

32 梁鱣

(小孔子三十九岁)

字叔鱼，春秋末年齐国人。梁鱣年过三十岁而无子嗣，母亲欲为他另娶，后听从孔子劝告而作罢。两年以后果然生子。唐玄宗开元二十七年追封为「梁伯」，宋真宗大中祥符二年加封为「千乘侯」。



32. LIANG ZHAN

(39 YEARS YOUNGER THAN CONFUCIUS)

Liang Zhan, styled Shuyu, was a native of the State of Qi. Liang Zhan did not have a son until he was over 30, and his mother tried to take another wife for him. Liang Zhan declined after consulting Confucius. Two years later, he got a son. In the 27th year of the Kaiyuan reign period of Emperor Xuanzong of the Tang Dynasty he received title of Count Liang; and in the second year of the Dazhong Xiangfu reign period of Emperor Zhenzong of the Song Dynasty, Duke Qiansheng.