

The Prophecy Of Simeon

"She will bear a Son, and you shall call His name Jesus, for He will save His people from their sins." Matthew 1:21 (English Standard Version)

How could he know what was in the _____ for this _____?

Luke 2: Simeon's Prophecy And Its Background

A. The occasion of this prophecy:

1. 2:21 - Jesus was _____ in according to the _____.
2. 2:22-24 - He was presented at the _____ when He was _____ days old, according to the _____ (Exodus 13:2; Leviticus 12:6-8).

B. The man who prophesied:

1. 2:25-27 - Simeon was apparently an _____ man, described as _____ and _____. He would not see _____ before he saw the _____'s _____.
 2. 2:28 - Simeon took Jesus in his _____ and blessed _____.
- C. 2:29-31 - Simeon's prophecy: The child would be a _____ for revelation to the _____, but would cause the _____ and _____ of many. _____ of many hearts would be revealed.
- D. 2:33 - Joseph and Mary _____ over these things.

Simeon's Prophecy As It Applies To Us

A. **Jesus is the salvation of God:**

1. Matthew 1:21; Luke 2:11 - An _____ also said this about the child Jesus.
2. Acts 4:12 - There is _____ in no one else.

B. **Jesus is the salvation of God for all:**

1. 2:32 - Jesus would be a light to the _____.
2. Titus 2:11 - God's _____ has brought salvation for _____.
3. Acts 10:34,35 - God shows no _____. People in _____ nation can be acceptable to Him.

C. **Jesus reveals the thoughts of our hearts:**

1. 2:34,35 - _____ from many _____ will be revealed.
1. Matthew 21:42 - The builders _____ Jesus.
2. Matthew 21:44 - Those who _____ on this stone will be _____ to _____.

Deuteronomy 34:4 - Moses _____ the _____ Land, but couldn't _____ it. We see God's _____; will we enter?

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