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MATTHEW			
Announcement and Arrival of the King Main Emphasis: His Credentials Birth Baptism Temptation CHAPTERS 1-4	Proclamation and Reception of the King Main Emphasis: His Message Sermon on the Mount Miracles Discourses Parables CHAPTERS 5-15	Opposition and Rejection of the King Main Emphasis: His Suffering and Death Spread of opposition Preparation of disciples Final predictions Crucifixion CHAPTERS 16-27	Resurrection and Triumph of the King Main Emphasis: His Conquest God's power Great Commission CHAPTER 28
The King	His identity: Israel's promised King		His destiny: "Crucify Him!"
Scope	Teaching the vast multitudes		Teaching the Twelve
Location	Bethlehem and Nazareth	Ministry in Galilee	Ministry in Judea
People's Reaction	Increased popularity		Increased hostility
Theme	Jesus is the King, Israel's long-awaited Messiah.		
Key Verses	16:16-19; 28:18-20		
Christ in Matthew	Jesus, the Messiah, fulfills the prophecies, promises, types, and expectations of the Old Testament Scriptures (16:16-19; 28:18-20).		

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Matthew 4:8-11 ⁸ Again, the devil took him to a very high mountain and showed him all the kingdoms of the world and their glory. ⁹ And he said to him, "All these I will give you, if you will fall down and worship me."
¹⁰ Then Jesus said to him, "**Be gone, Satan! For it is written, "You shall worship the Lord your God and him only shall you serve."**" ¹¹ Then the devil left him, and behold, angels came and were ministering to him.

Did Satan have the right of ownership to give away the kingdoms of the world?

What was the target of this temptation?

Why is it that Christ did not request assistance from the angels prior to this?

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Matthew 4:12-13 ¹² Now when he heard that John had been arrested, he withdrew into Galilee. ¹³ And leaving Nazareth he went and lived in Capernaum by the sea, in the territory of Zebulun and Naphtali,

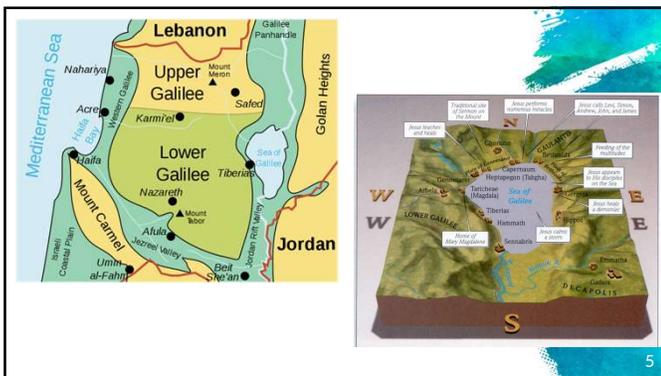
Why didn't Jesus know John was arrested without being told?

What did the message of John's arrest signify to Christ?

Why do you suppose that Jesus chose to leave Nazareth for Capernaum and not Jerusalem?

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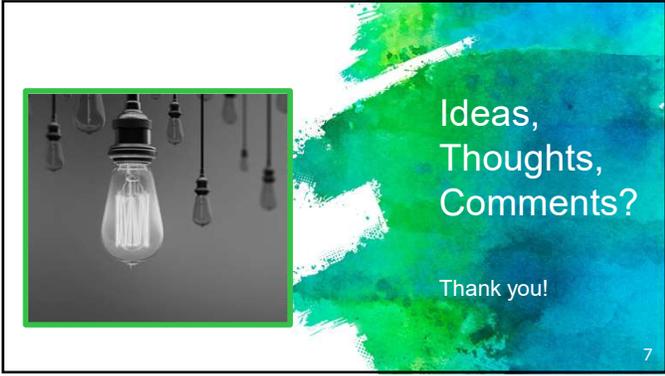
Matthew 4:14-17 ¹⁴ so that what was spoken by the prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled: ¹⁵ "The land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, the way of the sea, beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles—¹⁶ the people dwelling in darkness have seen a great light, and for those dwelling in the region and shadow of death, on them a light has dawned."¹⁷ From that time Jesus began to preach, saying, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand."

Who are the people dwelling in the darkness and what light did they see?

Why did Jesus begin His ministry with the same message as John?

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