



Lesson Focus

God sent the angel Gabriel to deliver the message to Zechariah that he and his wife, Elizabeth, would have a son named John who would prepare the hearts of the people for the promised Messiah. Then God sent Gabriel to tell Mary that she would miraculously conceive a son who would be called Jesus. Jesus was the Messiah for whom John would be preparing the people.

Key Passages

Grades 2-3: Isaiah 7:14, 9:6; Malachi 3:1; Luke 1:5-7, 1:11-13, 1:26-31

Grades 4–5: Isaiah 7:14, 9:6–7; Malachi 3:1; Luke 1:5–7, 1:11–15, 1:26–31

What You Heard in the Word

- God sent the angel Gabriel to the priest Zechariah to tell him he would have a son, John, who would prepare the way for the Messiah.
- ▶ God sent the angel Gabriel to the godly young woman Mary. She would have a son named Jesus who would save his people from their sin.

