



SERMON DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

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- 1) Begin your time by briefly praying and asking the Holy Spirit to help you as you discuss and study.
- 2) Read Isaiah 7:14 and Isaiah 9:6 together.
- 3) In Isaiah 7:14, the coming of Jesus is prophesied. A virgin will conceive and bear a child and the name of the child will be “Immanuel.” What does the word “Immanuel” mean? Why is this title for God important? (hint: Hebrews 2:14-15).
- 4) Isaiah 9:6 says that the government will be on his shoulders. What does this mean? Has this already happened? Will it happen in the future? Has it somewhat happened, but not completely?
- 5) Isaiah 9:6 is also a prophecy about Jesus, and there are four names given in this verse for Jesus. What are those four names and what do you think each of them means?
- 6) Is there a time in your life when you’ve felt like God was a “wonderful counselor” to you?
- 7) If you have gone to a good counselor (or if you can imagine what a good counselor is like), describe it.
- 8) Jesus promised that He would send the Holy Spirit to his followers. The Holy Spirit is our counselor as believers. Read: John 14:25-26, John 16:7-15, and 1 John 2:27. What stuck out to you in these verses about the Holy Spirit?
- 9) How do you need God to be your counselor right now?
- 10) End your time in prayer. Ask the Holy Spirit to help apply to your life what you’ve been learning and discussing.