Joseph: A Teenager’s Dilemma

Matthew 1:18-25

**I. Three Lessons From Joseph When You Have a Dilemma in Life**

1. Joseph took time to \_\_\_\_\_\_ the situation.

Scripture: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2. Joseph took time to \_\_\_\_ over the situation.

Scripture: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

3. Joseph \_\_\_\_\_\_ once the answer to the dilemma came.

Scripture: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*Joseph obeyed two key instructions:*

1) He took Mary home as his \_\_\_\_.

2) He \_\_\_\_\_ the baby Jesus.

*Every step he takes is proof of a man who cared more about \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ than \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_:*

1) By marrying her quickly he broke all Jewish \_\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

2) By keeping her a virgin until Jesus was born, he protected the miracle of Jesus’ conception by the Holy Spirit against \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by unbelievers.

3) By naming the baby he exercised a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ prerogative.

**II. Because of Joseph’s Obedience We Have Jesus Whose Name Is More Than “Just” a Name**

1. It’s an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ name.

Scripture: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2. It’s an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ name.

Scripture: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

3. It’s an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ name.

Scripture: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**III. Because of Joseph’s Obedience God Came to Man**

Scripture: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*Immanuel:* God \_\_\_\_ us.

*7 Promises of Christmas because Immanuel is with us:*

1. Jehovah-Yireh = Your \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Scripture: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2. Jehovah-Nissi = Your \_\_\_\_\_\_

Scripture: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

3. Jehovah-Shalom = Your \_\_\_\_\_

Scripture: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

4. Jehovah-Tsidkenu = Your \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Scripture: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

5. Jehovah-Tsuri = Your \_\_\_\_

Scripture: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

6. Jehovah-Tseboath = Your Lord of \_\_\_\_\_

Scripture: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

7. Jehovah-Rapheka = Your God Who \_\_\_\_\_

Scriptures: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**IV. The Conclusion of the Matter**

1. For every dilemma in life God has an \_\_\_\_\_\_.

Scriptures: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2. Jesus is as close as the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of his name.