

# Opposite Christmas #1: When Fear Meets Hope

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## **A. Introduction to the Gospel of Luke (1-4)**

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## **B. Introduction to Zechariah and Elizabeth (Luke 1:5-7)**

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## **C. Zechariah's Incredible Day (Luke 1:8-25)**

### **1. Unique Placement (1:8-10)**

### **2. Unique Conversation - w/ Gabriel (1:11-17)**

### **3. Unique Situation (Question) - Zechariah's lack of Faith (1:18)**

### **4. Unique journey of Zechariah (1:19-25)**

#### **a. Consequence from a Lack of Faith (1:19-20)**

#### **b. Zechariah Exits the Temple/The Crowds Response (1:21-22)**

#### **c. Zechariah Returns Home/ Elizabeth Gets Pregnant (1:23-25)**

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## **D. The Rest of Journey (Luke 1:57-80)**

### **1. The Birth of John the Baptist (1:57-58)**

### **2. The Naming Controversy (1:59-66)**

### **3. The Prophecy of Zechariah (1:67-80)**