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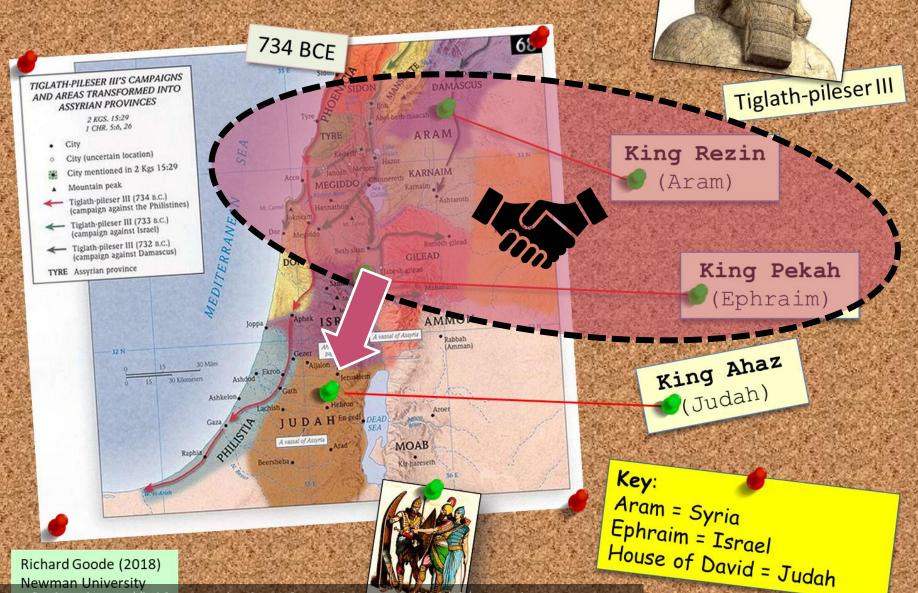
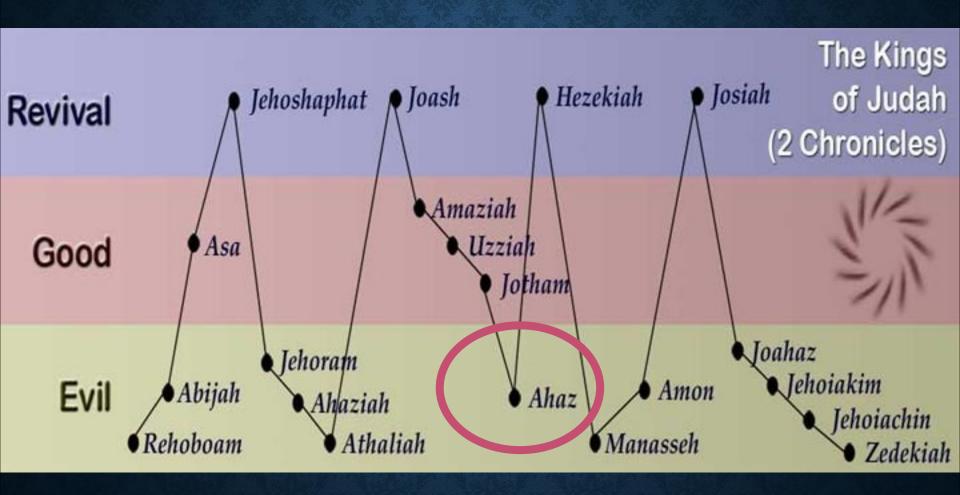


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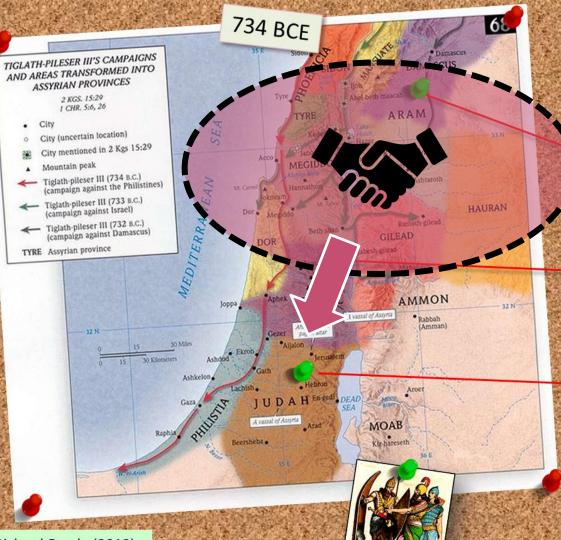
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#### Syro-Ephraimite War





Tiglath-pileser III

King Rezin

(Aram)

King Pekah

(Ephraim)

King Ahaz
(Judah)

Key:
Aram = Syria
Ephraim = Israel
House of David = Judah

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## Isaiah 7:14

Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign: The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and will call him Immanu-et .. is with God us

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#### Wonderful Counselor

Wonderful (Heb: *Pele*)

• Divine realm

• Jdg 13:18, Ps 89:5

Counselor (Heb: *Yaas*)

Counsel/Advice,Plan/Purpose

Is 28:29 - Wonderful in Counsel ...

Excellent in Wisdom

And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another advocate to help you and be with you forever—

THE SPIRIT OF TRUTH

JOHN 14:16-17



#### Mighty God

Is 10:21 - Mighty to Save

Jer 32:18 - Great in purpose, mighty in deeds, nothing is too difficult for him!

Phil 4:13 - I can do all this through him who gives me strength.



## Everlasting Father

Jesus (God the Son)



God the Father



#### Everlasting Father

Father in 3 senses

1 2<sup>nd</sup>/1ast Adam (Rom 5:12-21;

1 Cor 15:22, 45)

#### Charles Spurgeon



"In our first birth we come under the fatherhood of the fallen one; in our second birth we enter into the fatherhood of the innocent and perfect One. In our first fatherhood we wear the image of the earthy; in the second we receive the image of the heavenly."



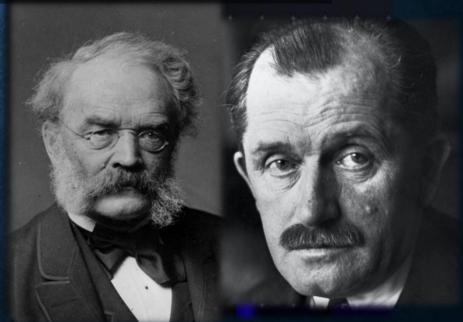
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- 3 Ideal Father figure

Heb 13:8 - Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and

forever



#### Prince of Peace

#### Prince denotes

- Sonship
- Future King

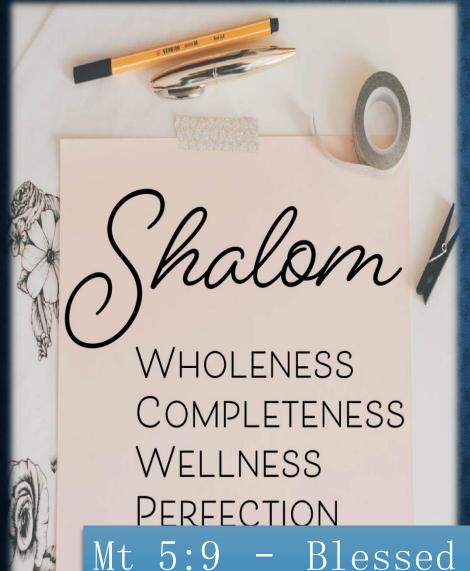
Is 9:7 - Of the greatness of his government and peace there will be no end. He will reign on David's throne

and over his kingdom, establishing and upholding it with justice and

righteousness

from that time on and

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#### Prince of Peace

Peace = Heb Shalom

- Greetings/Blessings
- Larger sense of prosperity, health, safety, well-being, completeness, etc..
- +ve relations w others
- \*\*Peace with God (Eph 2:14, Rom 5:1)

Mt 5:9 - Blessed are the peacemakers for they shall be

## Immanuel is our…

Wonderful Counselor

Wise

Mighty God

Strong

Everlasting Father

Loving

Prince of Peace

Shalom.

#### Isaiah 8:22

8:22 Then they will look toward the earth and see only distress and darkness and fearful gloom, and they will be thrust into utter darkness.

## Isaiah 9:1a, 2

1 Nevertheless, there will be no more gloom for those who were in distress. ...

<sup>2</sup> The people walking in darkness have seen a great light; on those living in the land of deep darkness a light has dawned.

Light of Life

"In him was life, and that life was the light of all mankind"

John 1:4

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## United Methodist Hymnal (UMH) #211

# O Come, O Come, Emmanuel

John M. Neale | Rev Henry Coffin | Rev/Prof Laurence Stookey

## "O COME O COME EMMANUEL"

1. 0 come, 0 come, Emmanuel,
And ransom captive Israel,
That mourns in lonely exile
here
Until the Son of God appear.

Immanu-el "God (IS) with us"

God is with us in our loneling

#### O COME O COME EMMANUEL

2. O come, thou Wisdom from on high, And order all things far and nigh; To us the path of knowledge show And cause us in her ways to go

Wonderful Counselor

God is with us when we are at a loss...

#### O COME O COME EMMANUEL

3. O come, O come, great Lord of might,
Who to thy tribes on Sinai's height
In ancient times once gave the law In cloud and ighty God and awe.

God speaks to us through Christ our Mediator

Is 11:10

O come, thou Root of Jesse's tree, An ensign of thy people be; Before thee rulers silent fall; All peoples of thy mercy call.

Mighty God Prince of Peace

Everlasting Father

God is with us as our Ultimate Ruler & King

5. O come, thou Key of David, come, And open wide our heavenly home. The captives from their prison free, And conquer death's deep misery

# Rev 3:7

"To the angel of the church in Philadelphia write:

These are the words of him who is holy and true, who holds the **key of David**. What he opens no one can shut, and what he shuts no one can open.

# Matt 28:18-20

"... "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always,

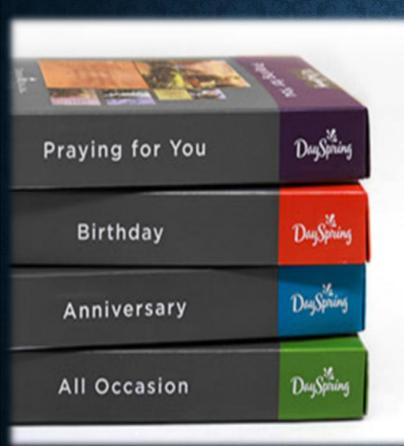
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Mighty God

Prince of Peace

5 od is with us in our salvation, even in ministry & missions

6. 0 come, thou Dayspring, come and cheer Our spirits by thy justice here; Disperse the gloomy clouds of night, And death's dark shadows put to flight.



# 12 Day Spring

**Boxed Cards** 

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# Luke 1:78-79

"...because of the tender mercy of our God, by which the rising sun will come to us from heaven to shine on those living in darkness and in the shadow of death, to guide our feet into the path of peace."

6. 0 come, thou Dayspring, come and cheer Our spirits by thy justice here;
Disperse the gloomy clouds of night,
And death's dark shadows put to flight.

Light of Life

Prince of Peace

6 God comforts and restores us in our guilt, shame and injustices

7. O come, Desire of nations, bind All peoples in one heart and mind From dust Thou brought us forth to life
Deliver us from earthly strife

# Psalm 37:4 (ESV)

"Delight yourself in the Lord, and he will give you the desires of your heart"

GOD IS MOST GIORIFIED IN US WHEN WE ARE MOST SATISFIED IN HIM.

JOHN PIPER

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God is with us in our trials and tribulations

Wonderful Counselor

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Mighty God

Emmanue God with Us!

Light of Life

Prince of Peace

# **EMPATHY**

Loneliness

Lawlessness

Sinfulness

Injustices

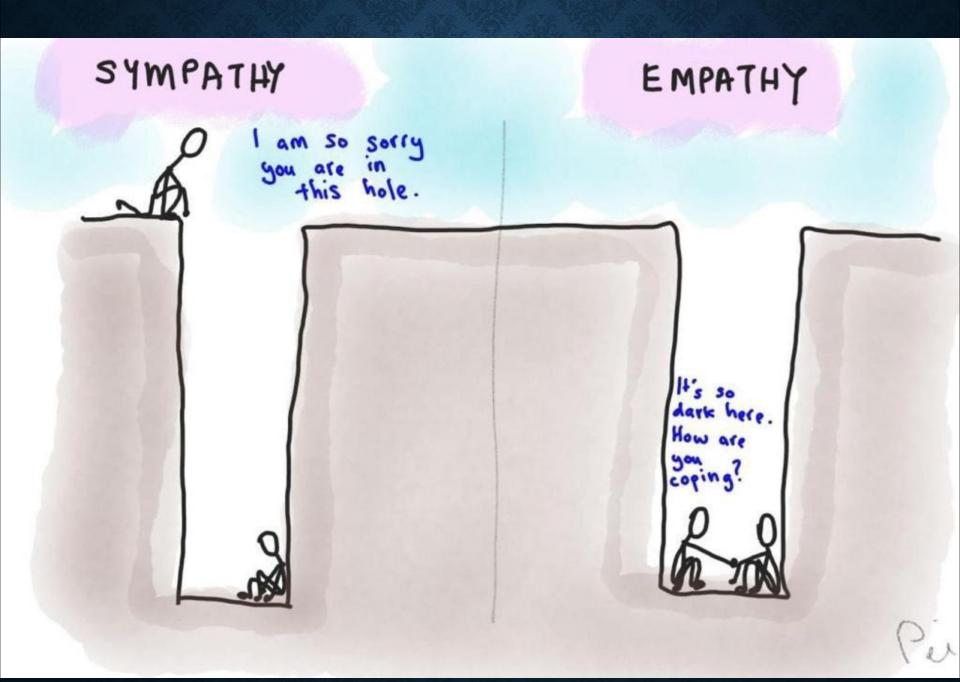
Guilt, Shame

Trials,
Tribulations

Heb 4:15

15 For we do not have a high priest who is unable to empathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who has been tempted in every way, just as we are yet he did not sin.

Gk **sympatheo** - Eng. Symphathize with





Pity: I acknowledge your suffering. Sympathy: I care about your suffering. **Empathy**: I feel your suffering.

Compassion: I want to relieve your suffering.

# **Engagement**

# Frederick Booth-Tucker

- Commissioner in the Salvation Army
- Incarnational Ministry

"Christ is sufficient. My heart is broken, but it has a song put there by Jesus Christ speaks comfort the today"

What then is our Response?

Rejoice! Rejoice!
Emmanuel shall come to thee,
O Israel.

Heb 4:16

Let us then approach God's throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need.

# Backup

# The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and for ever. Amen.

#### PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS

We do not presume to come to this thy table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under thy table.

But thou art the same Lord, whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to partake of this Sacrament of thy Son Jesus Christ,

that we may walk in newness of life, may grow into his likeness.



