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**All scripture points to Jesus.**

**John 5:39-40**

 **“You search the Scriptures because you think they give you eternal life. But the Scriptures point to me! Yet you refuse to come to me to receive this life.”**

**Jesus is the fulfilment of God’s promises.**

**God Gave Us the Jesus GPS**

* **Born the seed of a woman – Gen 5:3**
* **Lineage of Shem – Gen 9-10**
* **Descendant of Abraham – Gen 12,17,21**
* **Line of Isaac – Gen 17,21**
* **Line of Jacob – Gen 28, Num 24**
* **Tribe of Judah – 2 Sam 7, Isaiah 11**
* **Family of Jesse – 2 Sam 7, Jer. 23**
* **House of David – 2 Sam 7, Jer. 23**
* **Hands and feet would be pierced on a tree – Ps 22, Zech 12**
* **Born of a virgin – Is 7:14**
* **The place – Bethlehem ­– Micah 5:2**
* **Be betrayed – Zech 11, Ps 41, Jer 32, Matt 27**
* **30 pieces of silver, thrown on the ground, in the temple - Zech 11, Ps 41, Jer 32**
* **All before the destruction of the temple in 70 A.D. – Ps 118, Dan 9, Zech 11**

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**What does that mean for you?**

**You can trust God to keep his promises.**

**Hebrews 10:23**

**Let us hold unswervingly to the hope we profess, for he who promised is faithful.**

**You can trust God when you don’t understand.**

**Proverbs 3:5-6**

**Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight.**

**You can trust God for forgiveness.**

**1 John 1:9**

**If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.**