

- e. The temptation of the Lord 4:1-11
- (1) Note the levels of temptation
 - (2) Note the purposes of temptation
 - (3) Note the response of the Lord
 - (4) And we may take a moment to discuss the question of the Lord and the possibility of yielding to temptation.
- f. The early ministry 4:12-25
- (1) Beginning 4:12-16
 - (2) First disciples 4:17-22
 - (3) The ministry in Galilee 4:23-25

3. Summary

4. Excursus: Prediction and fulfillment:

Matthew is working to show Jesus as the fulfillment of the predicted Messiah of the Old Testament. Among the many means he uses is the matter of fulfilled predictions.

Here are specifically fulfilled predictions in Matthew based on the Greek formula "in order that it might be fulfilled.."

1:22-23.....	Isa 7:14	the birth of Jesus
2:15.....	Hos. 11:1	the Egyptian move
2:17.....	Jer. 31:15	Herod's carnage
2:23.....	concept	to be a Nazarene
4:14.....	Isa 9:1-2	Gentile light
8:17.....	Isa 53:4	healing ministry
12:17.....	Isa 42:1-2	Messianic character
13:35.....	Psa 78:2	communication
21:1.....	Zc. 9:9	Jerusalem entry
26:54-56.....	Isa 53:7-10	suffering
27:9.....	Zc. 11:13	silver purchase..

And this next group is a list based on the Greek phrase "as it is written", etc.