

The Prophecies of His Life

What is “The Messiah?”

Messiah — Meshiach (The Anointed One — Hebrew)

Christ — Christos (The Anointed One — Greek)

The Two Streams of Messianic Prophecy

1. Prophecies of the Kingly Messiah

"Tell him this is what the LORD Almighty says: 'Here is the man whose name is the Branch, and He will branch out from His place and build the temple of the LORD. It is He who will build the temple of the LORD, and He will be clothed with majesty and will sit and rule on His throne. And He will be a priest on His throne. And there will be harmony between the two.'"
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2. Prophecies of the Suffering Messiah (Isaiah 53:1-10)

"But He was pierced for our transgressions, He was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was upon Him, and by His wounds we are healed."
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- His lineage
- His birth
- His life
- His suffering and death
- His Kingdom (including His resurrection)

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8. He would have a passion for the Temple of God.

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