



What do you do when God messes with your plans?



"My thoughts are nothing like your thoughts," says the Lord. "And my ways are far beyond anything you could imagine. 9 For just as the heavens are higher than the earth, so my ways are higher than your ways and my thoughts higher than your thoughts.

(Isaiah 55:8-9 NLT)



Josephs Dilema 1:18-19

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.



Josephs Dream 1:20-21

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. 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."



Josephs Dream 1:22-23

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" (which means "God with us").



Josephs Decision 1:24-25

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.



TRUST GOD'S PROVIDENTIAL PLAN

Jeremiah 29:11; Ephesians 2:10



EMBRACE GOD'S LOVING PLAN

Romans 5:8; John 3:16



WALK FAITHFULLY IN GOD'S ACTIVE PLAN

2 Corinthians 5:7; Proverbs 3:5-6



God has a plan. It is a providential plan, a loving plan and a trustworthy plan. To know His plan means you must step out of your comfort zone and walk out His plan by faith, knowing He is Immanuel, GOD WITH