

His NAME WILL BE CALLED, *Wonderful Counselor* Isaiah 9:6

• Isaiah 9:2-5, Isaiah 8:22

Five Discoveries about The Wonderful Counselor

1. The Wonderful Counselor is not simply

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2. The Wonderful Counselor is

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• Psalm 78:11-15, Isaiah 25:1, Genesis 1:1

Long long time ago way back when there was nothing there but God, God reached out grabbed a big handful of nothing and declared "Be something" and it was. ~S. M. Lockridge

"Wow" is often offered with a gasp, a sharp intake of breath, when we can't think of another way to capture the sight of shocking beauty or destruction, of a sudden unbidden insight or an unexpected flash of grace. "Wow" means we are not dulled to wonder. We click into being fully present when we're stunned into that gasp ... "Wow" is about having one's mind blown by the mesmerizing or the miraculous. ~Anne Lamott

➤ *The Wonderful counselor should make us stand with our mouth open in awe and say wow!*

➤ *Have we become dulled to the wow of Christmas and the awe of The Wonderful Counselor?*

3. The Wonderful Counselor is not simply a

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4. The Wonderful Counselor is a

_____ Counselor.

A biblical counselor is someone who helps others, struggling under the weight of sin, theirs or others, and/or difficulties with suffering, relate, connect and apply the Bible, God's Word, to their lives, so they can genuinely change in their inner person and be pleasing to God.

His authority is God and God's Word.

Luke 4:32, John 12:49

He addresses the heart.

Matthew 9:4-5, Luke 6:45, Matthew 15:18-20a

➤ *The Wonderful Counselor always address the real problem, the heart.*

He helps people change.

Ezekiel 36:26, 2 Corinthians 5:17, Romans 7:5-6

5. The Wonderful Counselor is _____.

• Isaiah 28:29, Isaiah 25:1, John 1:1-3, John 10:30

People will gladly listen to Him as the authoritative One. ~John A. Martin

Will you not only stand in awe of the wonderful

counselor, will you _____ to Him?

