

Simply the *Savior*

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The Immaculate Conception

The Prophecy of Predicament

Isaiah 7:14

Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign: The virgin will be with child and will give birth to a son, and will call him Immanuel.

Dichotomy

Virgin birth
(Romans 5)

Teen Pregnancy
(Deut. 22:20-21)

God's Identity Woven Within

- The Nativity: Low face validity
 - God's pattern/Man's pattern
 - Examples: Joseph, David, the Apostles, the church
 - Power versus the Father/Child Relationship

Jesus' Roles of Prophet, Priest, and King

- Priest (Birth to Temptation) - Empathy
- Prophet (Temptation to Ascension) - Authority
- King (Ascension through forever) - Royalty
- Satan attacked him at the inauguration of each role

Communion

Which image of Christ do you *need* right now?