

# Message Notes

## The Genealogy of Jesus

A GREAT day at HCC!

Hope's Financial Year-End Need

**Introduction** - The importance of family

Today's Message:

*The Genealogy of Jesus, the Messiah*  
Matthew 1:1-17

**The LONG wait of Israel** - Malachi 4:1-6

*400 years of silence*

*And then, Matthew 1:1...*

*A few thoughts on Ancient Genealogies*

**2 Big Reasons of the Genealogy of Jesus**

1. Proof of the Messiahship of Jesus
2. Family Matters

**ONE: Proof of Jesus being the Messiah**

Son of Abraham

**Genesis 17:3-7**

Son (and King) through David

**2 Samuel 7:11-16**

**TWO: The story of family**

Five very interesting family observations in this account:

**Tamar**

Genesis 38

**Rahab**

Joshua 2

Hebrews 11:1-2, 31

James 2:25

**Ruth**

Ruth 1-4

**Bathsheba**

2 Samuel 11-12

**Mary**

Luke 1:26-38

**Gospel Application** - "Are you saying YES to the work of God in your life?"

# Scripture Passages

(taken from the New International Version)

**Matthew 1:1-17**

<sup>1</sup>This is the genealogy of Jesus the Messiah the son of David, the son of Abraham:  
<sup>2</sup>Abraham was the father of Isaac, Isaac the father of Jacob, Jacob the father of Judah and his brothers, <sup>3</sup>Judah the father of Perez and Zerah, whose mother was Tamar, Perez the father of Hezron, Hezron the father of Ram, <sup>4</sup>Ram the father of Amminadab, Amminadab the father of Nahshon, Nahshon the father of Salmon, <sup>5</sup>Salmon the father of Boaz, whose mother was Rahab, Boaz the father of Obed, whose mother was Ruth, Obed the father of Jesse, <sup>6</sup>and Jesse the father of King David.

David was the father of Solomon, whose mother had been Uriah's wife, <sup>7</sup>Solomon the father of Rehoboam, Rehoboam the father of Abijah, Abijah the father of Asa, <sup>8</sup>Asa the father of Jehoshaphat, Jehoshaphat the father of Jehoram, Jehoram the father of Uzziah, <sup>9</sup>Uzziah the father of Jotham, Jotham the father of Ahaz, Ahaz the father of Hezekiah, <sup>10</sup>Hezekiah the father of Manasseh, Manasseh the father of Amon, Amon the father of Josiah, <sup>11</sup>and Josiah the father of Jeconiah and his brothers at the time of the exile to Babylon.

<sup>12</sup>After the exile to Babylon: Jeconiah was the father of Shealtiel, Shealtiel the father of Zerubbabel, <sup>13</sup>Zerubbabel the father of Abihud, Abihud the father of Eliakim, Eliakim the father of Azor, <sup>14</sup>Azor the father of Zadok, Zadok the father of Akim, Akim the father of Elihud, <sup>15</sup>Elihud the father of Eleazar, Eleazar the father of Matthan, Matthan the father of Jacob, <sup>16</sup>and Jacob the father of Joseph, the husband of Mary, and Mary was the mother of Jesus who is called the Messiah.

<sup>17</sup>Thus there were fourteen generations in all from Abraham to David, fourteen from David to the exile to Babylon, and fourteen from the exile to the Messiah.