

LUKE (volume II, Acts, below)

(from *Written to be Heard*)

Message #1 Israel is Delivered: “*God has looked favorably on his people and redeemed them.*”*

- #1 Angel to Zechariah: “*to turn many of the people of Israel to the Lord their God*” (1.8)
#2 Angel to Mary: [Jesus] will reign over the house of Jacob forever”; *his kingdom, no end* 1.33
#3 Mary to Elizabeth: “[God] has helped his servant Israel in remembrance of his mercy (1.54).
#4 *Zechariah’s prophecy: “[God] has looked favorably on his people and redeemed them” (1.68).
#5 Angels to Shepherds: “Glory to God in highest heaven”/ *on earth/peace to the favored!* 2.14
#6 Simeon to God: “[Israel] a light for revelation to gentiles/for glory to your people Israel” 1.29
--to Mary: Jesus “destined for the falling and the rising of many in Israel” (2.34).
#7 John, quoting Isaiah: “Prepare the way....All flesh shall see the salvation of God” (3.4-6).
#8 Jesus, quoting Isaiah: “...to proclaim release/...[and] the year of the Lord’s favor” (4.18-19).
#9 Jesus Poetic Sermon, law distilled: “Do to others as you would have them do to you,” 6.20-49.
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Message #2: To be saved, “**strive to enter through the narrow door**” of the kingdom. (13.24)

The Teaching Section, 9.51-19.44

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Message #3: “**This cup that is poured out for you is the new covenant in my blood**” (22.20).

“New covenant”? (1) The Law clarified (chart); (2) Empowerment to obey—Holy Spirit (Acts!)

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ACTS (volume II of Luke-Acts)

Message #4: Israel is Redeemed! (as promised in Luke)

Simeon spoke of the “rising of many in Israel” (Lk 2.34); all of the promises in Luke come true: Jews “rise, turn to the Lord, by the thousands (Acts 2.41), upon thousands (4.4) upon more thousands, 21.20.

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Message #5: Believers teach what Jesus taught, *repentance*; and his *resurrection, Holy Spirit*

For *repentance*: see chart of teaching above, Lk 9:51-19:44; Holy Spirit fulfills promise that with God all things—most especially the striving for salvation—becomes possible. The 3 things Jesus wanted emphasized (Lk 24:44-49) are indeed the focus of 18 speeches.