealogy?

How is Jesus's genealogy reminiscent of Old Testament genealogies?



Application

Take some time to apply what you have discussed to yourself and the Bible.

“The Jews did not read the Bible to learn information but for intimacy with a person”

How has your intimacy with Christ been growing through your engagement with his word?

How has deeper study of God’s word impacted your understanding of Jesus?

Pray

At the end of your conversation, spend some time praying as a group. Here are some prompts:

One of the ways to grow in intimacy with God through scripture is by praying it. What are some scriptures you love to pray?

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