

Old Testament Verses Found In The Gospel of Matthew

THE COMING BIRTH OF JESUS IS ANNOUNCED

Matthew 1:23a - 'Behold, a virgin shall be with child, and bear a son, and they shall call his name Immanuel' (Isaiah 7:14).

INFANCY AND CHILDHOOD OF JESUS

Matthew 2:6 - 'But you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are not the least among the rulers of Judah; for out of you shall come a ruler who will shepherd my people Israel' (Micah 5:2)."

Matthew 2:15b - 'Out of Egypt I called my son' (Hosea 11:1).

Matthew 2:18 - 'A voice was heard in Ramah, lamentation, weeping and great mourning, Rachel weeping for her children, refusing to be comforted, because they were no more' (Jeremiah 31:15).

APPEARANCE OF JOHN THE BAPTIST

Matthew 3:3b - 'The voice of one crying in the wilderness: Prepare the way of the Lord, make his paths straight' (Isaiah 40:3)

JESUS' TEMPTATION BY THE DEVIL

Matthew 4:4b - 'Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds from the mouth of God' (Deuteronomy 8:3)."

Matthew 4:6b - 'He shall give his angels charge concerning you,' and 'In their hands they shall bear you up, lest you dash your foot against a stone' (Psalm 91:11,12)."

Matthew 4:7b - 'You shall not tempt the Lord your God' (Deuteronomy 6:16)."

Matthew 4:10b - 'You shall worship the Lord your God, and him only you shall serve' (Deuteronomy 6:13)."

HOW JESUS STARTS HIS MINISTRY ACCORDING TO MATTHEW

Matthew 4:15-16 - 'The land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, the way of the sea, beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles: the people who sat in darkness saw a great light, and upon those who sat in the region and shadow of death, light has dawned' (Isaiah 9:1,2).

SERMON ON THE MOUNT

Anger and Reconciliation

Matthew 5:21b - 'You shall not murder' (Exodus 20:13; Deuteronomy 5:17),

Adultery and Lust

Matthew 5:27b - 'You shall not commit adultery' (Exodus 20:14; Deuteronomy 5:18).

Divorce and Adultery

Matthew 5:27b - 'Whoever divorces his wife, let him give her a certificate of divorce' (Deuteronomy 24:1).

Swearing and Making Vows

Matthew 5:33b - 'You shall not swear falsely, but shall perform your oaths to the Lord' (Leviticus 19:12; Numbers 30:2; Deuteronomy 23:21),

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Don't Take Revenge - "Turn the Other Cheek"

Matthew 5:38b - 'An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth' (Exodus 21:24; Leviticus 24:20; Deuteronomy 19:21),

Don't Hate - "Love Your Enemies"

Matthew 5:43b - 'You shall love your neighbor' (Leviticus 19:18)

CALLING OF MATTHEW THE TAX COLLECTOR

Matthew 9:13b - 'I desire mercy and not sacrifice' (Hosea 6:6).

WARNINGS AND ENCOURAGEMENTS AS THE APOSTLES ARE SENT OUT

Matthew 10:35b-36 - 'set a man against his own father, a daughter against her own mother, and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law', and 'a man's foes will be those of his own household' (Micah 7:6).

JESUS AND JOHN THE BAPTIST COMPARED - "YET STILL THE PEOPLE WILL NOT REPENT"-

Matthew 11:10b - 'Behold, I send my messenger before your face, who will prepare your way before you' (Malachi 3:1).

THE DISCIPLES PICK CORN ON THE SABBATH - "THE SABBATH IS MADE FOR MAN"

Matthew 12:7b - 'I desire mercy and not sacrifice' (Hosea 6:6)

JESUS CONTINUES HEALING MANY

Matthew 12:18-21 - 'Behold, my servant whom I have chosen, my beloved in whom my soul is well pleased; I will put my Spirit upon him, and he will declare justice to the Gentiles. He will not quarrel nor cry out, nor will anyone hear his voice in the streets. A bruised reed he will not break, and smoking flax he will not quench, till he sends forth justice to victory. And in his name Gentiles will trust' (Isaiah 42:1-4).

WHY JESUS SPOKE IN PARABLES

Matthew 13:14b-15 - 'Hearing you will hear and shall not understand, and seeing you will see and not perceive; for the heart of this people has grown dull. Their ears are hard of hearing, and their eyes they have closed, lest they should see with their eyes and hear with their ears, lest they should understand with their heart and turn, so that I should heal them' (Isaiah 6:9,10).

Matthew 13:35b - 'I will open my mouth in parables; I will utter things which have been kept secret from the foundation of the world' (Psalm 78:2).

JESUS AND THE SCRIBES AND PHARISEES - "WHAT REALLY MAKES A PERSON CLEAN"

Matthew 15:4b - 'Honor your father and your mother' (Exodus 20:12; Deuteronomy 5:16), and

Matthew 15:4c - 'He who curses father or mother, let him be put to death' (Exodus 21:17; Leviticus 20:9).

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Matthew 15:8-9 - 'These people draw near to me with their mouth, and honor me with their lips, but their heart is far from me. And in vain they worship me, teaching as doctrines the commandments of men' ([Isaiah 29:13](#))."

POSSESSIONS AS A POSSIBLE BARRIER TO FOLLOWING JESUS - "THE RICH YOUNG MAN"

Matthew 19:18b-19a - "'You shall not murder,' 'You shall not commit adultery,' 'You shall not steal,' 'You shall not bear false witness,' 'Honor your father and your mother' ([Exodus 20:12-16](#); [Deuteronomy 5:16-20](#))

Matthew 19b - 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself' ([Leviticus 19:18](#)),"

THE FINAL ENTRY OF JESUS INTO JERUSALEM

Matthew 21:5 - 'Tell the daughter of Zion, Behold your king is coming to you, lowly, and sitting on a donkey, a colt, the foal of a donkey' ([Zechariah 9:9](#)).

Matthew 21:9b - 'Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!' ([Psalm 118:26](#))

JESUS DRIVES THE BUYERS AND SELLERS FROM THE TEMPLE

Matthew 21:13b - 'My house shall be called a house of prayer' ([Isaiah 56:7](#)).

Matthew 21:13c - 'den of thieves!' ([Jeremiah 7:11](#))"

Matthew 21:16b - 'Out of the mouth of babes and nursing infants you have perfected praise'? ([Psalm 8:2](#))"

THOSE WHO WON'T ACCEPT GOD: "THE WICKED TENANTS OF THE VINEYARD". Also "THE REJECTED STONE"

Matthew 21:42b - 'The stone which the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone. This was the Lord's doing, and it is marvelous in our eyes?' ([Psalm 118:22,23](#))

THE SADDUCEES QUESTION HIM - RISING FROM DEATH

Matthew 22:32a - 'I am the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac and the God of Jacob'? ([Exodus 3:6,15](#))

A TEACHER OF THE LAW (OR SCRIBE) QUESTIONS HIM - THE GREATEST COMMANDMENT

Matthew 22:37b - 'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind' ([Deuteronomy 6:5](#)).

Matthew 22:39b - 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself' ([Leviticus 19:18](#)).

JESUS IN RETURN, ASKS A QUESTION - ABOUT THE EXPECTED MESSIAH

Matthew 22:44 - 'The Lord said to my Lord, Sit at my right hand, till I make your enemies your footstool?' ([Psalm 110:1](#))

JESUS CRITICISES THE TEACHERS OF THE LAW AND THE PHARISEES

Matthew 23:29b - 'Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!' ([Psalm 118:26](#))"

JESUS DESCRIBES THE END-TIMES AND HIS RETURN

Matthew 24:15b - 'abomination of desolation' ([Daniel 9:27](#); [11:31](#); [12:11](#))

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Matthew 24:29b - 'the sun will be darkened, the moon will fail to give her light, the stars will fall from the sky, and the powers of heaven will be shaken' ([Isaiah 13:10; 34:4](#)).

THE LAST NIGHT CONTINUED AND THE GARDEN OF GETHSEMANE

Matthew 26:31b - 'I will strike the shepherd, and the sheep of the flock will be scattered' ([Zechariah 13:7](#)).

JUDAS ISCARIOT COMMITS SUICIDE

Matthew 27:9b-10 - 'And they took the thirty pieces of silver, the value of him who was priced, whom they of the children of Israel priced, and gave them for the potter's field, as the Lord directed them' ([Zechariah 11:12,13; Jeremiah 32:6-9](#)).

HIS CRUCIFIXION AND DEATH

Matthew 27:46b - 'My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?' ([Psalm 22:1](#))