



# a Savior for All

## pMessage Title: **The Miraculous Conception**

Luke 1:26-38 | Sunday AM, October 11<sup>th</sup>, 2020 | Pastor Jack Lamb

**26** Now in the sixth month the angel Gabriel was sent by God to a city of Galilee named Nazareth, **27** to a virgin betrothed to a man whose name was Joseph, of the house of David. The virgin's name was Mary. **28** And having come in, the angel said to her, "Rejoice, highly favored one, the Lord is with you; blessed are you among women!" **29** But when she saw him, she was troubled at his saying, and considered what manner of greeting this was. **30** Then the angel said to her, "Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God. **31** And behold, you will conceive in your womb and bring forth a Son, and shall call His name Jesus. **32** He will be great, and will be called the Son of the Highest; and the Lord God will give Him the throne of His father David. **33** And He will reign over the house of Jacob forever, and of His kingdom there will be no end." **34** Then Mary said to the angel, "How can this be, since I do not know a man?" **35** And the angel answered and said to her, "The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Highest will overshadow you; therefore, also, that Holy One who is to be born will be called the Son of God. **36** Now indeed, Elizabeth your relative has also conceived a son in her old age; and this is now the sixth month for her who was called barren. **37** For with God nothing will be

impossible."**38** Then Mary said, "Behold the maidservant of the Lord! Let it be to me according to your word." And the angel departed from her.

## **Introduction**

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**1. God is \_\_\_\_\_ - vs. 26-37**

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**Trust in God not in your \_\_\_\_\_ - vs. 26-28**

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**Trust in God not in your \_\_\_\_\_ - vs. 29-33**

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**Trust in God not in your \_\_\_\_\_ - vs. 34-37**

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**2. Are you \_\_\_\_\_? – vs. 38**

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**Sermon Application Questions**

- 1. What are some of the dangers that arise if Mary is elevated too much?*
- 2. Read Mark 3:31-35. How did Jesus respond when others placed special reverence on his mother (and brothers)?*
- 3. Why do we have a tendency to elevate certain people into “revered” status when, in reality, they are ordinary human beings who may have been gifted by God in unusual or extraordinary ways?*
- 4. How do you believe you would respond if you were unexpectedly thrust into a prominent or prestigious position?*

**BE A DOER.** Your responsibility, by God’s enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Phil 2:12-13; 1 Tim 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you mediate on this message, ask yourself these questions: (1) How does God want my beliefs/actions to change? (2) How can I accomplish this change? (3) What is the first step toward bringing about this change?