

His Coming—A Savior is Born

The Birth of the Messiah (Part 17)

The Birth of John the Baptist (Lk. 1:57-80)

- The Reality of Human Frailty
 - The Reality of Sinful Weakness
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- I. The Prophetic Fulfillment Witnessed in John's Birth (1:57-58)
 - II. The Faithful Obedience Evident in John's Naming (1:59-66)
 - A. The Social Pressure of the Community (1:59)
 - B. The Faithful Obedience of Elizabeth (1:60)
 - C. The Rejection of Elizabeth's Wishes (1:61-62)
 - D. The Faithful Obedience of Zacharias (1:63)
 - E. The Outcome of John's Naming (1:64-66)
 - 1. Zacharias Experienced Divine Restoration (1:64)
 - 2. The People Expressed Divine Wonder (1:65-66)