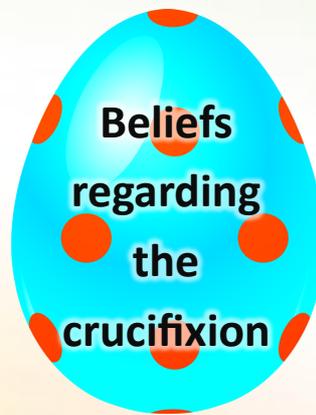
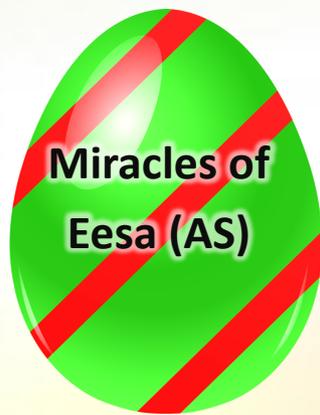


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The miraculous birth of Eesa (AS)

Allah (SWA) created Adam (AS) from earth without the need for parents, Hawwa from his ribs. Allah wanted to once again awaken mankind from their forgetfulness by creating a man, without a father. This man was known as Eesa (AS).

Allah gave the great honour of being the mother of Eesa (AS) to Hadhrat Maryam (AS). One day when she was in the eastern house, Hadhrat Jibrael appeared before her and said "Do not fear, I have not come with an evil intention. I am not a mortal man but an angel sent to give you good news about a blessed and fortunate son from Allah whose name will be Maseeh (Messiah) Eesa, the son of Maryam. Do not worry you will not have to give any explanation, as the child will miraculously speak from the cradle and explain himself. Allah will grant him knowledge of the heavenly books and send him as a messenger to the children of Israel."

Maryam was pure and untouched, so she said "How can I have a son when no man has touched me nor am I unchaste". Jibrael (AS) said, "Allah has said, it is easy for me, whenever I want to do something I simply will, and it becomes."

Hadhrat Jibrael (AS) breathed into the sleeve of Maryam and she conceived. When the time for delivery drew near, Hadhrat Maryam (AS) left her residence and went to Bethlehem and sought refuge under the trunk of a palm tree, because she felt ashamed and feared what people would think of her. Allah (SWA) once again sent Jibrael (AS) to console Maryam and provided her with fresh dates and spring water.

After the birth of Eesa (AS), Maryam went back to her people, carrying the new born child in her arms. On seeing Maryam, they couldn't believe what they were seeing and exclaimed "O Maryam you have done a monstrous thing". Hadhrat Maryam did not reply and instead, pointed towards the child as she was instructed by Jibrael (AS).

Hadhrat Eesa spoke from his cradle, "I am the servant of Allah, he has given me the book and made me a prophet. Salaam be upon the day I was born and the day I die and the day I shall be raised."

The people were astounded by the beautiful speech that flowed from the tongue of this new born child. This, not only cleared the name of his mother but also elevated her status.

Miracles performed by Eesa (AS)

All prophets of Allah were given miracles to help them in their difficult task of convincing people and every prophet was given a miracle according to their era and society.

Prophet Muhammed (SAW) lived in the time of Literacy and Poetry. This is why he was given the miracle of the holy Quran. And Hadhrat Musa lived in the time of magic, tricks and sorcery. That was why he was given the miracle of the staff, which would transform into a snake.

Hadrat Eesa, like the prophets before him was also supported by miracles that would be relevant to his time period. His time period was the era of doctors and lots of new medical discoveries. Therefore, Allah gave Eesa (AS) the power to create miracles that shocked the best doctors of his time.

When Eesa (AS) was young, Allah mentions in the Quran, he took some mud and moulded a figure of a bird. He then blew onto the bird and by the will of Allah, it became alive and flew into the sky.

Later on in his life, Eesa (AS) was also given the ability to cure the blind and the leper. He cured the people that even the best doctors of his time were unable to cure. He also brought many people back to life. They would recognise and speak to those around them and thereafter, would die again.

Allah granted these miracles to Eesa (AS) so that the people would understand that the teachings and preaching's of Eesa (AS) were true and only Allah could grant him the power to carry out such magnificent and abnormal miracles.

Even after bringing the dead back to life, the people asked, "show us another miracle. Tell us what we ate yesterday and what we have stored for tomorrow?" he would by name, inform everybody what he had eaten and what he had stored. They would be amazed, but even then, it seemed to make no difference to them.

Beliefs regarding the crucifixion

The Muslims, and followers of other religions differ in their beliefs regarding the crucifixion and the death of Eesa (AS).

The followers of Musa (AS) believe:

Hadrat Eesa (AS) was crucified, died on the cross and was buried. They also believe he did not come back to life after his death.

The followers of Eesa (AS) believe:

Hadrat Eesa (AS) was crucified by the followers of Musa (AS) and that he died on the cross, but was resurrected and brought back to life after his death. Thereafter, he was raised to the heavens by God.

The Muslim believe:

As the Roman Empire did not agree with the teachings of Eesa (AS), they searched for him to assassinate him. They decided to crucify Eesa (AS) by nailing him to a cross from head to toe. Whilst they were preparing to assassinate him, Allah transformed the appearance of another man, who looked like Eesa (AS), so much so, you could not tell them apart. It was the look alike that was crucified and Eesa (AS) was raised to the heavens by Allah. He now awaits the command of Allah to return to Earth to help us defeat Dajjal (Antichrist).



As Muslims we show utmost respect to the faith and beliefs of others.

Eesa (AS) and the Ya'juj & Ma'juj

A long time ago there were 2 tribes named Ya'juj and Ma'juj that caused destruction whilst they resided on earth. They were imprisoned by Zulqarnain who was the king at the time. Zulqarnain built a wall of iron and banished Ya'juj and Ma'juj behind the wall. By the will of ALLAH they will remain there until Eesa (AS) descends from the heavens.

When Hadhrat Eesa destroys Dajjal (Antichrist), Ya'juj and Ma'juj will break free by the will of Allah. Allah will instruct Hadhrat Eesa (AS) to take the believers to Mount Tur to safeguard them. Nobody will be able to confront, fight or even defend themselves against Ya'juj and Ma'juj .

After the believers safely reach Mount Tur, Allah will release Ya'juj and Ma'juj from behind the wall. They will pass through from every direction, destroying anything that comes in their way.

The first group will pass by Lake Tiberius, drinking all the water from the lake. By the time the last group passes by the same lake, they will say "there used to be water here at one time".

Ya'juj and Ma'juj will move towards Jerusalem saying, "we have crushed the people of the earth, let us now do the same to the people of the heavens". They will shoot arrows into the sky and Allah will fool them by returning their arrows stained with blood.

Meanwhile, Hadhrat Eesa and the believers will be running short on supplies of food and therefore Hadhrat Eesa will make dua to Allah to end this nightmare. Allah will send down a swarm of insects to bite the necks of Ya'juj and Ma'juj .

The following morning, there will be no noise from them and the believers will say, "who will go and find out what has happened to them?" One volunteer will go and find Ya'juj and Ma'juj destroyed, and piled on top of each other.

The earth will be filled with the smell of rotten corpses. Eesa (AS) will once again make dua to Allah, and Allah will respond by sending birds with necks like camels, who will carry the bodies of Ya'juj and Ma'juj away and then send rain to cleanse the earth.

Who was Eesa (as) ?

Eesa (AS) was a great messenger and servant of Allah

Eesa (AS) was given a book called the Injeel (Bible)

Eesa (AS) declared himself to be the worshipper and Allah to be the lord

Eesa (AS) was able to heal the blind and ill people

One day Eesa (AS) will return to and will be a just Muslim ruler

He informed his people about the coming of Prophet Muhammed (saw)

Eesa (AS) had a miraculous birth without any father

Eesa (AS) was not killed or crucified, but instead, raised to the heavens by Allah

Eesa (AS) was sent to guide his people towards the straight path

Eesa (AS) was blessed with a great personality and was of good nature and character

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Prophet

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Cure

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Eesa (AS) was a great _____ of Allah. He gained prophet hood at the age of ____ . Eesa (AS) was granted a book for the guidance of mankind. This book is called the _____ . Prophet Eesa was given many miracles by Allah. He could _____ the sick, bring the dead back to _____ with the will of Allah.

Eesa (AS) was not _____ , but was instead raised to the _____ . He will once again descend as a normal man and lead the _____ .

He will marry, have children and die a normal death, and be buried next to the holy prophet _____ (SAW).

He will be raised on the day of _____ as part of the _____ of Nabi Muhammed (SAW).

Colour in the picture!

