

Discussion Questions

1. Do you think most people have a high regard for Joseph and Mary? Explain. What misconceptions exist regarding Joseph and Mary and their story?
2. What do we know of their character? What do their initial reactions to the news of Jesus' conception tell us about the parents of Jesus?
3. Why do you believe Joseph is not mentioned much in the Gospels? As a note, he isn't referenced any more beyond the account of Jesus at 12 years of age (Luke 2:41ff).