

Filled Full with Meaning

Matthew 2:13-23

(series #5)

Intro: the issue of “typology” in Bible interpretation

A. Examples of types

- Melchizedek was a type of Christ: Heb. 7
- Adam was a type of Christ: Romans 5
- The lifting of the serpent was a type: Jn 3:14
- The Tabernacle was a type: Hebrews 9

B. Common mistakes in typology

- Jumping from typology to allegorizing
 1. Acts 20:7-10
 2. Matt. 28:2
 3. Acts 27:29
- Seeing everything as a type

I. The Flight Into Egypt vv. 13-15

A. The command of the angel vv. 13-14

B. The parallel with Hosea 11:1 v. 15

II. The Slaughtering of the Children vv. 16-18

A. The immense suffering of Bethlehm v. 16

B. The parallel with Jeremiah 31:15

III. The Settling in Nazareth vv. 19-23

A. The decision to settle in Nazareth vv. 19-22

B. The teaching of the prophets v. 23

1. Psalm 22, 69
2. Isaiah 11, 42, 49, 53
3. Daniel 9:26