

Series: Son of Man

Title: The Dedication of Baby Jesus

Text: (Luke 2:21-38)

I. The Presentation of Baby Jesus

(Vs 21) The Sign of the Abrahamic covenant:

(Gen 17:11-12) (Lev 12:3)

Named Jesus - Savior - (Matt 1:21)

(Vs 22-23) Purification: (Lev 12:2, 4)

A Sign of Worship: He Is God

A Sign of Lordship: They Belong to God

A Sign of Thanksgiving: God delivered them from bondage.

(Vs 24) “offer a sacrifice” (Lev 12:6-7)

II. The Praise of Baby Jesus: (vs 25-38)

A. Simeon: (Vs 25-35)

(Vs 25) Just:

(Vs 25) Devout: ~ Devoted to God

1. God is Central to there Life: (Matt 6:9-10)

2. God has the Preeminence: (Col 1:18)

(Vs 25) Waiting: with Expectancy

(Vs 25) Consolation: ~Alleviation of Misery

(Vs 25) Holy Ghost was upon Him:

B. Anna: (Vs 36-38)

(Vs 36) “Prophetess” - Spokesperson for God.

(Vs 37) Widow, Faithful, Servant of God.

(Eph 4:17-32) Is Paul addressing Saved or Lost People?

(Vs 26) Gift of Discernment: (1 Cor 2:6-10)

(Vs 27) Gift of Prompting: (Prov 16:9)(Ps 32:8)(Is 48:17)

God Says Ask For IT! (James 1:5)(Ps 37:23)(Jer 10:23)

What is Prompting Like! (Is 30:21)*hen ye turn to the left.*

(Vs 28) Gift of Praise:

Mary (Luke 1:46-47)

Elizabeth: (Luke 1:41-45)

Zacharias: (Luke 1:67-79)

Simeon Calls His Savior: (Luke 2:30-31)

The Angels Called Him Savior: (Lk 2:10-11)

The Lost are in Darkness: (Lk 2:32) (2 Cor 4:4)

Jew & Gentile have equal access: (Is 42:6-7; 49:6; 60:1-3)

(Vs 33-35) Gift of Prophecy/Testimony

(Vs 34) The Whole World will have to Choose

(1 Cor 1:23)(2 Cor 2:15) (1 Pet 2:7-8)

No Choice IS A CHOICE: (Matt 21:44)(Lk 11:23)

(Vs 34) “Spoken Against” (Ps 22:6-8)(Mat t 27:40-45)

(Matt 11:19) (1 Pet 4:14)

(Vs 35) Speaking of the Sorrow of the Crucifixion:

(Ps 42:10) (Jn 19:25)

(Vs 38) Gift of Thanksgiving:

Have you Qualified yourself for the Filling of the Holy Spirit?

Have you Qualified yourself for the empowering of the Holy

Spirit?

Results of Qualifying yourself for the Holy Spirit’s Filling