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## **Luke 2:4–7**

**4 So Joseph also went up from the town of Nazareth in Galilee to Judea, to Bethlehem the town of David, because he belonged to the house and line of David. 5 He went there to register with Mary, who was pledged to be married to him and was expecting a child. 6 While they were there, the time came for the baby to be born, 7 and she gave birth to her firstborn, a son. She wrapped him in cloths and placed him in a manger, because there was no guest room available for them.**

## 누가복음 (Luke 2:4-7)

4 요셉도 다윗의 집 족속이므로 갈릴리 나사렛 동네에서 유대를 향하여 베들레헴이라 하는 다윗의 동네로 5 그 약혼한 마리아와 함께 호적하러 올라가니 마리아가 이미 잉태하였더라 6 거기 있을 그 때에 해산할 날이 차서 7 첫아들을 낳아 강보로 싸서 구유에 누웠으니 이는 여관에 있을 곳이 없음이러라



# Merry Christmas of the World ?



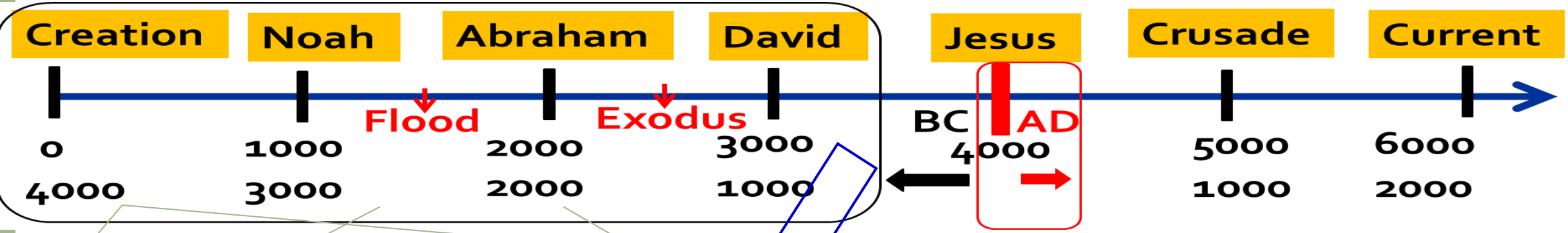
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**A Baby Born in a Stable** herds... in the fields ...An angel of the Lord appeared to them... “Do not be afraid... Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is the Messiah, the Lord... 13 Suddenly a great company of the heavenly host appeared... saying...”

Luke 2:8–14

# Prophecy For a Child...



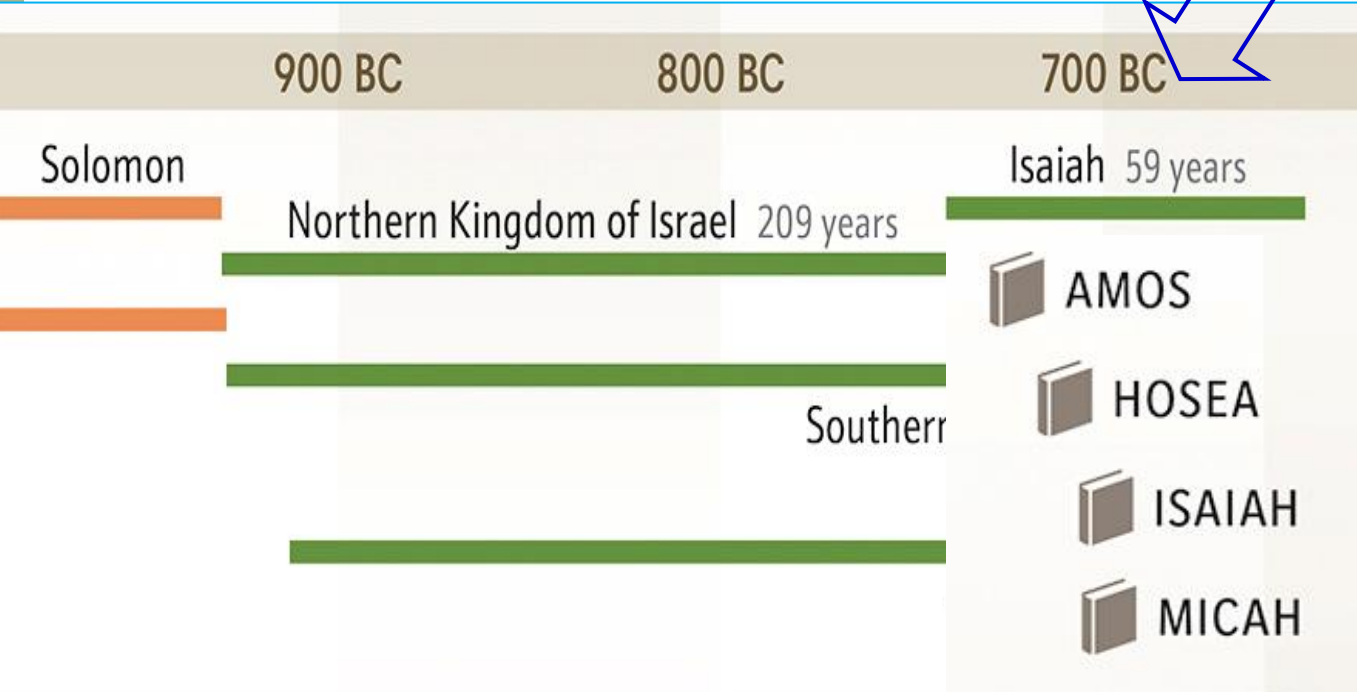
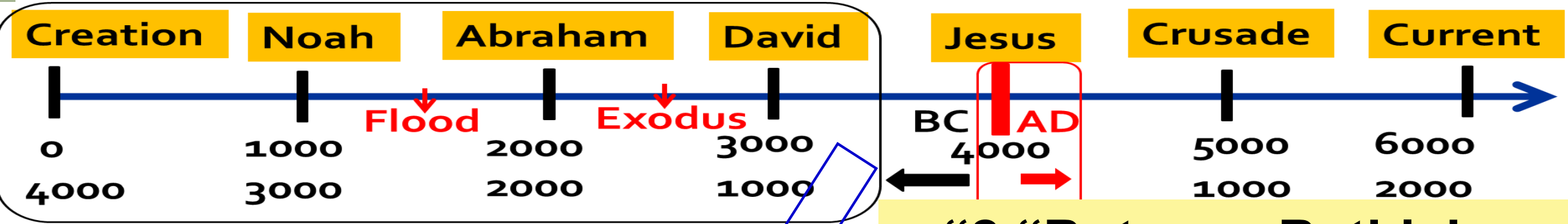
“For to us a child is born,

**14 The LORD God said to the serpent,  
“Because you have done this...**

**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...” Gen 3:14-15-**



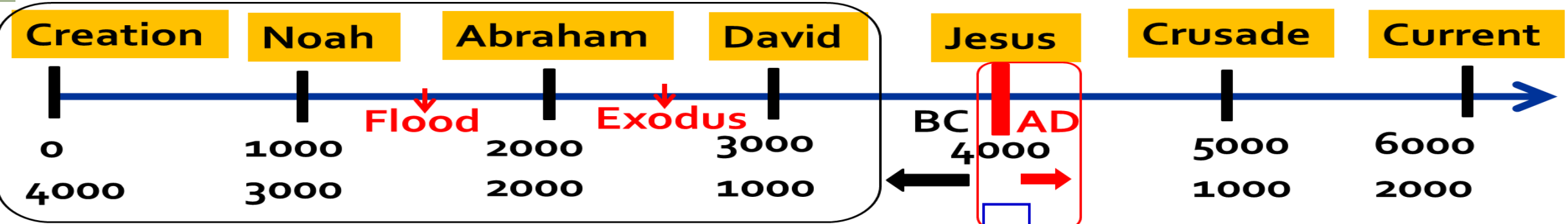
# Prophecy for a child...



**“2 “But you, Bethlehem Ephrathah, though you are small among the clans of Judah, out of you will come for me one who will be ruler over Israel, whose origins are from of old, from ancient times.”**

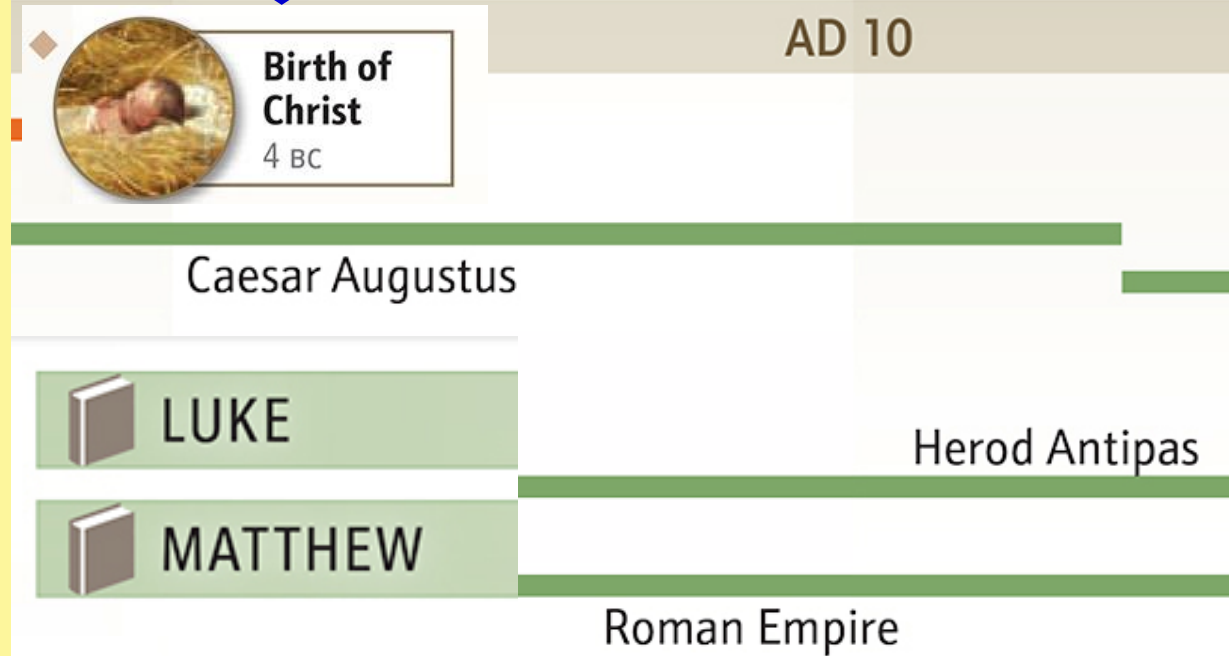
**-Micah 5:2**

# By how ...?



“This is how the birth of Jesus the Messiah came about: His mother Mary was pledged to be married to Joseph, but before they came together, she was found to be pregnant through the Holy Spirit”

-Matt 1:18-





# **“The Magnificat”**

**“the Magnificat (The Song of Mary) means “magnifies” or “praises”—is the first word in the traditional Latin translation”**

**“And Mary said: “My soul glorifies the Lord 47 and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior, 48 for he has been mindful of the humble state of his servant. From now on all generations will call me blessed, 49 for the Mighty One has done great things for me— holy is his name...”**

**-Lk 1:46-49-**

# **“The Benedictus”**

**“the song of Zechariah is the counterpart of The Magnificat- known by the first word of its Latin translation, Benedictus, “blessed.”**

**“[John]’s father Zechariah was filled with the Holy Spirit ... Praise be to the Lord, the God of Israel, because he has come to his people and redeemed them. 69 He has raised up a horn of salvation for us in the house of his servant David ... 72 to show mercy to our ancestors and to remember his holy covenant... to... Abraham”**

**-Luke 1:67–73-**

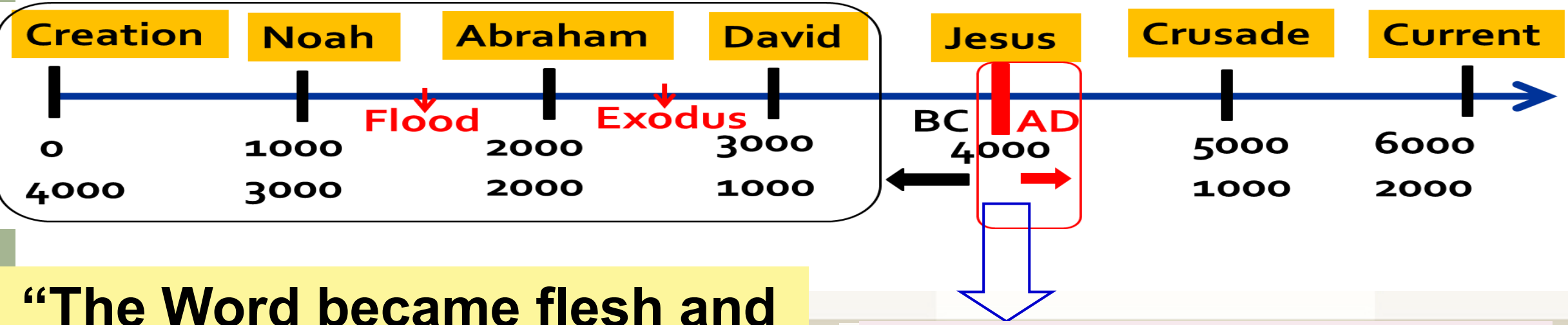
# “The Nunc dimitis”

“Simeon’s song, traditionally known by the first two words of its Latin translation, *Nunc dimitis*, “Now you dismiss”

“...a man in Jerusalem... Simeon...was righteous and devout... 27 Moved by the Spirit, he went into the temple courts. When the parents brought in the child Jesus... 28 Simeon took him... praised God...

“Sovereign Lord, as you have promised, you may now dismiss your servant in peace. 30 For my eyes have seen your salvation... 32 a light for revelation to the Gentiles...” -Luke 2:25–32-

# Who ...?



**“The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth”**  
-John 1:14

**“In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God”** -John 1:1-  
Roman Empire

# Who ...? (Hebrews 1:1–3)

**“1 In the past,  
God spoke to our ancestors through the prophets  
at many times and in various ways,  
2 but in these last days,  
he has spoken to us by his Son,  
whom he appointed heir of all things,  
and through whom also he made the universe.  
3 The Son is the radiance of God’s glory and the exact  
representation of his being, sustaining all things by his  
powerful word. After he had provided purification for sins,  
he sat down at the right hand of the Majesty in heaven”**



**Why ...?**

**“For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life”**

**-Jn 3:16-**