

## Matthew's Begats

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Abraham had Isaac  
Isaac, he had Jacob  
Jacob, he had Judah and his kin  
Then Perez and Zerah  
Came from Judah's woman, Tamar  
Perez, he brought Hezron up  
And then came

Aram, then Amminadab  
Then Nahshon, who was then the dad of Salmon  
Who with Rahab fathered Boaz  
Ruth, she married Boaz who had Obed  
Who had Jesse  
Jesse, he had David who we know as king

David, he had Solomon by dead Uriah's wife  
Solomon, well you all know him  
He had good old Rehoboam  
Followed by Abijah who had Asa  
Asa had Jehoshaphat had Joram had Uzziah  
Who had Jotham then Ahaz then Hezekiah

Followed by Manasseh who had Amon  
Who was a man  
Who was father of a good boy named Josiah  
Who grandfathered Jehoiachin  
Who caused the Babylonian captivity  
Because he was a liar

Then he had Shealtiel, who begat Zerubbabel  
Who had Abiud who had Eliakim  
Eliakim had Azor who had Zadok who had Akim  
Akim was the father of Eliud then  
He had Eleazar who had Matthan who had Jacob  
Now, listen very closely  
I don't want to sing this twice  
Jacob was the father of Joseph  
The husband of Mary  
The mother of Christ