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THE "7 WONDERS" OF JESUS (Matt. 1:18-25)

INTRODUCTION

The "wonders" are not His physical characteristics nor features: (Mtt. 4:2) hungry. (John 4:6) weary. (John 4:7) thirsty. (Mtt. 26:38) agonized. (John 11:35) wept. Not the date nor place of birth. (Luke 1:80) childhood. Length of life. (Isa. 53:2) physical appearance.

These items listed above are interesting; however, not "wonders."

"7 WONDERS" OF JESUS

1. HIS MANNER OF BIRTH (Mtt. 1:18-25)

This puts Jesus in a class by Himself.
An earthly child with a heavenly Father; a heavenly child with an earthly mother.

2. HIS LIFE

(Heb. 4:15) "... tempted like as we are, yet without sin" (also 1 Peter 2:22)

3. HIS VICARIOUS DEATH

Vicarious - performed by one person as a substitute for another.
(Romans 5:6-10; 1 Cor. 15:1-4; 1 John 4:10)

4. HIS PURPOSE IN HIS RESURRECTION

(Rms. 4:25) "Who was delivered for our offenses, and was raised again for our justification"
(1 Cor. 15:12-20) (v17) "if Christ be not raised, your faith is vain; ye are yet in your sins"

5. HIS ASCENSION (Acts 1:9-11)

6. HIS COMING AGAIN

(Acts 1:11) "... this same Jesus, which is taken up from you into heaven, shall so come in like manner as ye have seen him go into heaven" (also 1 Thess. 4:13-18)

7. HIS INVITATION (Heb. 5:9)

(Mtt. 11:28-29) "Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest ... and ye shall find rest unto your souls"

CLOSE: A wonderful Savior is Jesus my Lord.