The Child That Drew Attention of the Roman Empire

- Rev 12:1 And there appeared a great wonder in heaven; a woman (*Israel*) clothed with the sun (*light/knowledge of who God is*), and the moon (*those, the Gentile world, that are given light/knowledge through Israel of who God is*) under her feet, and upon her head a crown of twelve stars (*the twelve tribes of Israel*):
- Rev 12:2 And she (*Israel*) being with child cried (*and in doing so, drew the attention of the world Roman Empire, or fourth beast described by the prophet Daniel*), travailing in birth, and pained to be delivered.

Our Savior, Christ Jesus is the child that was delivered of her (Israel). But his conception was not by flesh and blood, but the Holy Spirit! God the Son became (or, his conception, manifestation was flesh and blood) but not by flesh and blood:

- Joh 1:11 He came unto his own (*the Jewish nation*), and his own received him not.
- Joh 1:12 But as many as received him (*Jesus*), to them gave he power to become the sons of God, *even* to them that believe on his name (*Jesus*):
- Joh 1:13 Which (*Jesus*) were born, not of blood, nor of the will of the flesh, nor of the will of man, but of God. (*He was not conceived according to the means of sinful flesh, but God the Holy Spirit that created all things "In the beginning*").

The budding of Aaron's rod in Numbers 17:1 through 17:10 is a figure of the manifestation of God the Son putting on flesh and blood. The buds were of the almond rod, or dead stick; but they were not by the rod's natural blossoming; and neither was the conception of Jesus by fleshly means. Intervention by God the Holy Spirit conceived Jesus, just as the Holy Spirit manifested the almond buds of Aaron's rod, absent of natural processes.

This is the same power of God we see when he brought creation into existence. He said let there be ..., and it was so.

Zec 4:6 Then he (*the angel from the LORD*) answered and spake unto me (*Zechariah*), saying, This *is* the word of the LORD unto Zerubbabel, saying, Not by might (*carnal means*), nor by power (*carnal means*), but by my Spirit (*that is mightier*), saith the LORD of hosts.

Consider we can also see in this that the first Adam came not by natural process (including evolution) either, but God made Adam from dust of the earth and breathed life in his nostrils. And after the fall of Adam his offspring came by the budding of natural process, bearing Adam's sin of disobedience.

But Jesus, the second Adam, served God and destroyed the cycle and power of sin/ death/ disobedience by His (Cross) death, burial, and resurrection. AMEN!

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