

God Became Man To Save Man

Luke 1:26-38

- 1) The power & plan of God was to become man to save mankind
 - a) Sending angels to minister to His people (1:26; cf. Heb. 1:14)
 - b) Using the humble for monumental tasks (27)
 - c) Favoring with grace those whom He uses (28)
 - d) Highlighting the humility of those He uses mightily (29)
 - e) Bringing salvation to mankind through Jesus (31-33)
 - i) The Son of the Most High
 - ii) Occupier of David's throne
 - iii) Reigning forever over God's people
 - f) His Spirit overshadowing man's weaknesses (35)
 - g) Revealing to His people that nothing is impossible for Him (37)
- 2) Man, in his depravity, is mercifully loved by our holy God
 - a) Sought by God in their lowly condition (26-27)
 - b) Recipients of His unmerited favor (28)
 - c) Enabled & overcome by His Holy Spirit (35)