



I. OPEN

A. New Series Due Date

Galatians 4:4-5 (NKJV) ⁴ But when the fullness of the time had come, God sent forth His Son, born of a woman, born under the law, ⁵ to redeem those who were under the law, that we might receive the adoption as sons.

B. God made an impressive announcement of His son – at least this is what we think of

Matthew 2:9-10 (NKJV) ⁹ When they heard the king, they departed; and behold, the star which they had seen in the East went before them, till it came and stood over where the young Child was. ¹⁰ When they saw the star, they rejoiced with exceedingly great joy.

II. GOD'S ORIGINAL ANNOUNCEMENT

A. God's initial announcement came after a major problem

B. Whose fault is it?

- The argument of whose fault it was misses the point

Genesis 3:14-15 (NKJV) ¹⁴ So the Lord God said to the serpent: "Because you have done this, You are cursed more than all cattle, And more than every beast of the field; On your belly you shall go, And you shall eat dust All the days of your life. ¹⁵ And I will put enmity Between you and the woman, And between your seed and her Seed; He shall bruise your head, And you shall bruise His heel."

- God makes His initial announcement but all through the bible we see God proclaiming things about His son

Hebrews 10:5-7 (NKJV) ⁵ Therefore, when He came into the world, He said: "Sacrifice and offering You did not desire, But a body You have prepared for Me. ⁶ In burnt offerings and sacrifices for sin You had no pleasure. ⁷Then I said, 'Behold, I have come— In the volume of the book it is written of Me — To do Your will, O God.'"

- When Jesus was born He became the fulfillment of "the words" spoken

John 1:1,14 (NKJV) In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. ¹⁴ And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth.

III. THE POWER OF GOD'S ANNOUNCEMENT

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- A. There is a continual battle
- B. Three statements of grace

- **Between your seed and her Seed**
- The devil wants to accuse us and make us feel unworthy

Revelation 12:10 (NKJV) ¹⁰ Then I heard a loud voice saying in heaven, “Now salvation, and strength, and the kingdom of our God, and the power of His Christ have come, for the accuser of our brethren, who accused them before our God day and night, has been cast down

- **And you shall bruise His heel.**

1 Corinthians 2:8 (NKJV) ⁸ which none of the rulers of this age knew; for had they known, they would not have crucified the Lord of glory.

- He shall bruise your head

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- By his death, he gave a fatal and incurable blow to the devil’s kingdom

Hebrews 2:14 (NKJV) ¹⁴ Inasmuch then as the children have partaken of flesh and blood, He Himself likewise shared in the same, that through death He might destroy him who had the power of death, that is, the devil.

- Jesus destroyed any authority that the devil had

Luke 10:19 (NKJV) ¹⁹ Behold, I give you the authority to trample on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing shall by any means hurt you.

1 John 3:8 (NKJV) ⁸ He who sins is of the devil, for the devil has sinned from the beginning. For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that He might destroy the works of the devil.