

To Us a Child is Born



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Isaiah 9:6-7

⁶ For to us a child is born,
to us a son is given;
and the government shall be upon his
shoulder,
and his name shall be called
Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God,



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Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

⁷ Of the increase of his government and of
peace

there will be no end,
on the throne of David and over his
kingdom,



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to establish it and to uphold it
with justice and with righteousness
from this time forth and forevermore.
The zeal of the Lord of hosts will do this.



Leader: The Word of the Lord

Congregation: Amen! Praise be to God!



The average human attention span is
now **8.25** seconds.



Attention Spans by Age Demographics

- Baby Boomers – **20** seconds



Attention Spans by Age Demographics

- Gen X – **15** seconds



Attention Spans by Age Demographics

- Millennials – **12** seconds



Attention Spans by Age Demographics

- Gen Z – **6-8** seconds



Attention Spans by Age Demographics

- Goldfish – 9 seconds



Notice that Jesus is given to Us.



Isaiah 9:6

⁶ For to us a child is born,
to us a son is given;



Notice His Names



**Wonderful Counselor – speaks to His
divine wisdom**



Mighty God – speaks of His **divine
power**



**Everlasting Father – speaks of His
eternal and tender care**



Prince of Peace – speaks of the peace
He brings to our souls



Notice He will be a political leader.



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⁶...and the government shall be upon his shoulder...

⁷ Of the increase of his government and of peace there will be no end, on the throne of David and over his kingdom, to establish it and to uphold it...



Notice He will come again.



Notice that God will accomplish
everything He declares in His word.



Isaiah 9:7

⁷ ...The zeal of the Lord of hosts will do this.



Application

1. Place your faith and trust in Jesus because He came and died for you.
2. Allow His names to minister to your need.



Application

- **Wonderful Counselor** – Do you need His wisdom?
- **Mighty God** – Do you need His strength?
- **Everlasting Father** – Do you need his tender care?
- **Prince of Peace** – Do you need His peace?

