

# Our Wonderful Counselor and Mighty God

## FOR TO US A CHILD IS BORN: PART II

### Sermon Questions

1. What is the cause for the great light, joy, liberty, and peace in Isaiah 9:1–5? \_\_\_\_\_
2. What are the four things we learn about this coming child in Isaiah?
  - i. He will be a \_\_\_\_\_
  - ii. He is given titles of majesty and \_\_\_\_\_
  - iii. He is to be born of a \_\_\_\_\_
  - iv. He is to be called Immanuel, meaning \_\_\_\_\_
3. We should not be swayed by skeptics. The \_\_\_\_\_ is an anvil that has worn out many hammers.
4. What does the title Wonderful mean? (circle the best answer)
  - i. Something extraordinary.
  - ii. A description of God's works, pointing to unique, divine acts.
5. Desiring to be a good king, what did Solomon ask for? \_\_\_\_\_ (see 2 Kings 3:9).
6. Who will rise up on judgment day to testify against rulers who do not seek Jesus' wisdom?  
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7. The title "Mighty God" was a common title to honor Israelite kings. (True/False)
8. List two verses that give clear witness to the deity of Jesus? \_\_\_\_\_
9. Why were the Jews seeking to kill Jesus? \_\_\_\_\_
10. How do you know that Jesus was given or born for you?  
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## Discussion Questions

1. Jesus is the Wonderful Counselor whose wisdom far surpasses Solomon's and guides every aspect of life. Where in your life right now do you need his counsel most (e.g., a decision, a relationship, a struggle with sin)? How can you practically seek and listen to his wisdom through Scripture and prayer this week?
2. How does the truth that Jesus is truly God (not just a good teacher or prophet) change the way you approach him in prayer, worship, or daily obedience? Does it comfort you, challenge you, or both?
3. Isaiah says the child is born "to us" and the Son is given "to us"—personally, for sinners like us. How does it affect you emotionally and spiritually to realize that the Mighty God and Wonderful Counselor was given specifically for you? If you truly believed "Jesus came for me, a sinner," how might that change your sense of guilt, worth, or security this week?
4. The sermon ends with the invitation to say, "Jesus is my Wonderful Counselor" and "Jesus is my Mighty God." Take a moment to voice those statements quietly or aloud. What difference would it make in your daily life if you began each day confessing and resting in these two truths about who Jesus is for you?
5. What was your most significant take-away from this passage and sermon?

## Discussion Questions for Children

1. Jesus is called "Mighty God," which means He is strong enough to do anything—like calming storms, healing sick people, or even forgiving our sins. What is something big or scary in your life right now? How does knowing Jesus is the Mighty God make you feel safer or braver?
2. The verse says, "To us a child is born, to us a son is given." That means Jesus—Wonderful Counselor and Mighty God—was born as a baby at Christmas for people like you and me! Why do you think God gave us Jesus as a gift? What would you like to say "thank you" to Jesus for today?