

Treasure Hunt

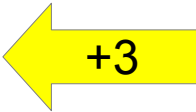
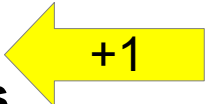
- How does Matthew honor Mary in his genealogy?
- How is the Spirit's work in us similar to his work in Mary?
- Why does the Lord choose a dream as the way to tell Joseph what is happening?

3 x 14?

vv. 2-6

- 1 ²Abraham
- 2 Isaac
- 3 Jacob
- 4 Judas ...
- 5 Phares ... of **Thamar**
- 6 Esrom
- 7 Aram
- 8 ⁴Aminadab
- 9 Naasson
- 10 Salmon
- 11 ⁵Booz of **Rachab**
- 12 Obed of **Ruth**
- 13 Jesse
- 14 ⁶David the king

vv. 6-11

- Solomon of [**Bathsheba**]
- ⁷Roboam
- Abia
- Asa
- ⁸Josaphat
- Joram 
- Ozias
- ⁹Joatham
- Achaz
- Ezekias
- ¹⁰Manasses
- Amon
- Josias
- ¹¹Jechonias ... 

vv. 12-16

- ¹²Salathiel
- Zorobabel
- ¹³Abiud
- Eliakim
- Azor
- ¹⁴Sadoc
- Achim
- Eliud
- ¹⁵Eleazar
- Matthan
- Jacob
- ¹⁶Joseph
- Mary**
- Jesus

Missing Generations in vv. 6-11

Matt 1:6-11	1 Chr 3:1-15
Solomon	¹⁰ Solomon
⁷ Roboam	Rehoboam
Abia	Abia
Asa	Asa
⁸ Josaphat	Jehoshaphat
Joram	¹¹ Joram
Missing!	Ahaziah
	Joash
	¹² Amaziah
Ozias	Azariah = Uzziah
⁹ Joatham	Jotham
Achaz	¹³ Ahaz
Ezekias	Hezekiah
¹⁰ Manasses	Manasseh
Amon	¹⁴ Amon
Josias	Josiah
Missing!	¹⁵ Jehoiakim
¹¹ Jechonias ...	¹⁶ Jechoniah

Other Missing Generations

Ezr 7:1-5 (“son of,” moving down)	1 Chr 6:3-14 (“begat,” moving up)
1 Ezra (458 BC)	
Missing!	15 Jehozadak (586 BC)
Seraiah,	14 Seraiah
(6 common names)	
3 Azariah,	10 Azariah
Missing!	Johanan
	Azariah
	9 Ahimaaz
	Zadok
	8 Ahitub
Amariah	
3 Meraioth,	7 Meraioth
(7 common names)	
5 Aaron	3 Aaron

Two-Step Marriage

	Engagement Betrothal Espousal	← Delay →	Marriage “Come together” “Take unto him”
Ancient	More formal		Less formal
Modern	Less formal		More formal

Who is Jesus' Father?

Matthew's record:

- 18 “before they came together”
- 18 “of the Holy Ghost”
- 20 “of the Holy Ghost”
- 23 “a virgin shall be with child”
- 25 “knew her not.”

OT:

- “Holy Spirit” 2x (LXX, not MT)
- “God's Spirit” 16x, “his [God's] Spirit” 5x

Gen 1:2 And the Spirit of God moved [hovered] upon the face of the waters.

Three Works of the Life-Giving Spirit

Creation

- Gen 1:2 And the Spirit of God moved [hovered] upon the face of the waters.
- Deu 32:11 As an eagle stirreth up her nest, fluttereth over her young,
- Rashi (on Gen 1:2): like a dove, which hovers over the nest

Incarnation

Mat 1:20 that which is conceived in her is of the Holy Ghost.

Maturation

- Eze 36:27 And I will put my spirit within you, and cause you to walk in my statutes, and ye shall keep my judgments, and do *them*.
- 1Co 2:15 But he that is spiritual judgeth all things, yet he himself is judged of no man.
- Gal 4:19 My little children, of whom I travail in birth again until Christ be formed in you,

The Conditions of Deut 22

Section	Woman's Status	Woman Guilty?	Consequences
22:13-21 The Wife Accused	Married		
15-19		No	Husband fined; may never put her away
20-21		Yes	Wife executed by stoning.
22:22 The Adulteress Discovered		Not Stated	Wife and illicit partner executed.
22:23-24 Defiled in the City	Engaged	Presumed Yes	Man and woman both executed.
22:25-27 Defiled in the Country		Presumed No	Only man executed; woman goes free.
22:28-29 Single Girl Defiled	Single	Not Stated	Man must marry woman; can never put her away.