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SERIES: Prayers From The Christmas Story
TITLE: The 4 Road of Christmas
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- Luke 1:39-56 NKJV ... Now Mary arose in those days and went into the hill country with haste, to a city of Judah, 40 and entered the house of Zacharias and greeted Elizabeth. 41 And it happened, when Elizabeth heard the greeting of Mary, that the babe leaped in her womb; and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit. 42 Then she spoke out with a loud voice and said, "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb! 43 But why is this granted to me, that the mother of my Lord should come to me? 44 For indeed, as soon as the voice of your greeting sounded in my ears, the babe leaped in my womb for joy. 45 Blessed is she who believed, for there will be a fulfillment of those things which were told her from the Lord." 46 And Mary said: "My soul magnifies the Lord, 47 And my spirit has rejoiced in God my Savior. 48 For He has regarded the lowly state of His maidservant; For behold, henceforth all generations will call me blessed. 49 For He who is mighty has done great things for me, And holy is His name. 50 And His mercy is on those who fear Him From generation to generation. 51 He has shown strength with His arm; He has scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts. 52 He has put down the mighty from their thrones, And exalted the lowly. 53 He has filled the hungry with good things, And the rich He has sent away empty. 54 He has helped His servant Israel, In remembrance of His mercy, 55 As He spoke to our fathers, To Abraham and to his seed forever." 56 And Mary remained with her about three months, and returned to her house.
- John 14:6 NKJV ... Jesus said to him, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me.
- Acts 4:12 NKJV ... Nor is there salvation in any other, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which
  we must be saved."
- John 1:12 ... But to those that received Him, to them He gave the power to become sons and daughters of God!

## The Four Roads of Christmas

1. The Road of History		
•	Luke 2:19 NKJV But Mary kept all these things and pondered them in her heart.  Notes:	
<b>/</b> 2. 1	he Road of Mystery	
•	Luke 1:34 NKJV Then Mary said to the angel, "How can this be, since I do not know a man?"  Luke 1:37 NKJV For with God nothing will be impossible."	
•	<b>1 Timothy 3:16</b> KJV And without controversy great is the mystery of godliness: God was manifested in the flesh, Justified in the Spirit, Seen by angels, Preached among the Gentiles, Believed on in the world, Received up in glory.  Notes:	

## 📝3. The Road of Divinity

- Luke 1:38 NKJV ... Then Mary said, "Behold the maidservant of the Lord! Let it be to me according to your word
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- John 4:25-26 NKJV ... The woman said to Him, "I know that Messiah is coming" (who is called Christ). "When He comes, He will tell us all things." 26 Jesus said to her, "I who speak to you am He."
- John 8:58 NKJV ... Jesus said to them, "Most assuredly, I say to you, before Abraham was, I AM."
- John 14:9 NKJV ... He who has seen Me has seen the Father;
- John 10:30 NKJV ... I and My Father are one."
- Luke 2:43 NKJV ... But why is this granted to me, that the mother of my Lord should come to me?
- 2 Corinthians 1:3-4 NKJV ... Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and God of all comfort, 4 who comforts us in all our tribulation, that we may be able to comfort those who are in any trouble, with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God

•	<b>Hebrews 4:15-16</b> NKJV For we do not have a High Priest who cannot sympathize with our weaknesses, but was in all points tempted as we are, yet without sin. 16 Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need. <b>Notes:</b>
<b> ₹4.</b> T	he Road of Humanity
•	Luke 1:46-50 NKJV And Mary said: "My soul magnifies the Lord, 47 And my spirit has rejoiced in God my Savior. 48 For He has regarded the lowly state of His maidservant; For behold, henceforth all generations will call me blessed. 49 For He who is mighty has done great things for me, And holy is His name. 50 And His mercy is on those who fear Him From generation to generation.  Luke 1:46-49 NKJV And Mary said: "My soul magnifies the Lord, 47 And my spirit has rejoiced in God my Savior. 48 For He has regarded the lowly state of His maidservant; For behold, henceforth all generations will call me blessed. 49 For He who is mighty has done great things for me  Notes: