

# How Christmas Changed the World

## A Virgin Birth?

### I. Introduction

- A. Luke 2:11 (NAS) *For today in the city of David there has been born for you a Savior, who is Christ the Lord.*
- B. Luke 1:1-4 (NLT) *<sup>1</sup>Many people have set out to write accounts about the events that have been fulfilled among us. <sup>2</sup>They used the eyewitness reports circulating among us from the early disciples. <sup>3</sup>Having carefully investigated everything from the beginning, I also have decided to write a careful account for you, most honorable Theophilus, <sup>4</sup>so you can be certain of the truth of everything you were taught.*
- C. Luke 2:1-5 (NLT) *<sup>1</sup>At that time the Roman emperor, Augustus, decreed that a census should be taken throughout the Roman Empire. <sup>2</sup>(This was the first census taken when Quirinius was governor of Syria.) <sup>3</sup>All returned to their own ancestral towns to register for this census. <sup>4</sup>And because Joseph was a descendant of King David, he had to go to Bethlehem in Judea, David's ancient home. He traveled there from the village of Nazareth in Galilee. <sup>5</sup>He took with him Mary, his fiancée, who was now obviously pregnant.*
- D. John 8:58 (NAS) *Jesus said to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, before Abraham was born, I am."*
- E. John 8:12 (NAS) *Then Jesus again spoke to them, saying, "I am the Light of the world; he who follows Me will not walk in the darkness, but will have the Light of life."*
- F. Matt. 24:35 (NAS) *"Heaven and earth will pass away, but My words will not pass away."*
- G. Matt 18:20 (NAS) *"For where two or three have gathered together in My name, I am there in their midst."*
- H. John 15:15 (NLT) *I no longer call you slaves, because a master doesn't confide in His slaves. Now you are My friends, since I have told you everything the Father told Me.*

### II. Conclusion