

The background is a dark blue gradient with technical graphics. On the left, there is a large circular scale with tick marks and numbers from 150 to 260. To the right, there are several concentric circles and dashed lines, some with arrows indicating rotation or movement. The overall aesthetic is clean and modern, suggesting a theme of precision or technology.

PHILADELPHIA CHURCH

HE IS WITH US

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ROMANS 10:13

13 for, “Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.”

ISAIAH 7:14

14 Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign: The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and will call him Immanuel.

DEFINITION

Immanuel - God with us

MATTHEW 1:18–25

18 This is how the birth of Jesus the Messiah came about: His mother Mary was pledged to be married to Joseph, but before they came together, she was found to be pregnant through the Holy Spirit. 19 Because Joseph her husband was faithful to the law, and yet did not want to expose her to public disgrace, he had in mind to divorce her quietly. 20 But after he had considered this, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, “Joseph son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary home as your wife, because what is conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit.

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21 She will give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins.” 22 All this took place to fulfill what the Lord had said through the prophet: 23 “The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel”. 24 When Joseph woke up, he did what the angel of the Lord had commanded him and took Mary home as his wife. 25 But he did not consummate their marriage until she gave birth to a son. And he gave him the name Jesus.

DEFINITION

Jesus- Jehovah saves

JOHN 1:1

1 In the beginning was the Word,
and the Word was with God, and the
Word was God.

JOHN 1:9–14

9 The true light that gives light to everyone was coming into the world. 10 He was in the world, and though the world was made through him, the world did not recognize him. 11 He came to that which was his own, but his own did not receive him. 12 Yet to all who did receive him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God— 13 children born not of natural descent, nor of human decision or a husband's will, but born of God. 14 The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.

WHY HE IS WITH US

1- to protect us from our enemies

2- to deliver us from evil

Matthew 6:9–13: 9 “This, then, is how you should pray: “Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, 10 your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. 11 Give us today our daily bread. 12 And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. 13 And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one.

3- to restore us when we have wandered

4- to heal us from our brokenness, our hurts and our sickness

WHY HE IS WITH US

5- to teach us the ways of our Heavenly Father

6- to help us reach others with a message of hope and restoration

7- to give us comfort that we may comfort others

2 Corinthians 1:3-5: 3 Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of compassion and the God of all comfort, 4 who comforts us in all our troubles, so that we can comfort those in any trouble with the comfort we ourselves receive from God. 5 For just as we share abundantly in the sufferings of Christ, so also our comfort abounds through Christ.

HEBREWS 4:15 NIV AND KJV

NIV: 15 For we do not have a high priest who is unable to empathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who has been tempted in every way, just as we are—yet he did not sin.

KJV: 15 For we have not an high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin.

JOHN 14:16–17

16 And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another advocate to help you and be with you forever— 17 the Spirit of truth. The world cannot accept him, because it neither sees him nor knows him. But you know him, for he lives with you and will be in you.

DEFINITION

- Paraclete- comforter, advocate or help her. One call to our side.

JOHN 14:3

3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am.

• VIDEO



QUOTE

The Lord watches over us every moment of every day. He is there and he cares about every step and every breath. - DB

ZEPHANIAH 3:17

17 The Lord your God is with you, the Mighty Warrior who saves. He will take great delight in you; in his love he will no longer rebuke you, but will rejoice over you with singing.”