

Today's Scripture

# Real Love Forgets Self



Matthew 1:18-25

Job 33:14-15

Luke 1:31-35

Colossians 3:23-24

## Matthew 1:18

<sup>18</sup> Now the birth of Jesus Christ took place in this way. When his mother Mary had been betrothed to Joseph, before they came together, she was found to be with child from the Holy Spirit.

## Matthew 1:19

<sup>19</sup> And her husband Joseph, being a just man and unwilling to put her to shame, resolved to divorce her quietly.

## Matthew 1:20

<sup>20</sup> But as he considered these things, behold, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream, saying, “Joseph, son of David, do not fear to take Mary as your wife, for that which is conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit.

## Matthew 1:21

<sup>21</sup> She will bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins.”

## Matthew 1:22-23

<sup>22</sup> All this took place to fulfill what the Lord had spoken by the prophet:

<sup>23</sup> “Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and they shall call his name Immanuel” (which means, God with us).

## Matthew 1:24-25

<sup>24</sup> When Joseph woke from sleep, he did as the angel of the Lord commanded him: he took his wife, <sup>25</sup> but knew her not until she had given birth to a son. And he called his name Jesus.

## Job 33:14-15

<sup>14</sup> For God speaks in one way, and in two, though man does not perceive it.

<sup>15</sup> In a dream, in a vision of the night, when deep sleep falls on men, while they slumber on their beds



## Luke 1:31

<sup>31</sup> And behold, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus.

## Luke 1:32

<sup>32</sup> He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. And the Lord God will give to him the throne of his father David,

## Luke 1:33-34

<sup>33</sup> and he will reign over the house of Jacob forever, and of his kingdom there will be no end.”

<sup>34</sup> And Mary said to the angel, “How will this be, since I am a virgin?”

## Luke 1:35

<sup>35</sup> And the angel answered her, “The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you; therefore, the child to be born will be called holy—the Son of God.

## Colossians 3:23-24

<sup>23</sup> Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men, <sup>24</sup> knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward. You are serving the Lord Christ.