

Luke 2: Witnesses

Introducing Jesus: A Historian's Perspective

A.The distracted (2.1–20)

B. The devoted (2.21–38)

C. The discerning (2.39-52)

How do the witnesses respond to what they see?

Notes:

For further study

Monday: Read Luke 1.1–7. Why is Bethlehem significant?

<u>Tuesday:</u> Read Luke 1.8–20. Why do you think the angels came to the shepherds?

Wednesday: Read Luke 1.21–35. What had Simeon been waiting for?

<u>Thursday:</u> Read Isaiah 49.1–7. Notice the similarities to Simeon's hymn.

Friday: Read Luke 1.36–38. What is Anna's significance?

<u>Saturday:</u> Read Luke 1.39–52. What does this reveal about Jesus' youth?