

## Jesus Birth and Our New Birth in Jesus

*isa 7:14* Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign: The virgin will be with child and will give birth to a son, and will call him Immanuel (Immanuel means-God is with us).

**Jesus Birth is a reality in history** – “Jesus was born into this world, not from it. He did not evolve out of history; He came into history from the outside. Jesus Christ is not the best human being; He is a Being Who cannot be accounted for by the human race at all. He is not man becoming God, but God Incarnate, God coming into human flesh, coming into it from outside. His life is the Highest and the Holiest entering in at the Lowliest door. Our Lord’s birth was an advent”). This was Christ first advent. In His first advent He came to glorify His Father in Heaven so that all those that believe in Him and His finished work on the cross might be born again.

**Jesus Birth in those that believe** – “...until Christ is formed in you” (*Gal. 4:19*). “Just as Our Lord came into human history from outside, so He must come into me from outside. Have I allowed my personal human life to become a ‘Bethlehem’ for the Son of God? I cannot enter into the realm of the Kingdom of God unless I am born from above by a birth totally unlike natural birth. ‘You must be born again’ (John 3:7). This is not a command, it is a foundational fact. The characteristic of the new birth is that I yield myself so completely to God that Christ is formed in me. Immediately Christ is formed in me, His nature begins to work through me.”

**God manifest in the flesh** – That is what is made profoundly possible for you and me by the Redemption” (All Quotes taken from: Oswald Chambers: My Utmost for His Highest).

Only those that believe in the virgin birth have the new birth in Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen. Praise GOD this Christmas for awesome hope that brings humanity. We find humanities only real hope in this truth.

Have a God glorifying Christmas,  
*Pastor Preston*