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And they shall call His Name Immanuel .. God with us!

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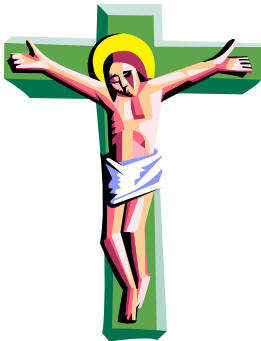
GOD WITH US... and THE HEALING Begins...

Immanuel is a Hebrew word which means God is with us! It is first mentioned in the Book of Isaiah 7:14: "Therefore the Lord Himself will give you a sign: Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a Son, and shall call His name Immanuel." This brings into view in Isaiah's day, the fulfillment of God's Promise to 'the Serpent' after he seduced Eve, in Genesis 3:15. "And I will put enmity Between you (Serpent) and the woman, And between your seed and her Seed; (Jesus Christ of Divine Origin by the Holy Spirit).

He (the Divine Seed) shall bruise your head, (Devil's usurped authority over mankind)

And you shall bruise His heel (by Crucifixion)."

As the Western World prepares themselves to profit from the holidays, the True Believer knows the Real Value of the coming season of Christmas. What mankind had waited on since the Promise in



the Garden of Eden, after the fall, and separation, that there would be A Savior, the Seed of the (Virgin) Woman. Emmanuel is the Greek word that means 'with us God': Go with me now to Matthew 1:18-26. "Now the birth of Jesus Christ happened in this way. When his mother Mary was engaged to Joseph, before they lived together she was discovered to be pregnant by the Holy Spirit. Her husband Joseph, being a righteous man and unwilling to disgrace her, decided to divorce her secretly.

After he had thought about it, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, "Joseph, son of David, don't be afraid to take Mary as your wife, for what has been conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit. She will give birth to a son, and you are



to name him Jesus, because he is the one who will save his people from their sins."

Now all this happened to fulfill what was declared by the Lord through the (Hebrew) prophet Isaiah when he said, (over 500 years earlier)

"See, a virgin will become pregnant (signifying Creator's Purity & Power) and give birth to a Son,

and they will name him Immanuel," (The Messiah is to be born) which means, "God with us." When Joseph got up from his sleep, he did as the angel of the Lord had commanded him and took Mary as his wife. He did not have marital relations with her until she had given birth to a son; and he named him Jesus. (Hebrew "Savior") -ISVNT.

In Jesus Christ, God's Son., God would dwell among us for our Salvation and Healing from Sin and Sickness! Christ's very death by Crucifixion would destroy the usurped power and works of the Serpent Devil. And The Healing (from Sin) would be offered to the people of all the Nations.

