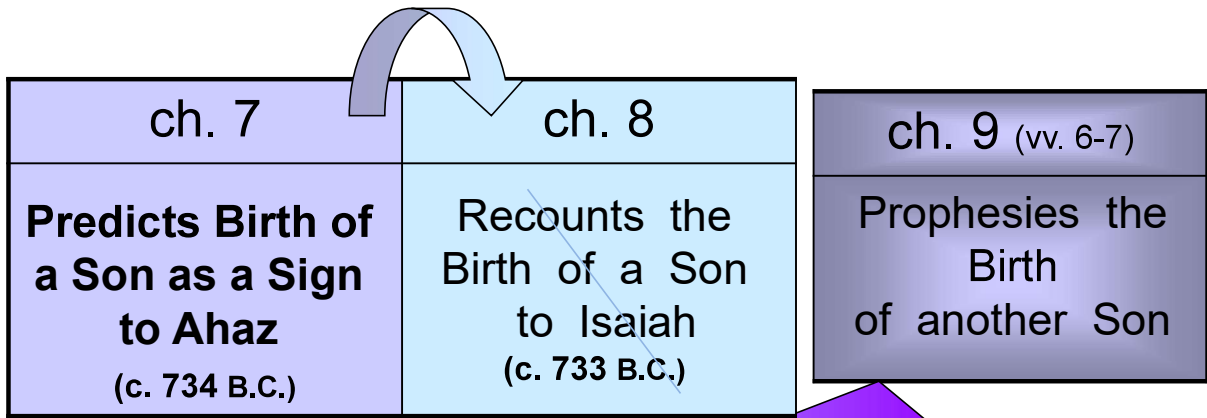


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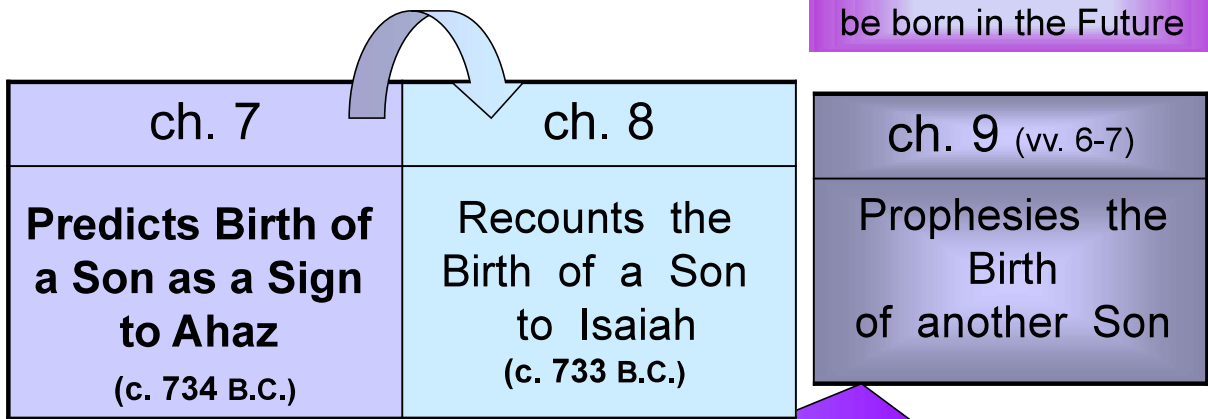
- If the “son” of ch. 8 is the immediate fulfillment of ch. 7, then the “son” of ch. 9 must be yet another son that would be born in the future
- also, the “son” of ch. 9 is spoken of in superlative terms exceeding that of chs. 7 & 8
- also, the “son” of ch. 9 is of the house of David, whereas that of chs. 7 & 8 is not identified as such

thus indicating that there is yet another aspect of Fulfillment still to come in the Future

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Yet another “Son” will be born in the Future



Matthew 4 (WEB)
 12 Now . . . Jesus . . . withdrew into Galilee.
 13 . . . He came and lived in Capernaum, which is by the sea, in the region of Zebulun and Naphtali,
 14 that it might be fulfilled which was spoken through Isaiah the prophet, saying,
 15 “The land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali,
 toward the sea, beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles,
 16 the people who sat in darkness saw a great light;
 to those who sat in the region and shadow of death,
 to them light has dawned.” [Isaiah 9:1-2]

◆ That element of yet another “future son” that is picked up on in Matthew, applying it to Jesus, the Christ/Messiah

Isaiah 8 (World English Bible)

²⁰ Turn to the law and to the covenant!

If they don't speak according to this word,
surely there is no morning for them.

²¹ They will pass through it, very distressed and hungry. . . .

They will turn their faces upward, ²² and look to the earth,
and see distress, darkness, and the gloom of anguish.
They will be driven into thick darkness.



Isaiah 9

¹ [Heb 8:23] But there shall be no more gloom for her who was in anguish.

In the former time, he brought into contempt
the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali;
but in the latter time he has made it glorious,
by the way of the sea, beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the nations.

² [Heb 1] The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light.

The light has shined on those who lived in the land of the shadow of death.

³ You have multiplied the nation.
You have increased their joy.

They rejoice before you
according to the joy in harvest,
as men rejoice when they divide the plunder.

⁴ For the yoke of his burden,
and the staff of his shoulder,
the rod of his oppressor,

you have broken as in the day of Midian. [Judges 6-7, Gideon's defeat of Midianites]

⁵ For all the armor of the armed man in the noisy battle,
and the garments rolled in blood,
will be for burning, fuel for the fire.

⁶ For a child is born to us.
A son is given to us,

and the government will be on his shoulder(s).

His name will be called Wonderful Counselor,
Mighty God,
Everlasting Father,
Prince of Peace.

⁷ Of the increase of his government and of peace
there shall be no end,
on David's throne, and on his kingdom,
to establish it,
and to uphold it
with justice and with righteousness
from that time on, even forever.

The zeal of Yahweh (the Lord) of Armies will perform this.

