

²⁰ But after he had considered this, **Less talking and more**
 God speaks into my deepest thoughts
Each one of you, choose to have the same mindset as Christ Jesus. Philippians 2:5

an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, **Less action and more**
 God speaks into my quietest moments
 God speaks into my uniqueness
Do not fear. I have redeemed you; I have called you by name; you are Mine. Isaiah 43:1

‘Joseph son of David, God speaks into my history
Yesterday brought me to today, but yesterday cannot take me to tomorrow. Today cannot remake yesterday; but today God and I can make a better tomorrow.

do not be afraid to take Mary home as your wife, **Less me and more**
 God speaks into my emotions
Love the Lord your God with all your heart. Mk.12:30

because what is conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit. God speaks into my relationships

²¹ She will give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins.’ **Less natural and more**
 God blends natural and
 God works through His Spirit

Less past and more
 God to from my sins
 God works in for a better future

Discussion starters with no wrong answers

1. How old were you when you first heard about Jesus?
2. We are told to have the same mindset as Jesus (Philippians 2:5). List some examples of his words/actions that give evidence of His mindset.
3. What are some practical steps for me to have that same mindset?
4. Read Isaiah 43:1. Why does God call me by name?
5. Read 1 John 4:18. What is the relationship between Love and Fear? Note a few ways by which Love has this impact on Fear.
6. What are some signs that a relationship is healthy, or unhealthy?
7. What are the top 3 ways in which the Holy Spirit is able to impact in your life? In that process, how much is Him, and how much is you?

My prayer priorities for this week