

has found courage to pray to you. You, Lord, are God! You have promised these good things to your servant. Now you have been pleased to bless the house of your servant, that it may continue forever in your sight; for you, Lord, have blessed it, and it will be blessed forever.”



But what David didn't know was that God's covenant with him was much better than he thought or imagined. David believed that God was promising him that his family would rule over the land of Israel forever. And for many years it was like that.

But God knew something David didn't know. One day - hundreds of years later - from the

David was so glad about the covenant that God had made with him, that he obeyed the command of God not to build the temple. He began to gather the materials that his son would need for that purpose.

descendants of David a King would be born who would rule over the whole kingdom of God everywhere and forever!

*(Taken from 1 Chronicles 17; Luke 1:31-33, 68-71).*

## AN EXTRA GIFT FOR DAVID

**“He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. The Lord God will give him the throne of his father David, and he will reign over Jacob's descendants forever; his kingdom will never end.”**

**(Luke 1:32-33)**

**“Praise be to the Lord, the God of Israel, because he has come to his people and redeemed them. He has raised up a horn of salvation for us in the house of his servant David.”**

**(Luke 1:68-69)**

**Who is Luke talking about?** \_\_\_\_\_