

# THE INVITATION



**Matthew 1:18-25**

**Invited to Trust**

**INVITE #4**



# **Introduction: The Right Question**



# The “Big Idea”

Jesus is born – you and I  
are invited to trust in  
God's PROMISES.

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## A. Unexpected



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occurrences outside our  
EXPECTATIONS can be  
SIGNS that God is at  
work.

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## B. Unwanted

At times these signs are  
unwanted because we  
do NOT TRUST God.



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## C. Unncovered

God's RADICALLY new  
BEGINNING for our lives  
is uncovered at birth of  
Jesus.

## Matthew 19:30

**But many who are first  
will be last, and many  
who are last will be first.**



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## D. Unaware

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**Most often we are  
unaware of where our  
JOURNEY with God will  
TAKE us.**



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## “Action Point”

**Pray for God to show  
your first small step in  
trusting God with the  
unexpected in your life.**





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