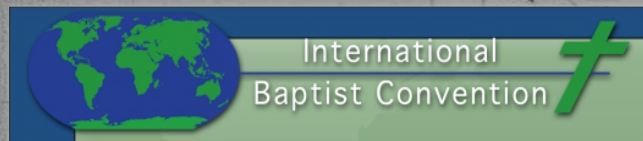


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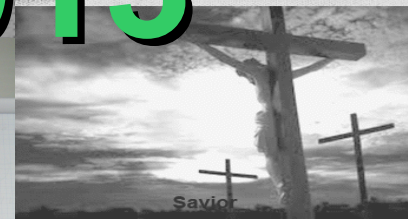
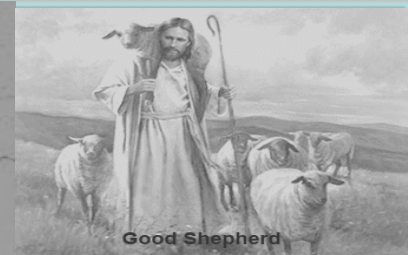


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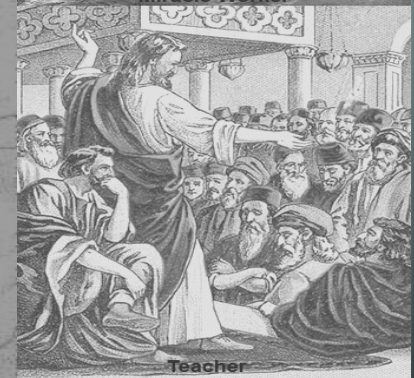
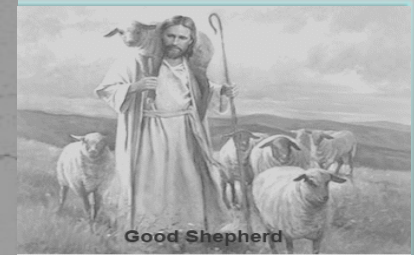
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Overview of Today's Study

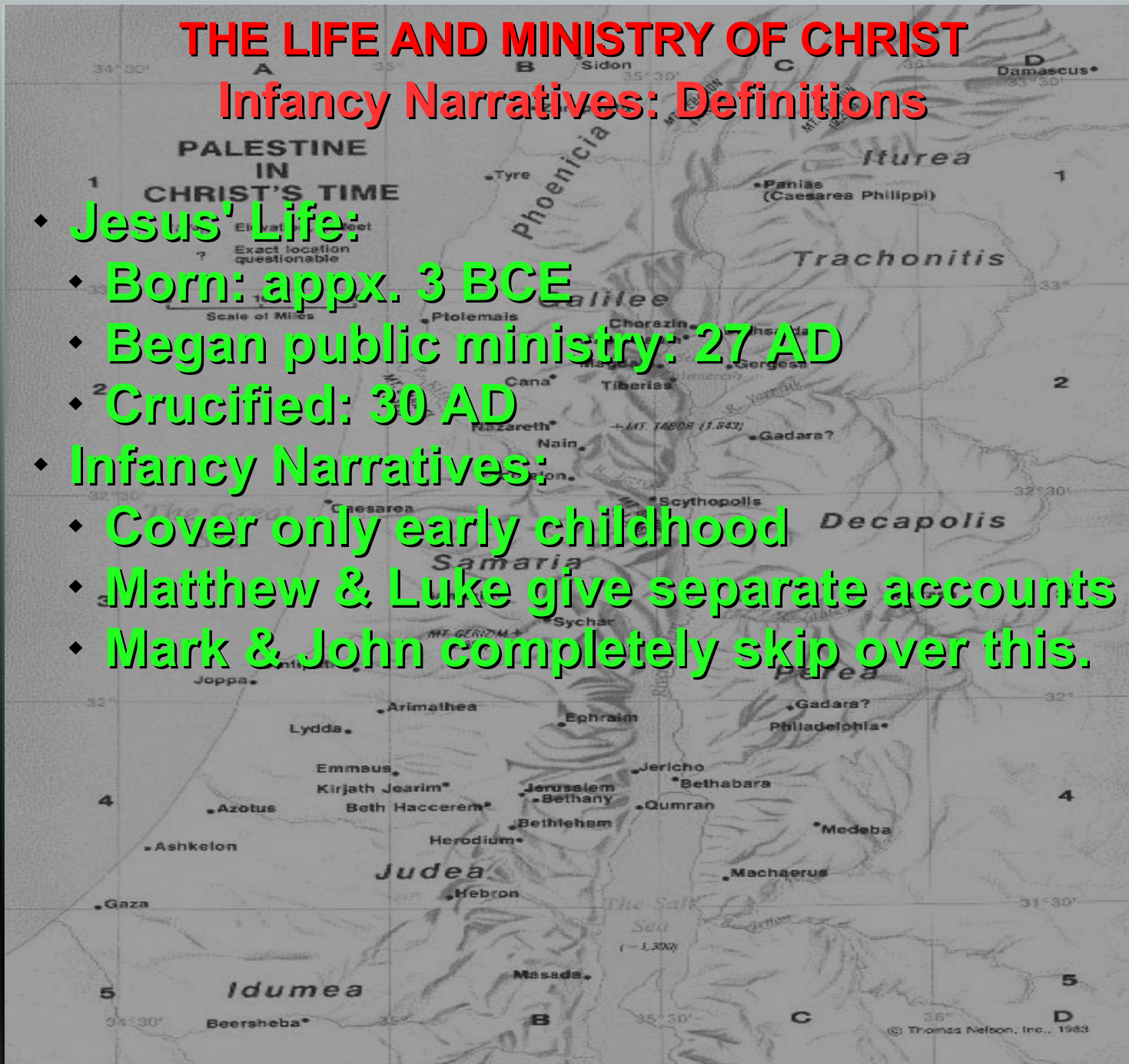
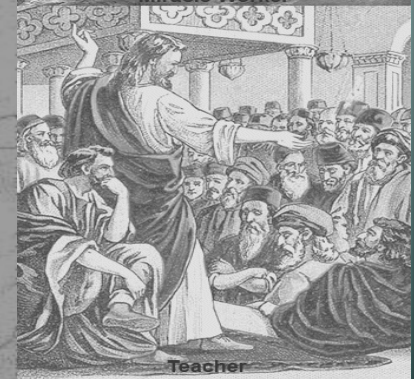
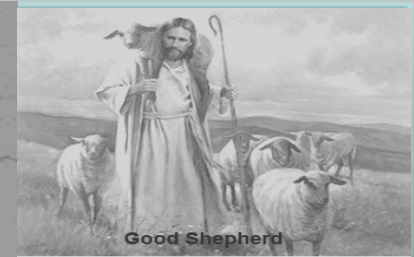
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Infancy Narratives: Definitions

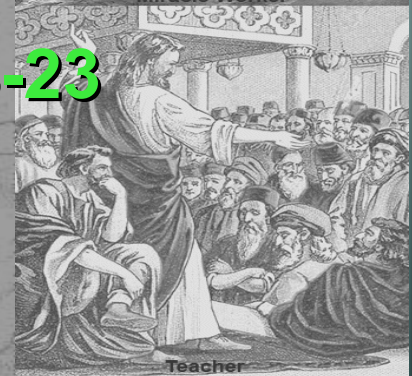
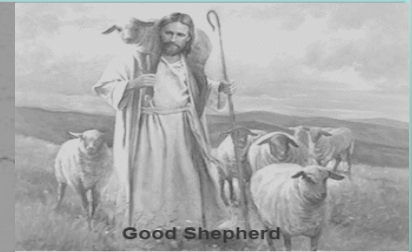
- **Jesus' Life:**
 - **Born: appx. 3 BCE**
 - **Began public ministry: 27 AD**
 - **Crucified: 30 AD**
- **Infancy Narratives:**
 - **Cover only early childhood**
 - **Matthew & Luke give separate accounts**
 - **Mark & John completely skip over this.**



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Infancy Narratives: Matthew 1:1-2:23

1. Genealogy: Abraham to David 1:2-6
2. Genealogy: David to Joseph 1:7-16
3. Genealogy: Summary Comment 1:17
4. Angelical announcement to Joseph 1:18-23
5. Joseph's obedience 1:24-25
6. Visit by wise men. 2:1-12
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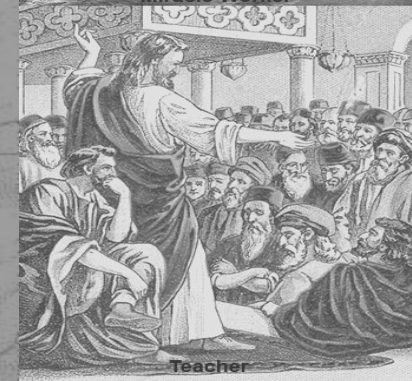
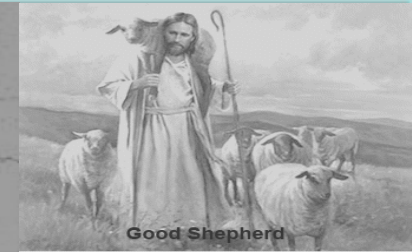
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17 Πᾶσαι οὖν αἱ γενεαὶ ἀπὸ Ἀβραὰμ ἕως Δαυὶδ γενεαὶ δεκατέσσαρες, καὶ ἀπὸ Δαυὶδ ἕως τῆς μετοικεσίας Βαβυλῶνος γενεαὶ δεκατέσσαρες, καὶ ἀπὸ τῆς μετοικεσίας Βαβυλῶνος ἕως τοῦ Χριστοῦ γενεαὶ δεκατέσσαρες.

17 So all the generations from Abraham to David are fourteen generations; and from David to the deportation to Babylon, fourteen generations; and from the deportation to Babylon to the Messiah, fourteen generations.

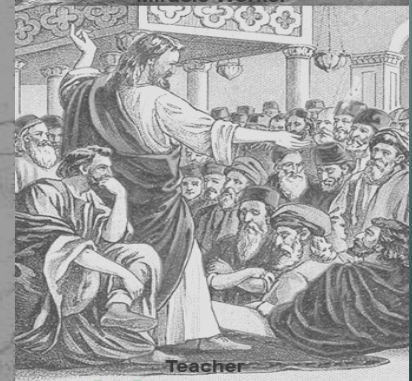
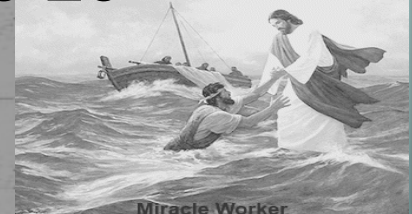
- Begins with Abraham through Mary
- Highlights the Jewish ancestry
- Emphases 14 'generations' (αἱ γενεαὶ)



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- These grow out of the genealogy.
 - No clue as to the sources used by Matthew for this
 - In 1:18-25, the fulfillment quote is central (v. 23)
 - 2:1-23 deal with childhood events
 - Egypt plays important symbolic role for the Messiah

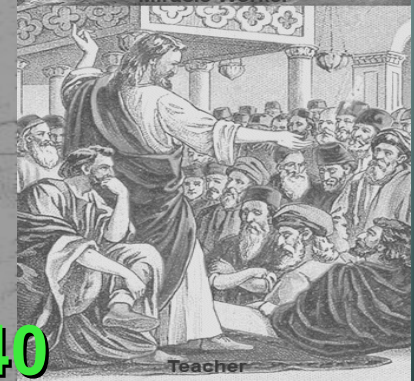
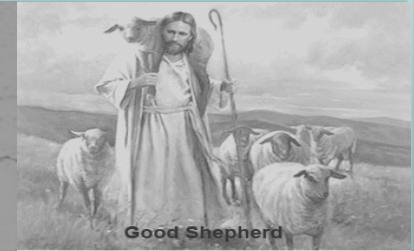


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Infancy Narratives: Luke 1:1-2:52

PALESTINE IN CHRIST'S TIME

1. Prologue 1:1-4
2. Announcement of John's birth 1:5-25
3. Announcement of Jesus' birth 1:26-38
4. Mary's visit to Elizabeth 1:39-56
5. John's birth 1:57-80
6. Jesus' birth 2:1-21
7. Jesus' presentation in the temple 2:22-40
8. Jesus' visit to the temple 2:41-52



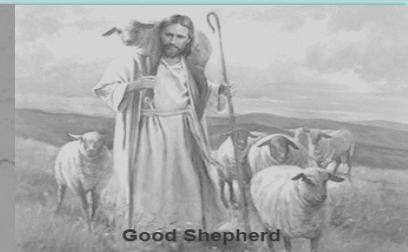
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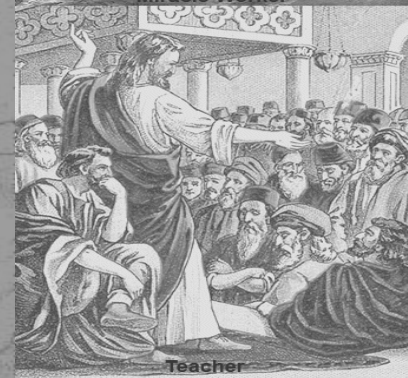
- Notice the informal parallelism:
 - 2. John / 3. Jesus /
 - 4. Mary
 - / 5. John / 6. Jesus



Good Shepherd



Miracle Worker



Teacher



Savior



Son of God

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PALESTINE IN CHRIST'S TIME

(1,742) Elevation, in feet

7 Exact location questionable

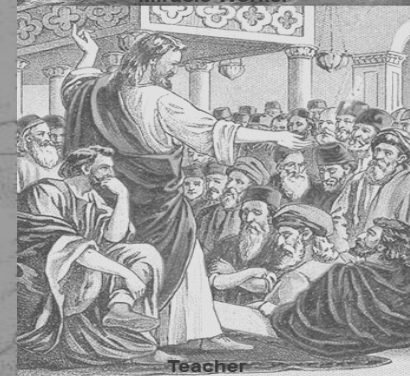
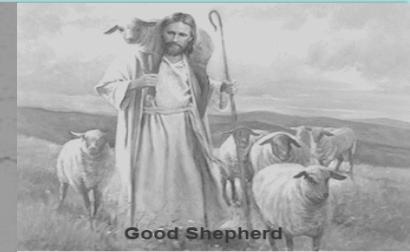
Scale of Miles

Jesus' temple connections:

7. Jesus' presentation in the temple 2:22-40

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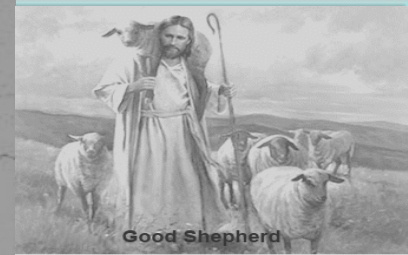
- **2:22-40: Purification rite**
 - Happened after 8th day circumcision
 - Jewish purification ritual in temple
 - Simeon & Anna celebrate
- **2:41-52: Jesus induction at Passover**
 - At 12 years
 - His amazing insights
 - Jesus' childhood (vv. 51-52)



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Launching Ministry

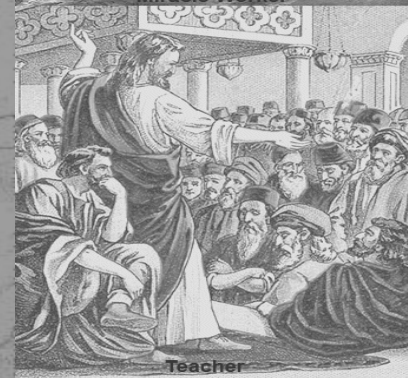
- ♦ **John's ministry**
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- ♦ **Mt. 3:13-17 // Mk. 1:9-11 // Lk. 3:21-22**
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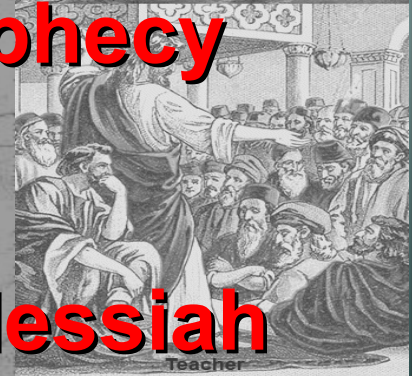
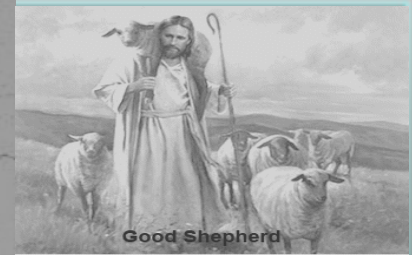
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- ♦ **John's ministry**
 - ♦ **Mt. 3:1-12 // Mk. 1:1-8 // Lk. 3:1-20 // Jn. 1:19-34**
- ♦ **Ministry a fulfillment of Isaiah prophecy**
- ♦ **John's strange dress and diet**
- ♦ **John's message of repentance**
- ♦ **John's prediction of the coming Messiah**



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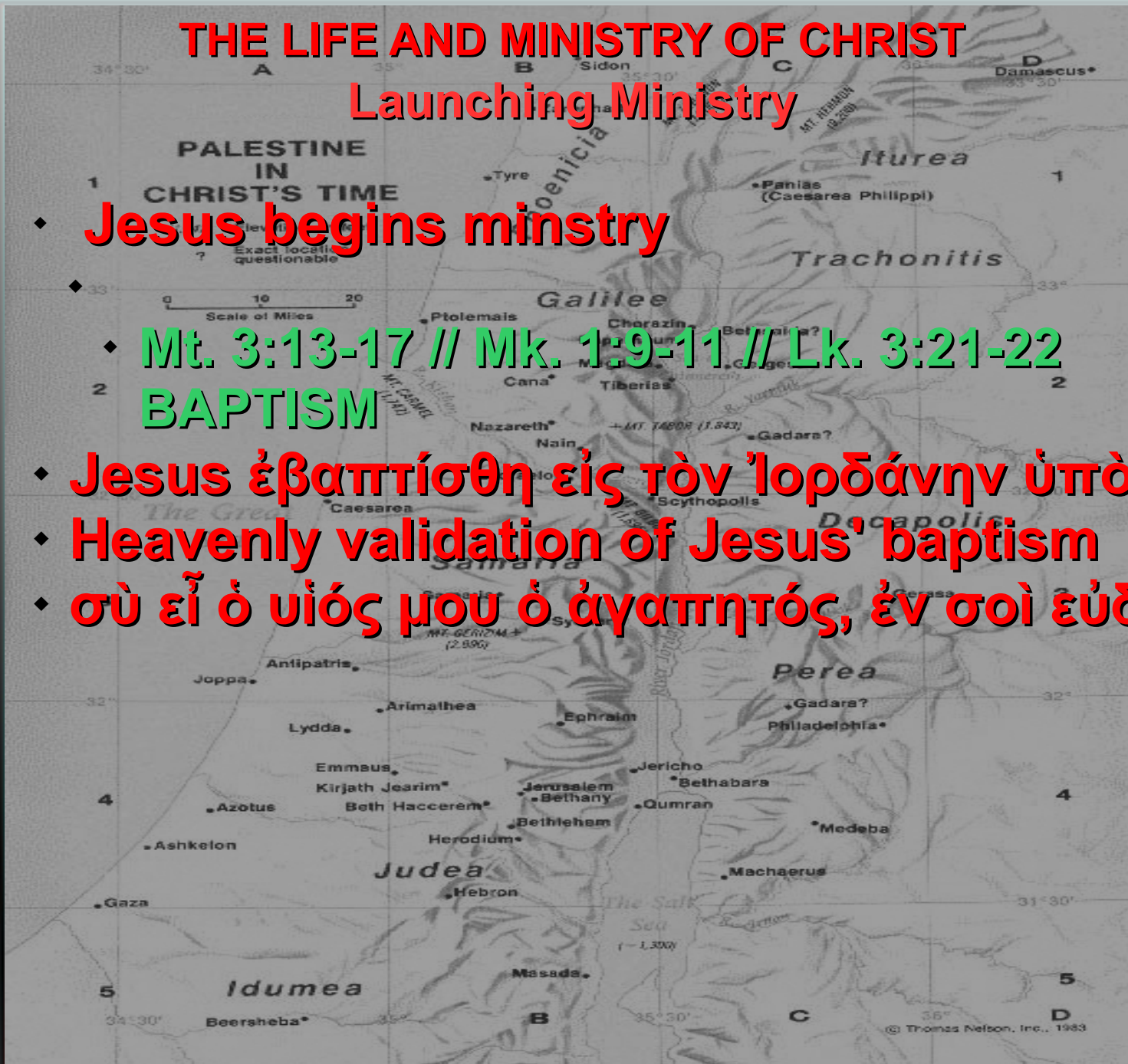
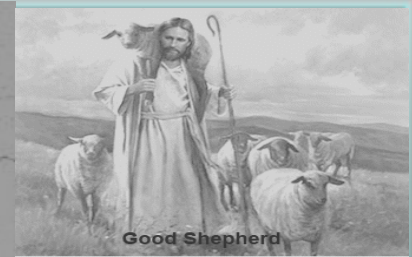
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• **Mt. 3:13-17 // Mk. 1:9-11 // Lk. 3:21-22**

BAPTISM

- **Jesus ἐβαπτίσθη εἰς τὸν Ἰορδάνην ὑπὸ Ἰωάννου.**
- **Heavenly validation of Jesus' baptism**
- **σὺ εἶ ὁ υἱὸς μου ὁ ἀγαπητός, ἐν σοὶ εὐδόκησα.**



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Launching Ministry

- ♦ **Jesus begins ministry**
- ♦ **TEMPTATION**
 - ♦ **Mt. 4:1-11 // Mk. 1:12-13 // Lk. 4:1-13**
- ♦ **Mark in connection to Matthew & Luke**
- ♦ **The role of the Holy Spirit**
- ♦ **The role of Satan**
- ♦ **Three examples of temptation**
- ♦ **The role of the angels**

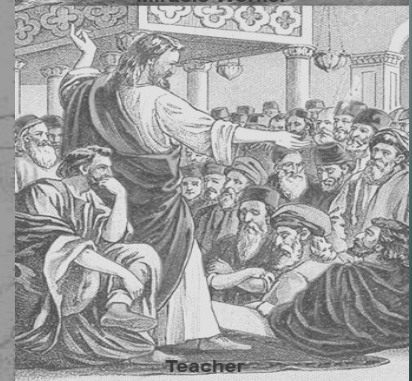
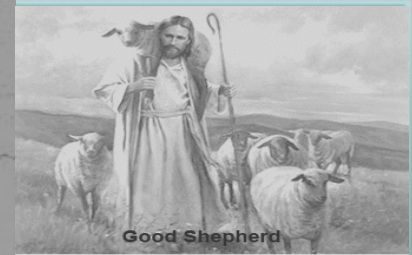


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