

Preview: What were people saying before he was born?

Long before Jesus was born, the Bible predicted his life and death.

The Old Testament (the part of the Bible written before Jesus' birth) was completed in 450 B.C., hundreds of years before Jesus was born. A large number of prophecies were made in astonishing detail by many people throughout these books. In fact, fulfilled prophecy is one of the distinguishing marks of the Bible, authenticating its claim to be the inspired Word of God.

For instance, the Old Testament indicated Jesus would be betrayed by someone he trusted: "Even my close friend whom I trusted, he who has shared my bread, has lifted up his heel against me" (Psalm 41:9). The New Testament, which records Jesus' life and resurrection, reveals that one of the 12 people Jesus chose to be part of his inner circle betrayed him: "Then Judas Iscariot, one of the Twelve, went to the chief priests to betray Jesus to them" (Mark 14:10).

More than 300 Messianic prophecies like this were made in the Old Testament and then fulfilled through Jesus' life, death and resurrection. The chances of one person fulfilling a mere 8 of these prophecies are 1 in 100,000,000,000,000,000. For one person to fulfill 48 of these prophecies, the number becomes staggering--1 chance in 10 to the 157th power (1 with 157 zeros after it). Add to that the 250 other prophecies, and it becomes impossible for any other person except Jesus to ever fit that particular sequence of time and events.

Claims: What did Jesus Christ have to say about himself?

Legend, Lunatic, Liar, or Lord and GOD?

In his famous book *Mere Christianity*, C.S. Lewis makes this statement, "A man who was merely a man and said the sort of things Jesus said would not be a great moral teacher. He would either be a lunatic--on the level with a man who says he is a poached egg--or he would be the devil of hell. You must take your choice. Either this was, and is, the Son of God, or else a madman or something worse. You can shut him up for a fool or you can fall at his feet and call him Lord and God. But let us not come with any patronizing nonsense about his being a great human teacher. He has not left that open to us."

Jesus could only have been one of four things: a legend, a liar, a lunatic--or Lord and God. There is so much historical and archeological evidence to support his existence that every reputable historian agrees he was not just a legend. If he were a liar, why would he die for his claim, when he could easily have avoided such a cruel death with a few choice words? And, if he were a lunatic, how did he engage in intelligent debates with his opponents or handle the stress of his betrayal and crucifixion while continuing to show a deep love for his antagonists? He said he was Lord and God. The evidence supports that claim.

Jesus is the Messiah

The Messianic Prophecies Fulfilled By Jesus Christ Ordered by Category

CATEGORIES

<u>The Pre-existence of the Messiah</u>	<u>The Messiah would Come for All People</u>
<u>The Messiah would be God Incarnate</u>	<u>The Messiah's Mission would be Salvation</u>
<u>The Messiah would be the Son of God</u>	<u>The Messiah would be Betrayed</u>
<u>The Time of the Messiah's Coming</u>	<u>The Messiah would be Abandoned</u>
<u>The Genealogy of the Messiah</u>	<u>The Messiah would be Despised</u>
<u>The Birth and Childhood of the Messiah</u>	<u>The Messiah would be Judged</u>
<u>The Forerunner of the Messiah</u>	<u>The Messiah would be Rejected</u>
<u>The Attributes of the Messiah</u>	<u>The Messiah would Suffer Greatly</u>
<u>Events During the Messiah's Ministry</u>	<u>The Crucifixion of the Messiah</u>
<u>The Messiah would perform Miracles</u>	<u>The Resurrection & Victory of the Messiah</u>
<u>The Messiah would come to do God's Will</u>	

THE PRE-EXISTENCE OF THE MESSIAH

SUBJECT	PROPHECY	FULFILLMENT
The Messiah would be eternal	<u>Psalm 102:25-27a</u>	<u>Colossians 1:17</u>
The Messiah would be from everlasting	<u>Proverbs 8:22-23</u>	<u>John 17:5</u>
The Messiah would be from everlasting (the "Everlasting Father")	<u>Isaiah 9:6e</u>	<u>Revelation 1:8</u>
The Messiah would be from everlasting	<u>Isaiah 48:16a</u>	<u>John 1:1-2</u>
The Messiah would be from everlasting	<u>Micah 5:2c</u>	<u>John 8:58</u>

THE MESSIAH WOULD BE GOD INCARNATE

SUBJECT	PROPHECY	FULFILLMENT
The Messiah would be the creator of all	<u>Psalm 102:25-27b</u>	<u>John 1:3</u>
The Messiah would be Lord	<u>Psalm 110:1a</u>	<u>Matthew 22:41-45</u>
The Messiah would be holy	<u>Daniel 9:24b</u>	<u>Luke 1:35</u>
The Messiah would be God	<u>Psalm 45:6-7b</u>	<u>Hebrews 1:8-9</u>
The Messiah would be God	<u>Isaiah 7:14c</u>	<u>John 12:45</u>
The Messiah would be God	<u>Isaiah 40:3c</u>	<u>John 10:30</u>
The Messiah would be God	<u>Jeremiah 23:5-6b</u>	<u>John 13:13</u>
The Messiah would be both God and man	<u>Jeremiah 23:5-6c</u>	<u>I Timothy 3:16</u>
The Messiah would be both God and man (the "Mighty God").	<u>Isaiah 9:6d</u>	<u>John 10:30</u>
The Messiah would be God	<u>Zechariah 11:10-11b</u>	<u>John 14:7</u>
The Messiah would be God	<u>Zechariah 11:12-13d</u>	<u>John 12:45</u>
The Messiah would be both God and man	<u>Zechariah 12:10b</u>	<u>John 10:30</u>
The Messiah would be both god and man	<u>Zechariah 13:7c</u>	<u>John 14:9</u>

THE MESSIAH WOULD BE THE SON OF GOD

SUBJECT	PROPHECY	FULFILLMENT
God would have a Son	<u>Proverbs 30:4b</u>	<u>Matthew 3:16-17</u>
The Messiah would be the Son of God	<u>Psalm 2:7a</u>	<u>Luke 1:31-35</u>
The Messiah would be the Son of God	<u>Psalm 2:12a</u>	<u>Matthew 17:5</u>
The Messiah would be the Son of God	<u>2 Samuel 7:13-14</u>	<u>Matthew 3:16-17</u>
The Messiah would be the Son of God	<u>1 Chronicles 17:13-14</u>	<u>John 12:28-30</u>
The Messiah would be the Son of God	<u>Isaiah 9:6b</u>	<u>Luke 1:35</u>
The Messiah would call God his Father	<u>Psalm 89:26</u>	<u>Matthew 11:27</u>

THE TIME OF THE MESSIAH'S COMING

SUBJECT	PROPHECY	FULFILLMENT
The Jew's authority to administer capital punishment would be gone when the Messiah arrived	<u>Genesis 49:10c</u>	<u>John 18:31</u>
The Messiah would be announced to his people 483 years, to the exact day, after the decree to rebuild the city of Jerusalem	<u>Daniel 9:25</u>	<u>John 12:12-13</u>
The Messiah would be killed before the destruction of the temple	<u>Daniel 9:26c</u>	<u>Matthew 27:50-51</u>

THE GENEALOGY OF THE MESSIAH

SUBJECT	PROPHECY	FULFILLMENT
The Messiah would be a descendant of Shem	<u>Genesis 9:26</u>	<u>Luke 3:23-36</u>
The Messiah would be a descendant of Abraham	<u>Genesis 12:3</u>	<u>Matthew 1:1</u>
The Messiah would be a descendant of Abraham	<u>Genesis 18:17-18a</u>	<u>Matthew 1:1</u>
The Messiah would be a descendant of Abraham	<u>Genesis 22:18a</u>	<u>Galatians 3:16</u>
The Messiah would be a descendant of Isaac	<u>Genesis 17:19</u>	<u>Luke 3:23-34</u>
The Messiah would be a descendant of Isaac	<u>Genesis 21:12</u>	<u>Luke 3:23-34</u>
The Messiah would be a descendant of Isaac	<u>Genesis 26:4</u>	<u>Luke 3:23-34</u>
The Messiah would be a descendant of Jacob	<u>Genesis 28:14a</u>	<u>Luke 3:23-34</u>
The Messiah would be a descendant of Judah	<u>Genesis 49:10a</u>	<u>Luke 3:23-33</u>
The Messiah would be a descendant of Judah	<u>1 Chronicles 5:2</u>	<u>Luke 3:23-33</u>
The Messiah would be a descendant of Boaz and Ruth	<u>Ruth 4:12-17</u>	<u>Luke 3:23-32</u>
The Messiah would be a descendant of Jesse	<u>Isaiah 11:1a</u>	<u>Luke 3:23-32</u>
The Messiah would be a descendant of Jesse	<u>Isaiah 11:10a</u>	<u>Luke 3:23-32</u>
The Messiah would be a descendant of David	<u>2 Samuel 7:12-13</u>	<u>Matthew 1:1</u>
The Messiah would be a descendant of David	<u>2 Samuel 7:16</u>	<u>Matthew 1:1</u>
The Messiah would be a descendant of David	<u>1 Chronicles 17:11-12a</u>	<u>Luke 3:23-31</u>

The Messiah would be a descendant of David	Psalm 89:29	Matthew 1:1
The Messiah would be a descendant of David	Psalm 89:35-36	Matthew 1:1
The Messiah would be a descendant of David	Psalm 132:11	Matthew 1:1
The Messiah would be a descendant of David	Psalm 132:17	Matthew 1:1
The Messiah would be a descendant of David	Isaiah 7:13-14	Matthew 1:1
The Messiah would be a descendant of David	Isaiah 9:7	Matthew 1:1
The Messiah would be a descendant of David	Jeremiah 23:5-6a	Luke 3:23-31
The Messiah would be a descendant of David	Jeremiah 33:14-15	Luke 3:23-31
The Messiah would be a descendant of David	Ezekiel 17:22-24	Luke 3:23-31
The Messiah would be a descendant of David	Ezekiel 34:23-24	Matthew 1:1
The Messiah would be a descendant of Zerubbabel	Haggai 2:23	Luke 3:23-27

THE BIRTH AND CHILDHOOD OF THE MESSIAH

SUBJECT	PROPHECY	FULFILLMENT
The Messiah would be born of the "seed" of a woman	Genesis 3:15a	Luke 1:34-35
The Messiah would be born of a virgin	Isaiah 7:14a	Luke 1:34-35
The Messiah would be born of a virgin	Jeremiah 31:22	Matthew 1:18-20
The Messiah would be Immanuel, "God with us"	Isaiah 7:14b	Matthew 1:21-23
The Messiah would be called by his name before he was born	Isaiah 49:1c	Luke 1:30-31
The Messiah would be born in Bethlehem	Micah 5:2a	Matthew 2:1-2
The birth of the messiah	Isaiah 9:6a	Luke 2:11
The Messiah would be protected by God	Isaiah 49:2b	Matthew 2:13-15
The Messiah would grow up in a poor family	Isaiah 11:1b	Luke 2:7
The Messiah would grow up in a poor family	Isaiah 53:2a	Luke 2:7
The Messiah would be aware of his Father from his youth	Psalm 22:9	Luke 2:40

THE FORERUNNER OF THE MESSIAH

SUBJECT	PROPHECY	FULFILLMENT
The forerunner of the Messiah would live in the wilderness	Isaiah 40:3a	Matthew 3:1-4
The forerunner would prepare people for the coming of the Messiah	Isaiah 40:3b	Luke 1:17
A messenger would prepare the way for the Messiah	Malachi 3:1a	Matthew 11:10
The Messiah's forerunner would come in the spirit of Elijah	Malachi 4:5	Matthew 3:1-2
The Messiah's forerunner would turn many to righteousness	Malachi 4:6	Luke 1:16-17

THE ATTRIBUTES OF THE MESSIAH

SUBJECT	PROPHECY	FULFILLMENT
The Messiah would be a Prophet	Deuteronomy 18:15-19a	John 6:14
The Messiah would be a Priest in the order of Melchisedec	Psalm 110:4	Hebrews 6:17-20
The Messiah would be Priest and King	Zechariah 6:12-13	Hebrews 8:1
The Messiah would be a King	Genesis 49:10b	John 1:49
The Messiah would be a King	Numbers 24:17	John 19:19
The Messiah would be a King	Psalm 2:6	John 12:12-13
The Messiah would be the "Wonderful Counselor"	Isaiah 9:6c	John 7:46
The Messiah would be the "Prince of Peace"	Isaiah 9:6f	Colossians 1:20
The Messiah would be the subject of angels' worship	Deuteronomy 32:43	Luke 2:13-14
The Messiah would be a witness	Isaiah 55:4	John 18:37
The Messiah would be as a shepherd	Isaiah 40:11	John 10:11
The Messiah would speak in parables	Psalm 78:2	Matthew 13:34-35
The Messiah would speak in parables	Isaiah 6:9-10b	Matthew 13:13-15
The Messiah would speak with a message of grace	Psalm 45:2	Luke 4:22
The Messiah's words would be as a sharp sword	Isaiah 49:2a	Revelation 2:12-16
The Messiah would speak with words of authority given to Him from God	Deuteronomy 18:15-19b	John 12:48-50
The Messiah would minister in Galilee	Isaiah 9:1-2a	Matthew 4:12-17
The Messiah would have the full Spirit of God upon him	Isaiah 11:2a	Matthew 3:16-17
The Messiah would have the Spirit of god upon him	Isaiah 42:1b	Matthew 3:16-17
The Messiah would have the Spirit of God upon him	Isaiah 61:1-2a	Matthew 3:16-17
The Messiah would have the Spirit of Wisdom	Isaiah 11:2b	Luke 2:40
The Messiah would have the Spirit of Understanding	Isaiah 11:2c	Luke 2:40
The Messiah would have the Spirit of Counsel	Isaiah 11:2d	Matthew 7:28-29
The Messiah would have the Spirit of Might	Isaiah 11:2e	Matthew 8:27
The Messiah would have the Spirit of the Knowledge of God	Isaiah 11:2f	John 7:29
The Messiah would have the Spirit of the Fear of God	Isaiah 11:2g	Hebrews 5:7
The Messiah would have a quick understanding in the fear of the Lord	Isaiah 11:3a	Luke 2:46-47
The Messiah would place his trust in God	Isaiah 50:8-10	John 11:7-10
The Messiah would be just	Zechariah 9:9c	John 5:30
The Messiah would not judge on the basis of external representations.	Isaiah 11:3b	John 7:24
The Messiah would judge the poor with righteousness	Isaiah 11:4	Mark 12:41-44
The Messiah would have compassion for the poor and needy	Isaiah 42:3	Matthew 11:4-5
The Messiah would act with righteousness	Psalm 45:6-7c	John 5:30
The Messiah would be responsible for the judgment of mankind	Isaiah 49:2c	John 5:22-29
The Messiah would not draw attention to himself	Isaiah 42:2	Matthew 12:15-21

The Messiah would be humble	<u>Zechariah 9:9e</u>	<u>Matthew 11:29</u>
The Messiah would have the appearance of an ordinary man	<u>Isaiah 53:2b</u>	<u>Philippians 2:7-8</u>
The Messiah would be the cornerstone	<u>Isaiah 28:16</u>	<u>1 Peter 2:4-6</u>
The Messiah would be the cornerstone	<u>Zechariah 10:4</u>	<u>Ephesians 2:20</u>
The Messiah would be the "Rock"	<u>2 Samuel 23:2-4a</u>	<u>1Corinthians 10:4</u>
The Messiah would be as the "light of the morning"	<u>2 Samuel 23:2-4b</u>	<u>Revelation 22:16</u>
The Messiah would say the scriptures were written of him	<u>Psalms 40:6-8b</u>	<u>Luke 24:44</u>
The Messiah would give gifts to men	<u>Psalms 68:18b</u>	<u>Matthew 10:1</u>
The Messiah would have the key of David	<u>Isaiah 22:22</u>	<u>Revelation 3:7</u>

EVENTS DURING THE MESSIAH'S MINISTRY

SUBJECT	PROPHECY	FULFILLMENT
The Messiah would preach the good news	<u>Isaiah 61:1-2b</u>	<u>Luke 4:17-21</u>
The Messiah would declare that he was the Son of God	<u>Psalms 2:7b</u>	<u>John 9:35-37</u>
Infants would give praise to the Messiah	<u>Psalms 8:2</u>	<u>Matthew 21:15-16</u>
The Messiah would be greeted with rejoicing in Jerusalem	<u>Zechariah 9:9a</u>	<u>Matthew 21:8-10</u>
The Messiah would be beheld as King	<u>Zechariah 9:9b</u>	<u>John 12:12-13</u>
The Messiah would be presented to Jerusalem riding on a donkey	<u>Zechariah 9:9f</u>	<u>Matthew 21:6-9</u>
The Messiah would visit the second Temple	<u>Haggai 2:6-9</u>	<u>Luke 2:27-32</u>
The Messiah would make a sudden appearance at the temple	<u>Malachi 3:1b</u>	<u>Mark 11:15-16</u>
The Messiah would be angered by disrespect toward the temple	<u>Psalms 69:9a</u>	<u>John 2:13-17</u>
The Messiah would be ministered to by God	<u>Isaiah 42:6b</u>	<u>John 8:29</u>
The Messiah would ask God for His inheritance	<u>Psalms 2:8a</u>	<u>John 17:4-24</u>

THE MESSIAH WOULD PERFORM MIRACLES

SUBJECT	PROPHECY	FULFILLMENT
The Messiah would heal the blind	<u>Isaiah 35:5a</u>	<u>Mark 10:51-52</u>
The Messiah would heal the deaf	<u>Isaiah 35:5b</u>	<u>Mark 7:32-35</u>
The Messiah would heal the lame	<u>Isaiah 35:6a</u>	<u>Matthew 12:10-13</u>
The Messiah would heal the dumb	<u>Isaiah 35:6b</u>	<u>Matthew 9:32-33</u>
The Messiah would heal the blind	<u>Isaiah 42:7</u>	<u>Matthew 9:27-30</u>
The Messiah would have a healing ministry	<u>Isaiah 53:4a</u>	<u>Luke 6:17-19</u>

THE MESSIAH WOULD COME TO DO GOD'S WILL

SUBJECT	PROPHECY	FULFILLMENT
The Messiah would be called to God's service from the womb	<u>Psalm 22:10</u>	<u>Luke 1:30-33</u>
The Messiah would be called to God's service from the womb	<u>Isaiah 49:1b</u>	<u>Matthew 1:20-21</u>
The Messiah would be sent from god	<u>Isaiah 48:16b</u>	<u>John 7:29</u>
The Messiah would come to do God's will	<u>Psalm 40:7-8</u>	<u>John 5:30</u>
The Messiah would please God	<u>Isaiah 42:1c</u>	<u>Matthew 3:16-17</u>
The Messiah's work would glorify god	<u>Isaiah 49:3b</u>	<u>Matthew 15:30-31</u>
The Messiah would not conceal his mission from the congregation	<u>Psalm 40:9-10</u>	<u>Luke 4:16-21</u>
The Messiah would not be rebellious to God's will	<u>Isaiah 50:5</u>	<u>John 12:27</u>
The Messiah would steadfastly set his face toward his mission	<u>Isaiah 40:7</u>	<u>Luke 9:51-53</u>
The Messiah would be God's servant	<u>Isaiah 42:1a</u>	<u>John 4:34</u>
The Messiah would be God's servant	<u>Isaiah 49:3a</u>	<u>John 17:4</u>
The Messiah would be God's servant	<u>Isaiah 49:5a</u>	<u>John 6:38</u>
The Messiah would be God's servant	<u>Isaiah 49:6a</u>	<u>John 12:49-50</u>
The Messiah would be God's servant	<u>Isaiah 52:13a</u>	<u>John 9:4</u>
The Messiah would be God's servant	<u>Isaiah 53:11b</u>	<u>Romans 5:18-19</u>
The Messiah would be God's servant	<u>Micah 5:2b</u>	<u>John 15:10</u>
The Messiah would be God's servant	<u>Zechariah 3:8</u>	<u>John 17:4</u>
The Messiah would bear reproach, for God's sake	<u>Psalm 69:7</u>	<u>Matthew 26:65-67</u>
The Messiah would bear reproach, for God's sake	<u>Psalm 69:9b</u>	<u>Romans 15:3</u>
It was God's will that the Messiah would be the sin-bearer for all mankind	<u>Isaiah 53:6b</u>	<u>1John 4:10</u>
It was God's will that the Messiah would die for all mankind	<u>Isaiah 53:10a</u>	<u>John 18:11</u>
It was God's will that the Messiah would die for all mankind	<u>Zechariah 13:7a</u>	<u>John 18:11</u>
God would be fully satisfied with the suffering of the Messiah	<u>Isaiah 53:11a</u>	<u>John 12:27</u>
The Messiah would receive guidance from God	<u>Isaiah 42:6a</u>	<u>John 5:19-20</u>
The Messiah would speak with knowledge given to him from God	<u>Isaiah 50:4</u>	<u>John 12:49</u>
The Messiah would come in the name of the Lord	<u>Psalm 118:26</u>	<u>Matthew 21:9</u>

THE MESSIAH WOULD COME FOR ALL PEOPLE

SUBJECT	PROPHECY	FULFILLMENT
The Messiah would come for all nations	Genesis 18:17-18b	Acts 3:24-26
The Messiah would come for all nations	Genesis 22:18b	Galatians 3:14
The Messiah would come for all people	Genesis 28:14b	Galatians 3:26-29
The Messiah would come for all people	2 Samuel 22:50	Romans 15:8-9
The Messiah would come for all people	Psalm 18:49	Ephesians 3:4-6
The Messiah would come for all people	Isaiah 11:10b	Acts 13:47-48
The Messiah would come for all people	Isaiah 49:1a	1 Timothy 2:4-6
The Messiah would be a light to the Gentiles	Isaiah 9:1-2b	Luke 2:28-32
The Messiah would be a light to the Gentiles	Isaiah 42:6d	John 8:12
The Messiah would be a light to the Gentiles	Isaiah 49:6b	Acts 13:47-48
The Messiah would provide "justice" to the Gentiles	Isaiah 42:1d	Matthew 24:14

THE MESSIAH'S MISSION WOULD BE SALVATION

SUBJECT	PROPHECY	FULFILLMENT
The Messiah would be the messenger of the new covenant	Malachi 3:1c	Luke 4:43
The Messiah would be the new covenant	Isaiah 42:6c	Matthew 26:28
The Messiah would be the new covenant	Jeremiah 31:31	Matthew 26:28
The Messiah would come to make an end to sins	Daniel 9:24a	Galatians 1:3-5
The Messiah would provide freedom from the bondage of sin and death	Isaiah 61:1-2c	John 8:31-32 Isaiah 61:1-2c
The Messiah would proclaim a period of grace	Isaiah 61:1-2d	John 5:24
The Messiah would die for the sins of the world	Isaiah 53:8d	1John 2:2
The Messiah would die for the sins of the world	Daniel 9:26b	Hebrews 2:9
The Messiah would give up his life to save mankind	Isaiah 53:12b	Luke 23:46
The Messiah would be as a sacrificial lamb	Isaiah 53:7c	John 1:29
The Messiah would be an offering for sin	Isaiah 53:10b	Matthew 20:28
The Messiah's offering of himself would replace all sacrifices	Psalm 40:6-8a	Hebrews 10:10-13
The Messiah's blood would be shed to make atonement for all	Isaiah 52:15	Revelation 1:5
The Messiah would be the sin-bearer for all mankind	Isaiah 53:6a	Galatians 1:4
The Messiah would be the sin-bearer for all mankind	Isaiah 53:11d	Hebrews 9:28
The Messiah would be the sin-bearer for all mankind	Isaiah 53:12d	2 Corinthians 5:21
The Messiah would bear and carry upon himself the sins of the world	Isaiah 53:4b	1Peter 2:24
The Messiah would bear the penalty for mankind's transgressions	Isaiah 53:5a	Luke 23:33
The Messiah's sacrifice would provide peace between man and God	Isaiah 53:5b	Colossians 1:20
The Messiah would justify man before god	Isaiah 53:11c	Romans 5:8-9
The Messiah would be the intercessor between man and God	Isaiah 59:15-16b	Matthew 10:32-33
The Messiah would intercede to God on behalf of mankind	Isaiah 53:12e	Luke 23:34

The Messiah's atonement would enable believers to be his brethren	<u>Psalm 22:22</u>	<u>Hebrews 2:10-12</u>
The Messiah would come to provide salvation	<u>Isaiah 59:15-16a</u>	<u>John 6:40</u>
The Messiah would bring salvation	<u>Zechariah 9:9d</u>	<u>Luke 19:10</u>
The Messiah would have a ministry to the "poor", the believing remnant.	<u>Zechariah 11:7</u>	<u>Matthew 9:35-36</u>
The Messiah would offer salvation to all mankind	<u>Joel 2:32</u>	<u>Romans 10:12-13</u>
The Messiah would come to bring Israel back to God	<u>Isaiah 49:5b</u>	<u>Matthew 15:24</u>
The Messiah would come to Zion as their Redeemer	<u>Isaiah 59:20</u>	<u>Luke 2:38</u>
Those who refused to listen to the Messiah would be judged	<u>Deuteronomy 18:15-19c</u>	<u>John 12:48-50</u>
The Messiah would reject those who did not believe in him	<u>Psalm 2:12b</u>	<u>John 3:36</u>

THE MESSIAH WOULD BE BETRAYED

SUBJECT	PROPHECY	FULFILLMENT
The Messiah's betrayer would be a friend whom he broke bread with	<u>Psalm 41:9</u>	<u>Mark 14:17-18</u>
The Messiah would be betrayed for thirty pieces of silver	<u>Zechariah 11:12-13a</u>	<u>Matthew 26:14-15</u>
Thirty pieces of silver would be thrown into the house of the Lord	<u>Zechariah 11:12-13c</u>	<u>Matthew 27:3-5</u>
The potter's field would be uninhabited	<u>Psalm 69:25</u>	<u>Acts 1:16-20</u>
The Messiah's betrayer would have a short life	<u>Psalm 109:8a</u>	<u>Acts 1:16-18</u>
The Messiah's betrayer would be replaced	<u>Psalm 109:8b</u>	<u>Acts 1:20-26</u>

THE MESSIAH WOULD BE ABANDONED

SUBJECT	PROPHECY	FULFILLMENT
The Messiah would be abandoned by the disciples	<u>Psalm 22:11</u>	<u>Mark 14:50</u>
The Messiah's disciples would fail him in his time of need	<u>Psalm 69:20b</u>	<u>Mark 14:33-41</u>
Men would hide from being associated with the Messiah	<u>Isaiah 53:3d</u>	<u>Mark 14:50-52</u>

THE MESSIAH WOULD BE DESPISED

SUBJECT	PROPHECY	FULFILLMENT
The Messiah would be despised	<u>Isaiah 49:7</u>	<u>John 10:20</u>
The Messiah would be despised	<u>Zechariah 11:8b</u>	<u>Matthew 27:20</u>
The Messiah would be despised	<u>Isaiah 53:3a</u>	<u>Luke 4:28-29</u>
The Messiah would be hated by many without cause	<u>Psalm 69:4</u>	<u>Luke 23:13-22</u>
Political and religious leaders would conspire against the Messiah	<u>Psalm 2:2</u>	<u>Matthew 26:3-4</u>
The Messiah would be despised	<u>Psalm 22:6</u>	<u>Luke 23:21-23</u>

THE MESSIAH WOULD BE JUDGED

SUBJECT	PROPHECY	FULFILLMENT
The Messiah would be accused by false witnesses	Psalm 109:2	John 18:29-30
The Messiah would be judged	Isaiah 53:8b	John 18:13-22
The Messiah would be silent before his accusers	Isaiah 53:7b	Matthew 27:12-14
The Messiah would be innocent and had done no violence	Isaiah 53:9b	Mark 15:3
The Messiah would have no deceit in his mouth	Isaiah 53:9c	John 18:38

THE MESSIAH WOULD BE REJECTED

SUBJECT	PROPHECY	FULFILLMENT
At the time of Messiah's coming, Israel would have unfit leaders	Zechariah 11:4-6a	Matthew 23:1-4
The Messiah's brothers would disbelieve him	Psalm 49:8b	John 7:3-5
The Messiah would be the "stone" rejected by the Jews	Psalm 118:22	Matthew 21:42-43
The Jews would have a hardened heart against the Messiah	Isaiah 6:9-10a	John 12:37-40
The Messiah would be a "stumbling stone" for the Jews	Isaiah 8:14	Matthew 21:43-44
The unbelief of Israel's leaders would force the Messiah to reject them	Zechariah 11:8a	Matthew 23:33
The Messiah would stop ministering to those who rejected Him	Zechariah 11:9	Matthew 13:10-11
The Messiah would be distressed over the Jews unbelief	Isaiah 49:4a	Luke 19:41-42
The Messiah's own people would not believe he was the Christ	Isaiah 53:1	John 12:37-38
The Messiah would be rejected	Zechariah 11:12-13b	Matthew 26:14-15
The Messiah would be rejected	Isaiah 53:3b	Matthew 27:21-23
The Messiah would be rejected by the Jews	Isaiah 49:4b	John 5:43
The Messiah would be rejected by the Jews	Psalm 69:8a	John 1:11
The Messiah would be rejected in favor of another king	Zechariah 11:4-6c	John 19:13-15
The Messiah would be rejected	Zechariah 11:12-13b	Matthew 26:14-15
The Messiah would be rejected by the Gentiles	Psalm 2:1	Acts 4:25-28
The Messiah would be rejected	Zechariah 12:10c	John 1:11
The Messiah's rejection would cause God to remove His protection of Israel	Zechariah 11:4-6b	Luke 19:41-44
The Messiah' rejection would cause God to remove His protection of Israel	Zechariah 11:10-11a	Luke 19:41-44
Israel would be scattered as a result of rejecting the Messiah	Zechariah 13:7d	Matthew 26:31-56

THE MESSIAH WOULD SUFFER GREATLY

SUBJECT	PROPHECY	FULFILLMENT
The Messiah would suffer while reconciling men to God	Genesis 3:15c	1Peter 3:18

The Messiah would have great sorrow and grief	Isaiah 53:3c	Luke 19:41-42
The Messiah, anguished, would pray without ceasing	Psalm 22:2	Matthew 26:38-39
The Messiah would be oppressed and afflicted	Isaiah 53:7a	Matthew 27:27-31
The Messiah would be confined and persecuted	Isaiah 53:8a	Matthew 26:47-27:31
The Messiah's face would be beaten and spit upon	Isaiah 50:6b	Matthew 26:67
The Messiah's back would be whipped	Isaiah 50:6a	Matthew 27:26
The Messiah's back would be whipped	Isaiah 53:5c	Matthew 27:26
The Messiah's face would be disfigured from severe beatings	Isaiah 52:14	Matthew 26:67-68

THE CRUCIFIXION OF THE MESSIAH

SUBJECT	PROPHECY	FULFILLMENT
The Messiah would be sacrificed upon the same mountain where God tested Abraham	Genesis 22:14	Luke 23:33
The Messiah would be grouped with criminals	Isaiah 53:12c	Luke 23:32
The Messiah's hands and feet would be pierced	Psalm 22:16c	Matthew 27:38
The Messiah would pray for his enemies	Psalm 109:4	Luke 23:34
The Messiah would be offered gall and vinegar	Psalm 69:21a	Matthew 27:34
The Messiah's garments would be divided	Psalm 22:18a	John 19:23-24
Lots would be cast for the Messiah's clothes	Psalm 22:18b	John 19:23-24
The Messiah would be surrounded by Gentiles at his crucifixion	Psalm 22:16a	Luke 23:36
The Messiah would be surrounded by Jews at his crucifixion	Psalm 22:16b	Matthew 27:41-43
People would stare at the Messiah during his crucifixion	Psalm 22:17b	Luke 23:35
The Messiah would be thought to be cursed by God	Isaiah 53:4c	Matthew 27:41-43
The Messiah would be mocked by people shaking their heads	Psalm 22:7	Matthew 27:39
The Messiah would be mocked by people shaking their heads	Psalm 109:25	Mark 15:29-30
Mockers would say of the Messiah, "he trusted God, let Him deliver him."	Psalm 22:8	Matthew 27:41-43
The Messiah would be crucified	Psalm 22:14b	Matthew 27:35
The Messiah would cry out to God	Psalm 22:1a	Matthew 27:46
The Messiah would be forsaken by God	Psalm 22:1b	Mark 15:34
The Messiah would be surrounded by evil spirits	Psalm 22:12-13	Colossians 2:15
The Messiah would thirst	Psalm 22:15a	John 19:28
The Messiah would thirst	Psalm 69:21b	John 19:28
The Messiah would thirst shortly before his death	Psalm 22:15b	John 19:30
The Messiah would be killed	Isaiah 53:8c	Matthew 27:35
The Messiah would be killed	Daniel 9:26a	Matthew 27:35
The Messiah would die a violent death	Zechariah 13:7b	Matthew 27:35
None of the Messiah's bones would be broken	Psalm 22:17a	John 19:32-33
None of the Messiah's bones would be broken	Psalm 34:20	John 19:32-33

The Messiah's body would be pierced	Zechariah 12:10a	John 19:34-37
The Messiah's heart would be broken	Psalm 69:20a	John 19:34
The Messiah's heart would burst, flowing with blood and water	Psalm 22:14a	John 19:34
The Messiah would be buried in a rich man's grave	Isaiah 53:9a	Matthew 27:57

THE RESURRECTION AND VICTORY OF THE MESSIAH

SUBJECT	PROPHECY	FULFILLMENT
The Messiah's body would not be subject to decay	Psalm 16:8-10b	Acts 13:35-37
The Messiah would be resurrected	Psalm 16:8-10a	Matthew 28:6
The Messiah would be resurrected and live forever	Isaiah 53:10c	Mark 16:16
The Messiah would be resurrected by God	Isaiah 55:3	Acts 13:34
Others would rise to life at the resurrection of the Messiah	Isaiah 26:19	Matthew 27:52-53
The Messiah would be God's "firstborn"	Psalm 89:27	Mark 16:6
The Messiah would defeat death	Isaiah 25:8	Revelation 1:18
The Messiah would defeat death	Hosea 13:14	1Corinthians 15:55-57
The Messiah would defeat Satan	Genesis 3:15b	1 John 3:8
The Messiah would be justified by his righteousness	Isaiah 50:8	1 Timothy 3:16
The Messiah would ascend into heaven	Psalm 68:18a	Luke 24:51
The Messiah would ascend into heaven	Daniel 7:13-14a	Acts 1:9-11
The Messiah would ascend and descend from heaven	Proverbs 30:4a	John 3:13
The Messiah would be exalted to the presence of God	Psalm 16:11	Acts 2:25-33
The Messiah would be resurrected and crowned as King	Psalm 2:7c	Acts 13:30-33
The Messiah would be exalted by God with power and strength	1 Samuel 2:10	Matthew 28:18
The Messiah would be at the right hand of God	Psalm 80:17	Acts 5:31
The Messiah would be at the right hand of God	Psalm 110:1b	Mark 16:19
The Messiah would be at the right hand of God	Psalm 110:5	1 Peter 3:21-22
The Messiah's throne would be everlasting	1 Chronicles 17:11-12b	Luke 1:31-33
The Messiah's throne would be everlasting	Psalm 45:6-7a	Luke 1:31-33
The Messiah's dominion would be everlasting	Daniel 7:13-14c	Luke 1:31-33
Because of his sacrifice, the Messiah would be greatly exalted by God	Isaiah 53:12a	Matthew 28:18
The Messiah would be highly exalted	Isaiah 52:13b	Philippians 2:9-11
The Messiah would be highly exalted	Daniel 7:13-14b	Ephesians 1:20-22
The Messiah would prosper	Isaiah 53:10d	John 17:1-5
The Messiah would receive authority over all	Psalm 2:8b	Matthew 28:18
The Messiah would be given authority over all things	Psalm 8:6	Matthew 28:18
A vision of the Messiah in a glorified state	Daniel 10:5-6	Revelation 1:13-16