



“The Song Of Zechariah: Hope For The Sinful”

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I. Our theme for Advent: *Find The Wonder*. Why do I have to “find” it?

II. We’ll be using Luke’s gospel during Advent. Why did Luke write this book? (1:1-4)

III. Curiously, Luke doesn’t begin his Christmas story with the birth of Christ but with the birth of John the Baptist.

A. A flyover of the story. Some notes:

B. Why does Luke begin with this story? Why doesn’t he skip it and just begin with Jesus?

IV. In Zechariah’s Song (1:67-79), we uncover three themes that tie the Old Testament to Jesus Christ:

**Theme #1: Jesus fulfills all the _____
prophecies in the Old Testament (vss.68-71)**

**Theme #2: Jesus fulfills the picture of salvation God
painted through _____ in the Old
Testament (vss.72-75)**

➤ He fulfilled each of Israel’s primary leadership roles

➤ He fulfilled each of Israel’s rituals and feasts

**Theme #3: Jesus fulfills the longing of every human
who has ever lived – to be delivered from the
_____ (1:76-79)**