

# Emmanuel

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## Matthew 1:18-25

**V. 22-23 – All this took place to fulfill what the Lord had said through the prophet: “The Virgin will be with child and will give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel” – which means, “God with us.”**

We cannot begin to grasp the significance of the \_\_\_\_\_ (God becoming a man) until we come face to face with God’s \_\_\_\_\_

### Psalm 72: 18-19

The glory of God revealed in that:

- Jesus is our \_\_\_\_\_ – **Colossians 1:15-16**
- Jesus is our King - **Matthew**
- God’s throne is Heaven and the Earth is His \_\_\_\_\_  
– **Isaiah 66:1**

In order for Jesus to accomplish His purpose, He had to \_\_\_\_\_

### Philippians 2:5-11

- He made Himself a \_\_\_\_\_
- He made Himself a man
- He humbled Himself
- He was obedient to \_\_\_\_\_
- He suffered the cross
- He was \_\_\_\_\_ to the highest place!

Immanuel is the fulfilled promise of \_\_\_\_\_

The Messiah had been long anticipated:

**Isaiah 7:14** - Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign: The virgin will be with child and will give birth to a son, and will call him Immanuel.

Immanuel is a picture of \_\_\_\_\_

- God is \_\_\_\_\_
  - o **Psalm 145:18**
  - o **Philippians 4:5**
- God \_\_\_\_\_
  - o Our Temptation -- **Hebrews 4:14-16**
  - o Our Suffering – **Isaiah 53:3**
  - o Our Joy

God is not a God who is distant–

He is instead a God who is \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_,  
and \_\_\_\_\_.

**December Memory Verse: Psalm 107:1 (NLT)** Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good! His faithful love endures forever.