

THE DAWNING LIGHT OF THE KING
(Matthew 4:12-17)

I. Occurred at the Divinely Appointed _____ (Matt. 4:12a)

A. _____ nearly a _____ of Jesus’ ministry

1. An early ministry in _____ (John 1:19-2:12)

2. An extended ministry in _____ during the ministry of _____ (John 2:13-

3:21)

3. A return journey to Galilee through _____ (John 3:22-4:42)

B. Begins with the _____ of the _____

1. John’s ministry had paralleled with that of _____, while Jesus’ would parallel that of _____

2. John called people to recognize the coming _____, while Jesus would call them to recognize the coming _____

II. Revealed in the Divinely Appointed _____ (Matt. 4:12b-16)

A. Jesus “_____” into Galilee

1. He was _____ in Nazareth (cf. Luke 4:14-30)

2. He made Capernaum His _____ (cf. Luke 4:31)

B. This _____ the prophecy of Isaiah (Isa. 9:1-2)

C. Region came to be known as “Galilee of the _____”

1. Zebulun and Naphtali had _____ to expel the Canaanites,
and had _____ with them (cf. Josh.

19:10-39)

2. Assyria had removed many _____ and repopulated the
region with _____ ca. _____ BC

3. Region _____ by Judas Maccabaeus (_____ BC)
and Aristobulus (_____ BC)

D. The people there had long been “in _____” and under the
sway of “_____”

1. _____ and _____ careless at best

2. Far from the supposed “_____” of the _____

E. “A _____” would “_____ upon” these people

1. It would be a demonstration of divine _____

2. It would prefigure _____ coming to the _____

III. Proclaimed the Divinely Appointed _____ (Matt. 4:17)

A. “_____”

1. Requires _____ the direction of your _____

2. Acquired as a _____ from _____ (cf. Acts 5:31; 11:18;
Rom. 2:4; 2 Tim. 2:25)

B. "The _____ is _____"