

The God Behind the Names

Fulfilled Messianic Prophecies

PROPHETIC SCRIPTURE	SUBJECT	FULFILLED
Genesis 3:15 - "I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and her offspring; he shall bruise your head, and you shall bruise his heel."	Seed of a woman	Galatians 4:4 - But when the fullness of time had come, God sent forth his Son, born of woman, born under the law.
Genesis 12:3 - "I will bless those who bless you, and him who dishonors you I will curse, and in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed."	Descendant of Abraham	Matthew 1:1 - The book of the genealogy of Jesus Christ, the son of David, the son of Abraham.
Genesis 17:19 - God said, "No, but Sarah your wife shall bear you a son, and you shall call his name Isaac. I will establish my covenant with him as an everlasting covenant for his offspring after him."	Descendant of Isaac	Luke 3:34 - the son of Jacob, the son of Isaac, the son of Abraham, the son of Terah, the son of Nahor,
Numbers 24:17 - I see him, but not now; I behold him, but not near: a star shall come out of Jacob, and a scepter shall rise out of Israel; it shall crush the forehead of Moab and break down all the sons of Sheth.	Descendant of Jacob [Israel]	Matthew 1:2 - Abraham was the father of Isaac, and Isaac the father of Jacob, and Jacob the father of Judah and his brothers
Genesis 49:10 - The scepter shall not depart from Judah, nor the ruler's staff from between his feet, until tribute comes to him; and to him shall be the obedience of the peoples.	From the tribe of Judah	Luke 3:33 - the son of Amminadab, the son of Admin, the son of Ami, the son of Hezron, the son of Perez, the son of Judah
Isaiah 9:7 - Of the increase of his government and of peace there will be no end, on the throne of David and over his kingdom, to establish it and to uphold it with justice and with righteousness from this time forth and forevermore. The zeal of the LORD of hosts will do this.	Heir to the throne of David	Luke 1:32, 33 - He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. And the Lord God will give to him the throne of his father David, and he will reign over the house of Jacob forever, and of his kingdom there will be no end."
Psalms 45:6, 7 - Your throne, O God, is forever and ever. The scepter of your kingdom is a scepter of uprightness; you have loved righteousness and hated wickedness. Therefore God, your God, has anointed you with the oil of gladness beyond your companions; 102:25-27 - Of old you laid the foundation of the earth, and the heavens are the work of your hands. They will perish, but you will remain; they will all wear out like a garment. You will change them like a robe, and they will pass away, but you are the same, and your years have no end.	Anointed and eternal	Hebrews 1:8-12 - But of the Son he says, "Your throne, O God, is forever and ever, the scepter of uprightness is the scepter of your kingdom. You have loved righteousness and hated wickedness; therefore God, your God, has anointed you with the oil of gladness beyond your companions." And, "You, Lord, laid the foundation of the earth in the beginning, and the heavens are the work of your hands; they will perish, but you remain; they will all wear out like a garment, like a robe you will roll them up, like a garment they will be changed. But you are the same, and your years will have no end."
Micah 5:2 - But you, O Bethlehem Ephrathah, who are too little to be among the clans of Judah, from you shall come forth for me one who is to be ruler in Israel, whose coming forth is from of old, from ancient days.	Born in Bethlehem	Luke 2:4, 5, 7 - And Joseph also went up from Galilee, from the town of Nazareth, to Judea, to the city of David, which is called Bethlehem, because he was of the house and lineage of David, to be registered with Mary, his betrothed, who was with child. . . . And she gave birth to her firstborn son and wrapped him in swaddling cloths and laid him in a manger, because there was no place for them in the inn.
Daniel 9:25 - Know therefore and understand that from the going out of the word to restore and build Jerusalem to the coming of an anointed one, a prince, there shall be seven weeks. Then for sixty-two weeks it shall be built again with squares and moat, but in a troubled time.	Time of His birth	Luke 2:1, 2 - In those days a decree went out from Caesar Augustus that all the world should be registered. This was the first registration when Quirinius was governor of Syria.

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<p>Isaiah 7:14 - Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign. Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel.</p>	<p>To be born of a virgin</p>	<p>Luke 1:26, 27, 30, 31 - In the sixth month the angel Gabriel was sent from God to a city of Galilee named Nazareth, to a virgin betrothed to a man whose name was Joseph, of the house of David. And the virgin's name was Mary. . . . And the angel said to her, "Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God. And behold, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus."</p>
<p>Hosea 11:1 - When Israel was a child, I loved him, and out of Egypt I called my son.</p>	<p>Flight to Egypt</p>	<p>Matthew 2:14, 15 - And he rose and took the child and his mother by night and departed to Egypt and remained there until the death of Herod. This was to fulfill what the Lord had spoken by the prophet, "Out of Egypt I called my son."</p>
<p>Jeremiah 31:15 - Thus says the LORD: "A voice is heard in Ramah, lamentation and bitter weeping. Rachel is weeping for her children; she refuses to be comforted for her children, because they are no more."</p>	<p>Slaughter of children</p>	<p>Matthew 2:16-18 - Then Herod, when he saw that he had been tricked by the wise men, became furious, and he sent and killed all the male children in Bethlehem and in all that region who were two years old or under, according to the time that he had ascertained from the wise men. Then was fulfilled what was spoken by the prophet Jeremiah: "A voice was heard in Ramah, weeping and loud lamentation, Rachel weeping for her children; she refused to be comforted, because they are no more."</p>
<p>Isaiah 40:3-5 - A voice cries: "In the wilderness prepare the way of the LORD; make straight in the desert a highway for our God. Every valley shall be lifted up, and every mountain and hill be made low; the uneven ground shall become level, and the rough places a plain. And the glory of the LORD shall be revealed, and all flesh shall see it together, for the mouth of the LORD has spoken."</p>	<p>The way prepared</p>	<p>Luke 3:3-6 - And he went into all the region around the Jordan, proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins. As it is written in the book of the words of Isaiah the prophet, "The voice of one crying in the wilderness: 'Prepare the way of the Lord, make his paths straight. Every valley shall be filled, and every mountain and hill shall be made low, and the crooked shall become straight, and the rough places shall become level ways, and all flesh shall see the salvation of God.'"</p>
<p>Malachi 3:1 - "Behold, I send my messenger, and he will prepare the way before me. And the Lord whom you seek will suddenly come to his temple; and the messenger of the covenant in whom you delight, behold, he is coming, says the LORD of hosts."</p>	<p>Preceded by a forerunner</p>	<p>Luke 7:24, 27 - When John's messengers had gone, Jesus began to speak to the crowds concerning John: "What did you go out into the wilderness to see? A reed shaken by the wind? . . . This is he of whom it is written, 'Behold, I send my messenger before your face, who will prepare your way before you.'"</p>
<p>Malachi 4:5, 6 - "Behold, I will send you Elijah the prophet before the great and awesome day of the LORD comes. And he will turn the hearts of fathers to their children and the hearts of children to their fathers, lest I come and strike the land with a decree of utter destruction."</p>	<p>Preceded by Elijah</p>	<p>Matthew 11:13, 14 - "For all the Prophets and the Law prophesied until John, and if you are willing to accept it, he is Elijah who is to come."</p>
<p>Psalms 2:7 - I will tell of the decree: The LORD said to me, "You are my Son; today I have begotten you."</p>	<p>Declared the Son of God</p>	<p>Matthew 3:17 - and behold, a voice from heaven said, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased."</p>

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<p>Isaiah 9:1, 2 - But there will be no gloom for her who was in anguish. In the former time he brought into contempt the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, but in the latter time he has made glorious the way of the sea, the land beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the nations. The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who dwelt in a land of deep darkness, on them has light shined.</p>	<p>Galilean ministry</p>	<p>Matthew 4:13-16 - And leaving Nazareth he went and lived in Capernaum by the sea, in the territory of Zebulun and Naphtali, so that what was spoken by the prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled: "The land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, the way of the sea, beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles--the people dwelling in darkness have seen a great light, and for those dwelling in the region and shadow of death, on them a light has dawned."</p>
<p>Psalm 78:2-4 - I will open my mouth in a parable; I will utter dark sayings from of old, things that we have heard and known, that our fathers have told us. We will not hide them from their children, but tell to the coming generation the glorious deeds of the LORD, and his might, and the wonders that he has done.</p>	<p>Speaks in parables</p>	<p>Matthew 13:34,35 - All these things Jesus said to the crowds in parables; indeed, he said nothing to them without a parable. This was to fulfill what was spoken by the prophet: "I will open my mouth in parables; I will utter what has been hidden since the foundation of the world."</p>
<p>Deuteronomy 18:15 - "The LORD your God will raise up for you a prophet like me from among you, from your brothers--it is to him you shall listen--"</p>	<p>A prophet</p>	<p>Acts 3:20, 22 - that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord, and that he may send the Christ appointed for you, Jesus, Moses said, "The Lord God will raise up for you a prophet like me from your brothers. You shall listen to him in whatever he tells you."</p>
<p>Isaiah 61:1, 2 - The Spirit of the Lord GOD is upon me, because the LORD has anointed me to bring good news to the poor; he has sent me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives, and the opening of the prison to those who are bound; to proclaim the year of the LORD's favor, and the day of vengeance of our God; to comfort all who mourn;</p>	<p>To bind up the brokenhearted</p>	<p>Luke 4:18, 19 - "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim liberty to the captives and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty those who are oppressed, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor."</p>
<p>Isaiah 53:3 - He was despised and rejected by men; a man of sorrows, and acquainted with grief; and as one from whom men hide their faces he was despised, and we esteemed him not.</p>	<p>Rejected by His own people, the Jews</p>	<p>John 1:11 - He came to his own, and his own people did not receive him. Luke 23:18 - But they all cried out together, "Away with this man, and release to us Barabbas"</p>
<p>Psalm 110:4 - The LORD has sworn and will not change his mind, "You are a priest forever after the order of Melchizedek."</p>	<p>Priest after order of Melchizedek</p>	<p>Hebrews 5:5, 6 - So also Christ did not exalt himself to be made a high priest, but was appointed by him who said to him, "You are my Son, today I have begotten you"; as he says also in another place, "You are a priest forever, after the order of Melchizedek."</p>
<p>Zechariah 9:9 - Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem! Behold, your king is coming to you; righteous and having salvation is he, humble and mounted on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey.</p>	<p>Triumphal entry</p>	<p>Mark 11:7, 9, 11 - And they brought the colt to Jesus and threw their cloaks on it, and he sat on it. . . . And those who went before and those who followed were shouting, "Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Blessed is the coming kingdom of our father David! Hosanna in the highest!" And he entered Jerusalem and went into the temple. And when he had looked around at everything, as it was already late, he went out to Bethany with the twelve.</p>

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<p>Psalms 8:2 - Out of the mouth of babies and infants, you have established strength because of your foes, to still the enemy and the avenger.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Adored by children</p>	<p>Matthew 21:15, 16 - But when the chief priests and the scribes saw the wonderful things that he did, and the children crying out in the temple, "Hosanna to the Son of David!" they were indignant, and they said to him, "Do you hear what these are saying?" And Jesus said to them, "Yes; have you never read, "Out of the mouth of infants and nursing babies you have prepared praise'?"</p>
<p>Isaiah 53:1 - Who has believed what he has heard from us? And to whom has the arm of the LORD been revealed?</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Not believed</p>	<p>John 12:37, 38 - Though he had done so many signs before them, they still did not believe in him, so that the word spoken by the prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled: "Lord, who has believed what he heard from us, and to whom has the arm of the Lord been revealed?"</p>
<p>Psalms 41:9 - Even my close friend in whom I trusted, who ate my bread, has lifted his heel against me.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Betrayed by a close friend</p>	<p>Luke 22:47, 48 - While he was still speaking, there came a crowd, and the man called Judas, one of the twelve, was leading them. He drew near to Jesus to kiss him, but Jesus said to him, "Judas, would you betray the Son of Man with a kiss?"</p>
<p>Zechariah 11:12 - Then I said to them, "If it seems good to you, give me my wages; but if not, keep them." And they weighed out as my wages thirty pieces of silver.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Betrayed for 30 pieces of silver</p>	<p>Matthew 26:14, 15 - Then one of the twelve, whose name was Judas Iscariot, went to the chief priests and said, "What will you give me if I deliver him over to you?" And they paid him thirty pieces of silver.</p>
<p>Psalms 35:11 - Malicious witnesses rise up; they ask me of things that I do not know.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Accused by false witnesses</p>	<p>Mark 14:57, 58 - And some stood up and bore false witness against him, saying, "We heard him say, 'I will destroy this temple that is made with hands, and in three days I will build another, not made with hands.'"</p>
<p>Isaiah 53:7 - He was oppressed, and he was afflicted, yet he opened not his mouth; like a lamb that is led to the slaughter, and like a sheep that before its shearers is silent, so he opened not his mouth.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Silent to accusations</p>	<p>Mark 15:4, 5 - And Pilate again asked him, "Have you no answer to make? See how many charges they bring against you." But Jesus made no further answer, so that Pilate was amazed.</p>
<p>Isaiah 50:6 - I gave my back to those who strike, and my cheeks to those who pull out the beard; I hid not my face from disgrace and spitting.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Spat on and struck</p>	<p>Matthew 26:67 - Then did they spit in his face, and buffeted him; and others smote him with the palms of their hands</p>
<p>Psalms 35:19 - Let not those rejoice over me who are wrongfully my foes, and let not those wink the eye who hate me without cause.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Hated without reason</p>	<p>John 15:24, 25 - "If I had not done among them the works that no one else did, they would not be guilty of sin, but now they have seen and hated both me and my Father. But the word that is written in their Law must be fulfilled: 'They hated me without a cause.'"</p>
<p>Isaiah 53:5 - But he was wounded for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with his stripes we are healed.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Vicarious sacrifice [substitute for our forgiveness]</p>	<p>Romans 5:6, 8 - For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. . . . but God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.</p>

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<p>Isaiah 53:12 - Therefore I will divide him a portion with the many, and he shall divide the spoil with the strong, because he poured out his soul to death and was numbered with the transgressors; yet he bore the sin of many, and makes intercession for the transgressors.</p>	<p>Crucified with criminals</p>	<p>Mark 15:27, 28 - And with him they crucified two robbers, one on his right and one on his left. <i>[And the Scripture was fulfilled that says, "He was numbered with the transgressors."]</i></p>
<p>Zechariah 12:10 - "And I will pour out on the house of David and the inhabitants of Jerusalem a spirit of grace and pleas for mercy, so that, when they look on me, on him whom they have pierced, they shall mourn for him, as one mourns for an only child, and weep bitterly over him, as one weeps over a firstborn."</p>	<p>Pierced through hands and feet</p>	<p>John 20:27 - Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here, and see my hands; and put out your hand, and place it in my side. Do not disbelieve, but believe."</p>
<p>Psalms 22:7, 8 - All who see me mock me; they make mouths at me; they wag their heads; "He trusts in the LORD; let him deliver him; let him rescue him, for he delights in him!"</p>	<p>Sneered at and mocked</p>	<p>Luke 23:35 - And the people stood by, watching, but the rulers scoffed at him, saying, "He saved others; let him save himself, if he is the Christ of God, his Chosen One!"</p>
<p>Psalms 69:9 - For zeal for your house has consumed me, and the reproaches of those who reproach you have fallen on me.</p>	<p>Criticized severely</p>	<p>Romans 15:3 - For Christ did not please himself, but as it is written, "The reproaches of those who reproached you fell on me."</p>
<p>Psalms 109:4 - In return for my love they accuse me, but I give myself to prayer.</p>	<p>Prays for His enemies</p>	<p>Luke 23:34 - And Jesus said, "Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do." And they cast lots to divide his garments.</p>
<p>Psalms 22:17, 18 - I can count all my bones-- they stare and gloat over me; they divide my garments among them, and for my clothing they cast lots.</p>	<p>Soldiers gambled for His clothing</p>	<p>Matthew 27:35, 36 - And when they had crucified him, they divided his garments among them by casting lots. Then they sat down and kept watch over him there.</p>
<p>Psalms 22:1 - My God, my God, why have you forsaken me? Why are you so far from saving me, from the words of my groaning?</p>	<p>Forsaken by God</p>	<p>Matthew 27:46 - And about the ninth hour Jesus cried out with a loud voice, saying, "Eli, Eli, lema sabachthani?" that is, "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?"</p>
<p>Psalms 34:20 - He keeps all his bones; not one of them is broken.</p>	<p>No bones broken</p>	<p>John 19:32, 33, 36 - So the soldiers came and broke the legs of the first, and of the other who had been crucified with him. But when they came to Jesus and saw that he was already dead, they did not break his legs. . . . For these things took place that the Scripture might be fulfilled: "Not one of his bones will be broken."</p>
<p>Zechariah 12:10 - "And I will pour out on the house of David and the inhabitants of Jerusalem a spirit of grace and pleas for mercy, so that, when they look on me, on him whom they have pierced, they shall mourn for him, as one mourns for an only child, and weep bitterly over him, as one weeps over a firstborn."</p>	<p>His side pierced</p>	<p>John 19:34 - But one of the soldiers pierced his side with a spear, and at once there came out blood and water.</p>
<p>Isaiah 53:9 - And they made his grave with the wicked and with a rich man in his death, although he had done no violence, and there was no deceit in his mouth.</p>	<p>Buried with the rich</p>	<p>Matthew 27:57-60 - When it was evening, there came a rich man from Arimathea, named Joseph, who also was a disciple of Jesus. He went to Pilate and asked for the body of Jesus. Then Pilate ordered it to be given to him. And Joseph took the body and wrapped it in a clean linen shroud and laid it in his own new tomb, which he had cut in the rock. And he rolled a great stone to the entrance of the tomb and went away.</p>

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<p>Psalm 16:10 - For you will not abandon my soul to Sheol, or let your holy one see corruption. Psalm 49:15 - But God will ransom my soul from the power of Sheol, for he will receive me. <i>Selah</i></p>	<p>To be resurrected</p>	<p>Mark 16:6, 7 - And he said to them, "Do not be alarmed. You seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has risen; he is not here. See the place where they laid him. But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going before you to Galilee. There you will see him, just as he told you."</p>
<p>Psalm 68:18 - You ascended on high, leading a host of captives in your train and receiving gifts among men, even among the rebellious, that the LORD God may dwell there.</p>	<p>His ascension to God's right hand</p>	<p>Mark 16:19 - So then the Lord Jesus, after he had spoken to them, was taken up into heaven and sat down at the right hand of God. 1 Corinthian 15:4 - that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures, Ephesians 4:8 - Therefore it says, "When he ascended on high he led a host of captives, and he gave gifts to men."</p>

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Psalm	New Testament Fulfillment
8:3-8	Hebrews 2:5-10; I Corinthians 15:27
72:6-17	This will be fulfilled in the future
89:3-4,26, 28-29,34-37	Acts 2:30
109:6-19	Acts 1:16-20
132:12b	Acts 2:30
45:6-7	Hebrews 1:8-9
102:25-27	Hebrews 1:10-12
110:1-7	Matthew 22:43-45; Acts 2:33-35;
	Hebrews 1:13; 5:6-10; 6:20,7-24
2:1-12	Acts 4:25-28; 13:33; Hebrews 1:5; 5:5
16:10	Acts 2:24-31; 13:35-37
22:1-31	Matthew 27:35-46; John 19:23-25; Hebrews 2:12
40:6-8	Hebrews 10:5-10
69:25	Acts 1:16-20