

Story 82: Isaiah Tells About the Birth of Jesus

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Read some of Isaiah's prophecy in the Bible in Isaiah 9:1-7.

Words to Know

unusual – not normal or ordinary; not like others

ability – having the skill to do something

future – time ahead; time that has not come yet

plan – the way something will be done

Questions

1. What unusual ability did God give Isaiah?
2. What did God show Isaiah?
3. What did Isaiah write down?
4. Who did Isaiah say God would send to the earth? When did this happen?
5. Who would God's Son be descended from? Was this true of Jesus?
6. What did Isaiah say is God's "forever" plan for Jesus Christ?

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