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Who's Your Daddy?

Luke 3:21-38

Genealogies confirm that ...

~ Our Faith is Rooted in History

~ God's Plan is Consistent with His Word

~ Salvation is for Everyone

~ God is Sovereign Over History

Application



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Go Deep Study Guide

Genealogies

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Getting Started

What did you find most helpful from this week's sermon? Was anything confusing? Is there anything that needs clarification? Discuss as a group. If you haven't heard the sermon yet, you can access it at: www.cbcventura.org

Going Deeper

Re-read Luke 3:21-38. Try comparing two different translations.

What did you learn this week about the importance of genealogies? What are several reasons why they are significant?

What is unique (different) about Luke's account of Jesus' baptism (vss. 21-22) as compared to Matthew & Mark? What's your take on this?

How old was Jesus (vs. 23) when He began His public ministry? Why is this significant? Read Genesis 41:46; Numbers 4:1-3 ; 2 Samuel 5:4 & Ezekiel 1:1. What do these passage record for us?

Have you ever heard anything like the meaning of the Matthew genealogy? (The meaning of the names, telling a story) What do you make of this? What lessons can we learn?

Why do you think God allowed the extensive Jewish genealogies to be burned in the destruction of Jerusalem in a.d. 70? What are some of the theories that scholars have speculated? Do you have your own thoughts? Share with your group

What are some of the differences between Luke's genealogy and Matthew's in Matthew 1? What part is exactly the same?

What was Matthew's purpose and goal in writing his gospel? How did his genealogy fit this purpose? Conversely, what was Luke's purpose and goal in writing his gospel; and, how does his genealogy fit his purpose?

What's a good solution to the discrepancies between Matthew's record and Luke's record (of the genealogies)? What do both genealogies prove about Jesus' right to the throne of David?

In the sermon, we discussed that genealogies confirm that...

1. Our faith is rooted in history
2. God is sovereign over history
3. God's plan is consistent with His Word
4. Salvation is for everyone

Talk about each of these points as a group and discuss the significance.

Application

What's one way that you can practice what you've learned? Who will help you & hold you accountable?

Prayer

How can your group pray for you? If you don't have a group and you're doing this study individually, feel free to email your request to the CBC staff.