

THROUGH THE NEW TESTAMENT: LUKE: 1-6.

WEEK 9: THROUGH the NEW TESTAMENT: Read Luke Chapters 1-6

Introduction.

The writer of this third Gospel was Doctor Luke, Paul's companion. He was a native of Syria and apparently was not a Jew. Luke's Gospel was written for the Greeks. They differed from Jews and Romans in that they possessed a broader culture and loved beauty, rhetoric, and philosophy. Luke brings out Christ's compassionate love in becoming Man to save humankind.

1. Read Luke Chapter 1

- a) Why did Zachariah doubt Angel Gabriel's message about Elizabeth bearing a son (John), and what was the consequence? (Luke 1:5-25)
- b) As a Christian, what do you learn from this encounter?
- c) Describe Mary's song in Luke 1:46-56.

2. Read Luke 2:22-38.

- a) What do you learn about Jesus' earthly family, considering what the family presented at the temple during the dedication/presentation of Jesus at the temple?
- b. Describe the characters of the two people who received Jesus at the temple.
- c) Why couldn't the religious leaders and priests recognize the Savior?
- d) How does the life of Anna challenge you about devotion to God?

3. What lessons can we draw from the encounter and the calling of Matthew (Levi), the tax collector? (Luke 5:27-31).

4. Describe the four blessings and four woes in the Beatitudes (Luke 6: 20-26)

5. Please take this short quiz (multiple choice) based on Luke chapter 1. You will view the correct answers after you submit them.

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