

Mary: Extraordinarily Ordinary

John 1:46: "Nazareth! Can anything good come from there?" Nathanael asked.

Matthew 13:55: Isn't this the carpenter's son?

Luke 2:45: When they did not find him, they went back to Jerusalem to look for him.

Mark 3:21: When his family heard about this, they went to take charge of him, for they said, "He is out of his mind."

John 2:3-5: When the wine was gone, Jesus' mother said to him, "They have no more wine." 4 "Woman, why do you involve me?" Jesus replied. "My hour has not yet come." 5 His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you."

John 19:25: Near the cross of Jesus stood his mother, his mother's sister, Mary the wife of Clopas, and Mary Magdalene.

Luke 1:28-31: 28 The angel went to her and said, "Greetings, you who are highly favored! The Lord is with you." 29 Mary was greatly troubled at his words and wondered what kind of greeting this might be. 30 But the angel said to her, "Do not be afraid, Mary; you have found favor with God. 31 You will conceive and give birth to a son, and you are to call him Jesus.

Matthew 1:19: Because Joseph her husband was faithful to the law, and yet did not want to expose her to public disgrace, he had in mind to divorce her quietly.

Deuteronomy 22:22: If a man is found sleeping with another man's wife, both the man who slept with her and the woman must die.

Luke 1:36-37: "Even Elizabeth your relative is going to have a child in her old age, and she who was said to be unable to conceive is in her sixth month. 37 For no word from God will ever fail."

Luke 1:41-42: When Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the baby leaped in her womb, and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit. 42 In a loud voice she exclaimed: "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the child you will bear!"

Luke 1:38: "I am the Lord's servant," Mary answered. "May your word to me be fulfilled." Then the angel left her.

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