

Discussion Questions

The following questions are designed to be used by parents in discussing the sermon with their children, but can be used by anyone in discussing the sermon with others.

1. What stood out to you in the sermon?
2. How did this sermon challenge your thinking, or grow your understanding?
3. The 4 Gospels are 4 “portraits” of Jesus. Why do we need 4 portraits of Jesus? Why not just 1?
4. In Matthew we see Jesus from what perspective?
5. What is the first issue to be settled when someone claims to be a king?
6. What makes Jesus qualified to be Israel’s king?
7. What is the significance of the title “Son of David”?
8. 4 women are included in the genealogy. What is the significance of including the 4 women?
9. God pronounced that no descendant of Jechoniah could be the king of Israel. Jesus is a descendant of Jechoniah. What makes it possible for Jesus to be king?

Going Deeper:

These questions are designed for the believer to use in prayer with his/her Lord, and in discussion with brothers and sisters in the Lord.

1. How did this sermon challenge your thinking, or grow your understanding?
2. Matthew was overwhelmed that Jesus loved him and chose him even though he was a despised tax collector. Are you amazed and overwhelmed by Jesus’ love for you?
3. You were born with a sin nature and consequently you were born outside of Jesus’ kingdom. Are you in God’s kingdom now? How did you get in Jesus’ kingdom?
4. Is Jesus your king?
5. If Jesus is your king, how is it impacting your life?
6. What is the primary way you should be affected by this sermon this week?