



GOD HAS A HABIT OF PROTECTING HIS OWN

Matthew 2:13-23

1. God the Father Protects His Son from Evil Schemes (v13-15)

- I will trust God that He has planned my days and that nothing can prevent His desires for my life from coming to fruition.

2. Our Protective Father v. A Broken Rebellious World (v16)

- I will cry out for God to rescue and will never lose hope in His strong goodness even when He does not act how I wish He would.

A. No Weapon Shall Prosper

(Luke 21:16-19, 2 Corinthians 2:14, Isaiah 54:17, Romans 8:31-39)

B. Fully Appreciate You are Called “Little Christ”

(10:16-38, John 15:18-21, Acts 14:22, 2 Timothy 3:12)

3. Three Prophecies Not about Jesus that ARE about Jesus

- I will expect to find Jesus busy wherever I look, just like I find Him on every page of Scripture.

A. “Out of Egypt I Called My Son” (v15, Hosea 11:1)

B. “A Voice Heard in Ramah” (v18, Jeremiah 31:15)

C. “He Will Be Called a Nazarene” (v23, ???)

| January | | |
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| 1 | God Has a Habit of Protecting His Own | Matthew 2:13-23 |
| 8 | He Was Called a Nazarene | Matthew 2:23 |
| 15 | Ladies and Gentleman, Introducing Jesus | Matthew 3:1-12 |
| 22 | Jesus Joins Us in the Waters | Matthew 3:13-17 |
| 29 | God Provided Jesus the Way to Escape His Temptations | Matthew 4:1-11 |
| February | | |
| 5 | Turn to the Light! | Matthew 4:12-17 |
| 12 | Jesus Calls Us One by One | Matthew 4:18-22 |
| 19 | Healing is the Theology of Good News Applied in the Physical World | Matthew 4:23-25 |
| 26 | The Christian Life is a Happy One | Matthew 5:1-12 |
| March | | |
| 5 | Being Salt and Light Involves Getting Noticed | Matthew 5:13-16 |
| 12 | Moses’ Law and Following Christ | Matthew 5:17-20 |
| 19 | But I Say (part one) | Matthew 5:21-32 |
| 26 | But I Say (part two) | Matthew 5:33-48 |
| April | | |
| 2 | Jesus Has Every Right (Palm Sunday) | Matthew 7:28-29, 21:1-17 |
| 9 | Easter Sunday | Psalms 16, Acts 2:22-41 |

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