The Miracle of Jesus’ Conception

I. “You will be with child and give birth to a son,” Luke 1:31.
II. “How will this be since I am a virgin?” Luke 1:34.
III. “The Holy Spirit will come upon you and the power of the most high will overshadow you,” Luke 1:35.
IV. “So the Holy One to be born will be called the Son of God,” Luke 1:35.
V. The miracle of Jesus’ conception.
   A. Infinite God put on human smallness.
      1. The person we call God fills the vast universe, 1 Kings 8:27; Jeremiah 23:24.
      2. He cannot be measured; is without limit.
      3. At the moment of conception, the measureless Spirit of Christ became microscopic, Philippians 2:6-7.
      5. This child inherited humanity from Mary and divinity from God the Father, Luke 1:35; Romans 1:3.
   B. Self-sufficient God put on human needs.
      1. Eternal God provides for His own needs.
   C. Ever-living God put on human vulnerability.
      1. In eternity past God enjoyed immortality.
      2. Humanity made God vulnerable – capable of being wounded, open to damage.
      3. The vulnerable Jesus lived under constant threat, Matthew 2:13; John 8:59, 12:36.
VI. “Though He was rich, yet for your sake he became poor, so that you through His poverty might become rich,” 2 Corinthians 8:9.