

The Life of Christ A-Z

U: Understandable Upset (Jesus Cleanses the Temple Again!) Luke 19:45-48

ANGELS ANNOUNCE (The Pregnancy)

Luke 1:26-38/Matthew 1:18-25

BIRTH in BETHLEHEM (ala Micah 5:2)

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Matthew 4:1-11/Luke 4:1-13

FIRST FOLLOWERS ("Japan")

John 1:35-51

GREAT GUESTS (1st Miracle: Water to Wine)

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Matthew 5:1-7:29 the Mount)

NATURE NEUTRALIZED ("Sign" Miracles)

Matthew 8:1-12:13

OPPOSITION OFFERED (No More "Signs")

Matthew 12:14-45/Mark 3:22-30

PARABLES PROPHECY (InterAdvent Period)

Matthew 13:1-52

QUIZICAL QUESTIONS (Who Am I?)

Matthew 16:13-20

REALITY REVEALED (The Transfiguration)

Matthew 17:1-13

STONING STOPPED (Jesus Claims Deity)

John 10:22-42

TOMB TRAUMATIZED (Raising of Lazarus)

John 11:1-53

UNDERSTANDABLE UPSET (of t/Temple)

Matthew 21:12-17/Mark 11:2-18

VISION OF VICTORY (Olivet Discourse)

Matthew 24:1-25:46

WASHING and WISDOM (Upper Room

John 13:1-17:26 Discourse)

eXPIATORY eXECUTION (The Atonement)

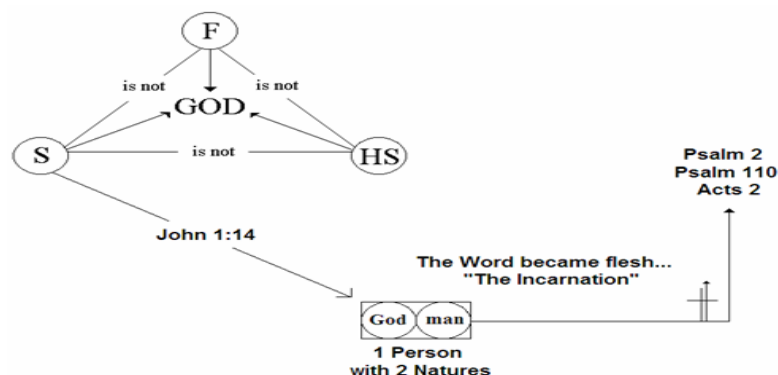
Matthew 27:27-66/John 19:17-42

YES! YEAH! (The Resurrection)

Matthew 28:1-15/John 20:1-21:25

ZAPPED from ZION (The Ascension)

Luke 24:50-53/Acts 1:6-11



In the beginning was the Word and the Word was with God and the Word was God.....the Word became flesh and dwelt among us. John 1:1 and 1:14

Luke 19:45-48

Some Things Must Happen More Than Once for Us to Learn Their Lesson(s)

What Happened on the Scene

1. Dramatic Upset v45-46

Crisis: During the last week of His ministry, our Lord found events at the Temple Mount to be just as corrupt as they had been during the 1st phase of His ministry.

2. Daily Ministry v47a

Consistency: Throughout the week leading to His arrest/crucifixion, our Lord faithfully taught multitudes of people “in” the Temple.

3. Dilemma of Christ’s Opponents v47b-48

Conundrum: The religious enemies of our Lord wanted to arrest/kill Him but were unable to do so because of the crowds He continued to attract.

What Needs to Happen Beyond the Scene

1. An Issue to Be Addressed

The Synoptic Gospels (Matthew, Mark and Luke) describe our Lord’s “cleansing of the Temple” as happening at the very end of His ministry (Letter U: Understandable Upset), while the Gospel of John (2:13-22 Letter H: Harsh Housecleaning) describes Jesus “cleansing the Temple” at the very beginning of His ministry.

2: A False Assumption to be Defused

This was one and only one event and so either the Synoptic Gospels or John got the timing wrong. In reality, they describe two different but similar events. When we correctly fit them together we see two distinct but related truths. Legit Bible Study interprets individual passages in their context AND then carefully correlates them to any parallel/related passages. Examples: Matt 1:18-21// Lk 1:28; Rom 4:2//James 2:21 and Matt 8:16//Mark 1:32-34

Take This To Heart

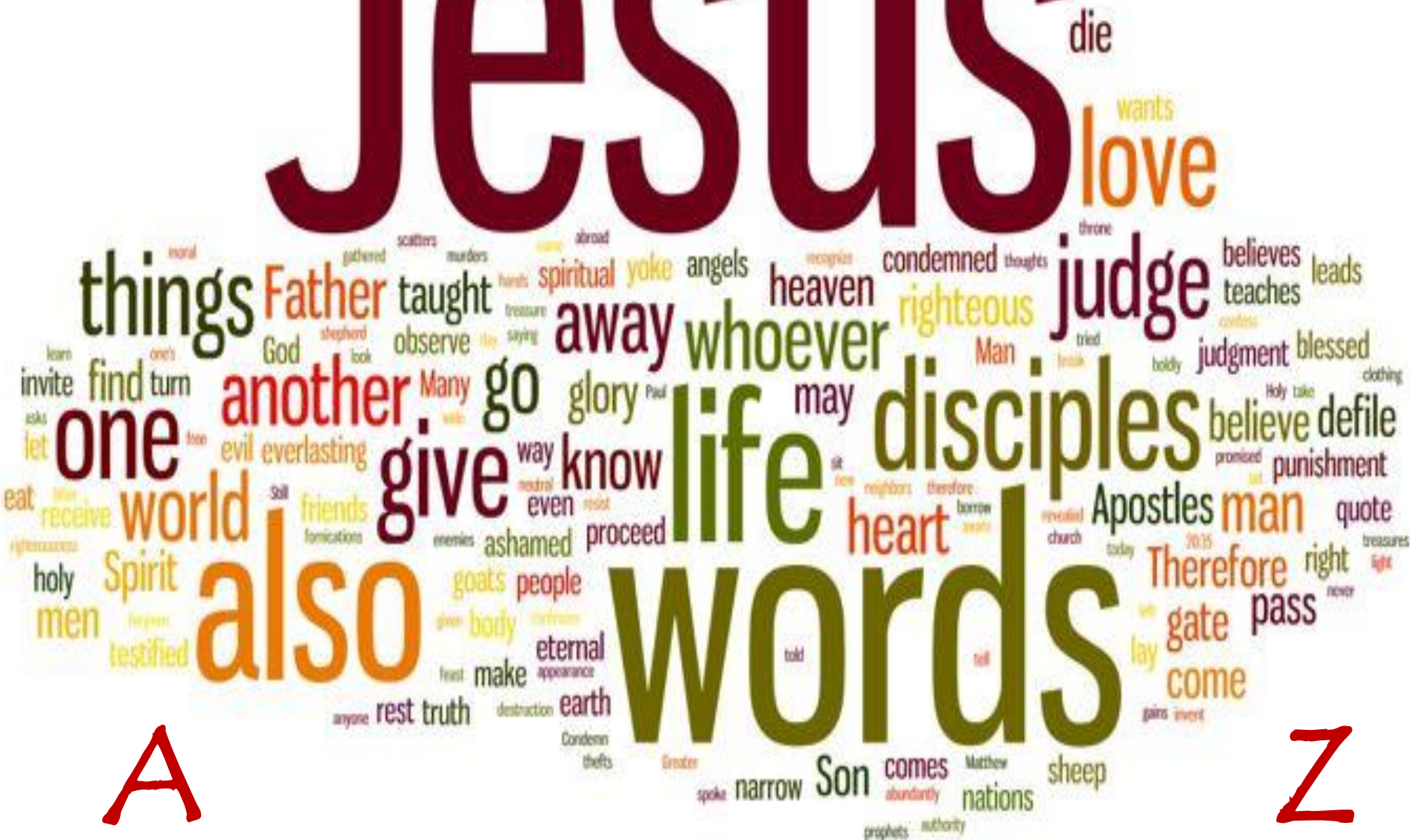
To hit home runs in our personal Bible study we must make sure we touch all four bases

- 1st Base: Observation-What is Here?
- 2nd Base: Interpretation-What Does This Mean in This Context?
- 3rd Base: Correlation-How Does This Meaning Relate to Any Parallel Passages?
- 4th Base: Application-What Does This Meaning Mean in My Conduct?

Luke
19:45-48

Understandable
Upset

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Top Four Things All TBfers Need to Know About Kangaroos!

What do you call a baby kangaroo who is very lazy?

A pouch potato!

What do you get when you cross a kangaroo with a calendar?

A leap year!

What do you get when you cross a sheep and a kangaroo?

A sweater with really big pockets!

Why do mother kangaroos hate it when it rains?

Because the kids have to play inside!

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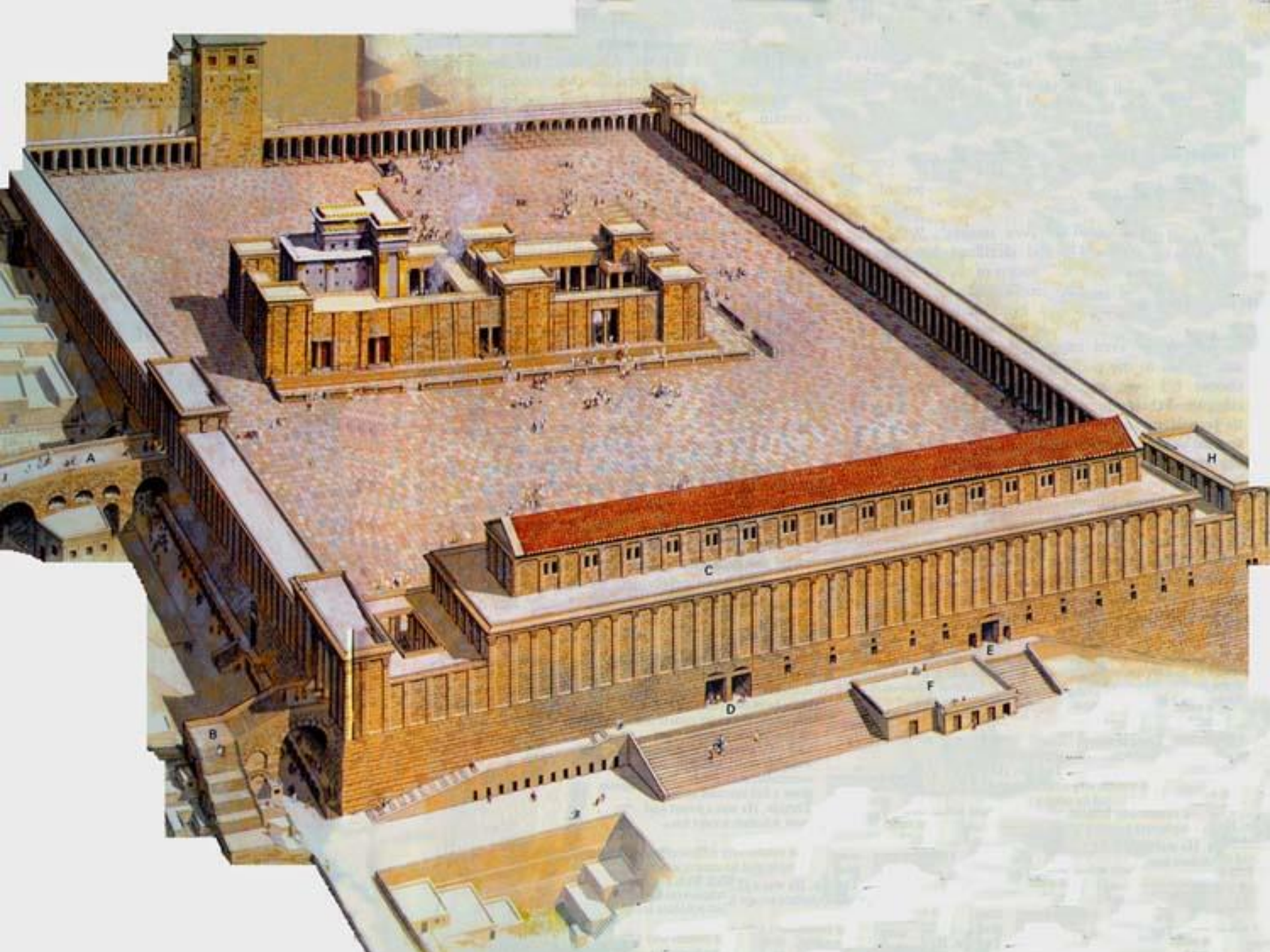
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What Should Happen BTS

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The Bible

A SYNTHETIC OVERVIEW



ONE MAJOR PREMISE:

All Humans are Sinners/Die...

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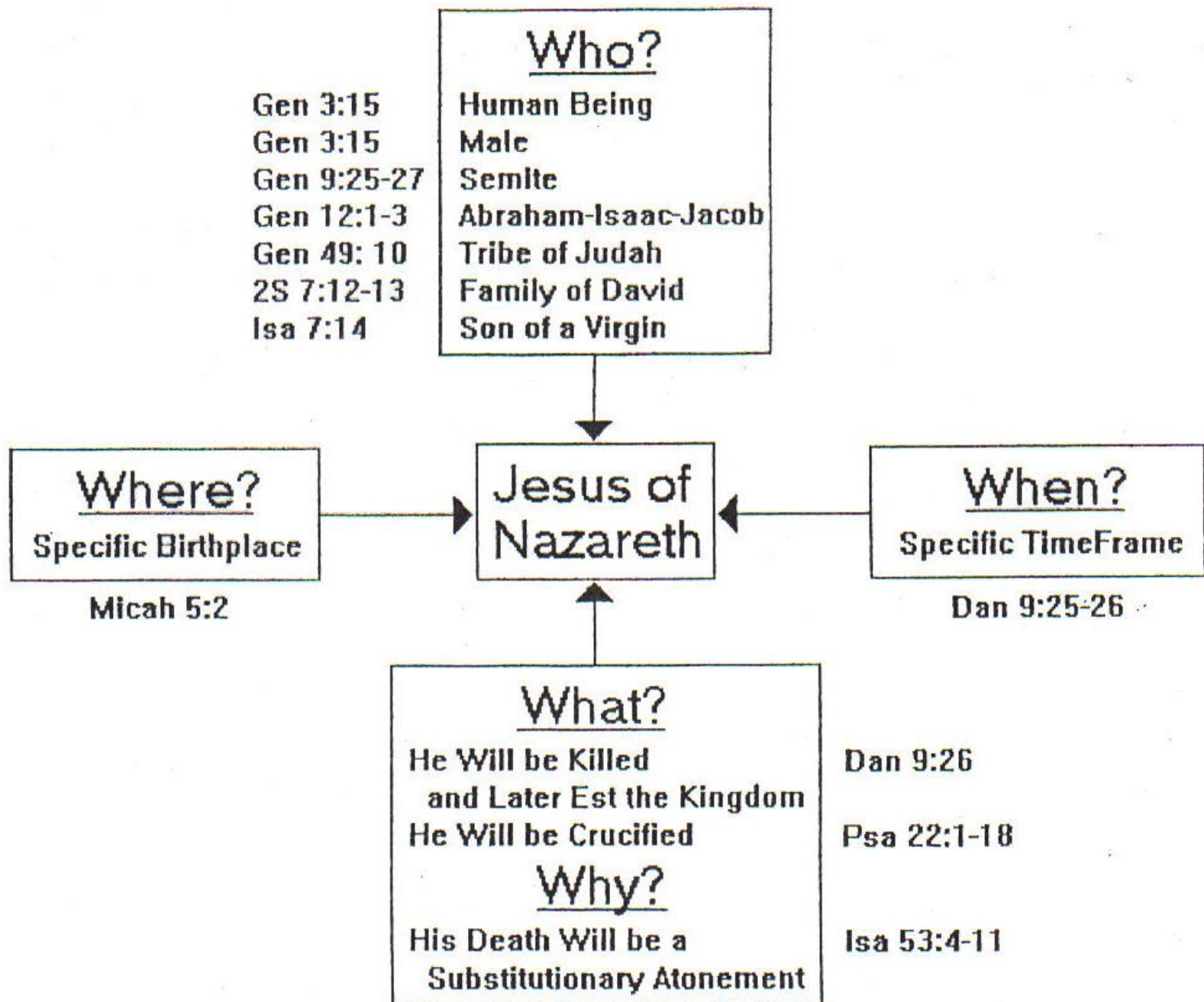
...the Savior is Coming!

ONE MAJOR PREMISE:

Jesus of Nazareth is the Savior/Alive...

ONE MAJOR PROMISE:

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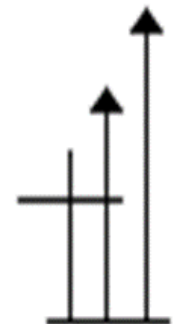
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Incredible Interview

John 3:1-21 Jesus and Nicodemus

What Jesus Teaches about Salvation for
A Moral/Religious Person...

...Nobody is So Good They Don't
Need Salvation Through Faith in Christ

Matthew 8:16 New American Standard Bible (NASB)

¹⁶ When evening came, they brought to Him many who were demon-possessed; and He cast out the spirits with a word, and **healed all who were ill.**

Mark 1:32-34 New American Standard Bible (NASB)

³² When evening came, after the sun had set, they *began* bringing to Him all who were ill and those who were demon-possessed. ³³ And the whole city had gathered at the door.

³⁴ And He healed many who were ill with various diseases

Romans 4:2 New American Standard Bible (NASB)

² For if Abraham was justified ^[a]by works, he has something to boast about, but not ^[b]before God.

James 2:21 New American Standard Bible (NASB)

²¹ Was not Abraham our father justified by works when he offered up Isaac his son on the altar?

Correlation-1 Man/2 Events

Romans 4: Paul cites Abraham in Genesis 15...

...Justification through Faith (in God's Sight)

...1: Legal Justification (+R imputed/declared)

James 2: James cites Abraham in Genesis 22...

...Justification by Works (in Man's Sight)

...2: Practical Justification (+R infused/demonstrated)

...**Genesis 22** 25 years after **Genesis 15**

Genesis 15 +R thru Faith.....Genesis 22 +R by Works

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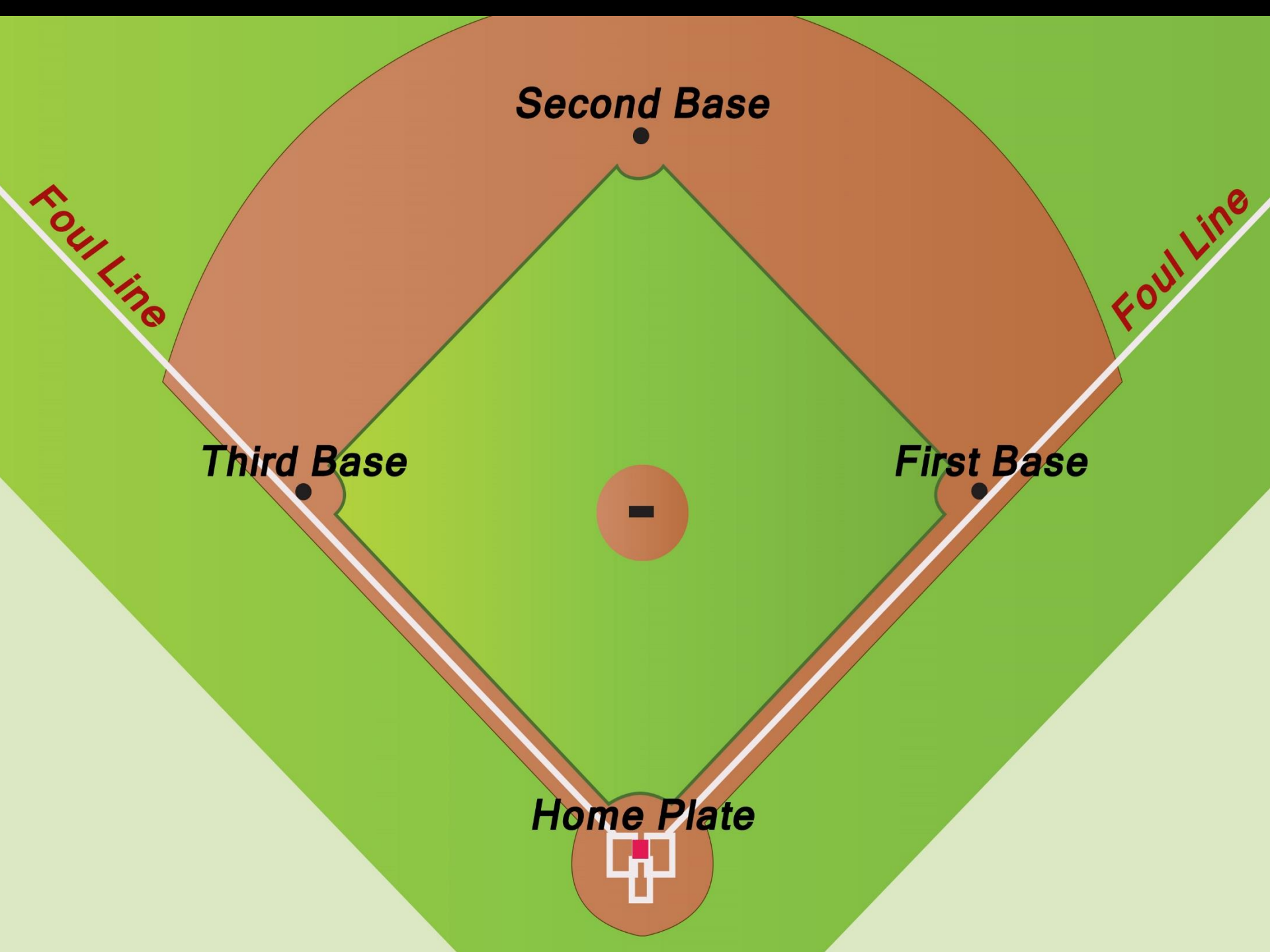
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Foul Line

Foul Line

Third Base

First Base

Home Plate