The Greatest Story Ever Told

As told by Luke

Story Lines

- Beginning

- Problem

- Solution

- Resolution

THE Story Line

- Beginning – Creation

- Problem – Sin

- Solution – Jesus

- Resolution - Heaven

THE Story Line

- Beginning – Creation
  - Gen. 1:1
  - Rev. 4:11

THE Story Line

- Beginning – Creation
- ***Problem – Sin***
  - Romans 5:12
  - Old Testament Story

THE Story Line

- Beginning – Creation

- Problem – Sin

- *Solution = N.T.*
  God Steps Into History

THE Story Line

The gospel of Luke

God Steps Into History

THE Story Line

- Beginning – Creation

- Problem – Sin

- *Solution = Jesus*

Luke's Telling

- John's birth
  - Two OLD people – 5-7
  - Angel Gabriel – 11f
  - Mute / Deaf – 20f
  - Birth of OLD AGE – 57f
  - Speaks Again - 64

Luke's Telling

- John's birth
- *Virgin Mary*
  - *Gabriel, 30-33*
  - *Virgin birth, 34-35*

Luke's Telling

- John's birth
- Virgin Mary
- *Prophecy*
  - *Mary (46-56),*
  - *Zacharias (67-80)*

Luke's Telling

- John's birth

- Virgin Mary

- Prophecy

- *Bethlehem birth – 2:1-7*

Luke's Telling

- John's birth

- Virgin Mary

- Prophecy

- Bethlehem birth

- *Angel to Shepherds – 2:8-20*

Luke's Telling

- John's birth
- Virgin Mary
- Prophecy
- Bethlehem birth
- *Angel to Shepherds*
- ***Simeon & Anna***

Jesus

- *Jesus (Jehovah saves) – 1:31*

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- *Son of God – 1:32, 35*

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- *Oath to Abraham – 72-73*

Jesus

- *Savior, Christ, the LORD – 2:11*

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- *Light to Gentiles – 32*

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- Glory of Israel - 32

22"Men of Israel, listen to these words: Jesus the Nazarene, a man attested to you ***by God*** with miracles and wonders and signs which ***God performed*** through Him in your midst, just as you yourselves know—

²³ this *Man,* delivered over by the ***predetermined plan*** and foreknowledge of God, you nailed to a cross by the hands of godless men and put *Him* to death.

24 "But *God raised Him up* again, putting an end to the agony of death, since it was impossible for Him to be held in its power.

36 "Therefore let all the house of Israel know for certain that *God has made Him both Lord and Christ*—this Jesus whom you crucified."

37 Now when they heard *this,* they were pierced to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, "Brethren, what shall we do?"

38 Peter *said* to them, "*Repent, and each of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins*; and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.

39 "For the promise is for you and your children and for all who are far off, as many as the Lord our God will call to Himself."

^{40} And with many other words he solemnly testified and kept on exhorting them, saying, "Be saved from this perverse generation!"

41 So then, *those who had received his word were baptized;* and that day there were added about three thousand souls.

Resolution:

Heaven for those who are saved.

Does That Include YOU?

"Comfort, O comfort My people," says your God.
Isaiah 40:1

"Speak kindly to Jerusalem; And call out to her, that her warfare has ended, That her iniquity has been removed, That she has received of the Lord's hand Double for all her sins." vs. 2

A voice is calling, "Clear the way for the Lord in the wilderness; Make smooth in the desert a highway for our God.   Vs. 3

4 "Let every valley be lifted up, And every mountain and hill be made low; And let the rough ground become a plain, And the rugged terrain a broad valley;   vs. 4

A voice is calling, "Clear the way for the Lord in the wilderness; Make smooth in the desert a highway for our God.   Isaiah 40:3

Then the glory of the Lord will be revealed, And all flesh will see *it* together; For the mouth of the Lord has spoken." Isaiah 40:5

"But for you who fear My name, the sun of righteousness will rise with healing in its wings; and you will go forth and skip about like calves from the stall.   Micah 4:2

"Behold, I am going to send you Elijah the prophet before the coming of the great and terrible day of the Lord.   Malachi 4:5