God's Gift List

Pastor Anthony j shetley Sunday, December, 19, 2021

The Gospel surrounds a tree not decorated with lights and ornaments but stained with blood. This tree was placed on a hill called Mt Calvary, and upon that tree was the greatest gift ever given. It was the gift of the life of the Son of God.

The Gospel Story of the life of Jesus Christ is the greatest story ever told to man. His story becomes the story of all who receive His salvation. Each name becomes part of His eternal story.

Christmas is the celebration of the birth and appearing of our Lord and savior, Jesus Christ. Through Him, we have received the most valuable gifts one could ever receive. Without the Gift of Jesus Christ, all other gifts are meaningless.

The greatest gifts are those we have received from God.

Ephesians 1:3 Blessed *be* the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly *places* in Christ.

God's Gift List Includes:

Salvation from Sin

Matthew 1:21 "She will bear a Son; and you shall call His name Jesus, for He will save His people from their sins"

Abundant Life

John 10:10 "The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; I came that they may have life and have *it* abundantly.

Redemption

Mark 10:45 "For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many."

Restoration: Destroying the Fruits of Sin

Luke 4:18–19 "The Spirit of the Lord is upon Me, Because He anointed Me to preach the gospel to the poor. He has sent Me to proclaim release to the captives, and recovery of sight to the blind, to set free those who are oppressed, to proclaim the favorable year of the Lord."

1 John 3:8 The Son of God appeared for this purpose, to destroy the works of the devil.

Eternal Life

Romans 6:23 For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

The Greatest and Most Valuable Gift Is from God.

John 3:16 "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish, but have eternal life.