

# Matthew and the Prophets

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Matthew wanted to show his readers that Jesus was the Messiah predicted by the Old Testament Prophets. In the first two chapters of his gospel, he quotes five Old Testament prophecies. Write each of these in the first column. Then answer the questions in columns 2 and 3. The first prophecy has been done for you.

<b>Old Testament Prophecy</b>	<b>Which prophet wrote it?</b>	<b>How was it fulfilled in the Christmas story?</b>
The virgin will be pregnant. She will have a son and they will name him Immanuel.	Isaiah	Mary was a virgin when Jesus was born.