

**Who Needs Christmas?**  
Save The World

**Luke 1:26-33** “In the sixth month the angel Gabriel was sent from God to a city of Galilee named Nazareth, 27 to a virgin betrothed to a man whose name was Joseph, of the house of David. And the virgin’s name was Mary. 28 And he came to her and said, “Greetings, O favored one, the Lord is with you!” 29 But she was greatly troubled at the saying, and tried to discern what sort of greeting this might be. 30 And the angel said to her, “Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God. 31 And behold, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus. 32 He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. And the Lord God will give to him the throne of his father David, 33 and he will reign over the house of Jacob forever, and of his kingdom there will be no end.”

**At Just The Right \_\_\_\_\_** “In the sixth month the angel Gabriel was sent from God to a city of Galilee named Nazareth...” (v.26)

**Luke 1:19** “And the angel answered him, “I am Gabriel. I stand in the presence of God, and I was sent to speak to you and to bring you this good news.”

**Luke 2:25** “Now there was a man in Jerusalem, whose name was Simeon, and this man was righteous and devout, waiting for the consolation of Israel, and the Holy Spirit was upon him.”

**Galatians 4:4-5** “But when the fullness of time had come, God sent forth his Son, born of woman, born under the law, 5 to redeem those who were under the law, so that we might receive adoption as sons.”

**In Just The Right \_\_\_\_\_** “...to a virgin betrothed to a man whose name was Joseph, of the house of David. And the virgin’s name was Mary.” (v.27)

- **To a young couple:** Mary and Joseph
- We always start the Christmas story there

**“The Christmas story doesn’t really begin with a couple who wasn’t sure how they got pregnant, but with a couple who could not get pregnant.” Andy Stanley**

**Genesis 12:1-3** Now the Lord said to Abram, “Go from your country and your kindred and your father’s house to the land that I will show you. 2 And I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing. 3 I will bless those who bless you, and him who dishonors you I will curse, and in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed.”

**Luke 2:29-32** “Lord, now you are letting your servant depart in peace, according to your word; 30 for my eyes have seen your salvation 31 that you have prepared in the presence of all peoples, 32 a light for revelation to the Gentiles, and for glory to your people Israel.”

**For Just The Right \_\_\_\_\_** “He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. And the Lord God will give to him the throne of his father David...” (v.32)

**John 3:16-17** “For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. 17 For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.”

• **To establish a Kingdom**

**Revelation 11:15** “Then the seventh angel blew his trumpet, and there were loud voices in heaven, saying, “The kingdom of the world has become the kingdom of our Lord and of his Christ, and he shall reign forever and ever.”