

**Snow White Christmas**

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"Come now, let us reason together, says the Lord: though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow."

**Isaiah 1:18a ESV**

When the right time came, the time God decided on, he sent his Son, born of a woman ... so that he could adopt us as his very own.

**Galatians 4:4-5a TLB**

## Christmas is a time to . . .

### 1. Release my fears.

An angel of the Lord appeared to them (shepherds) ... and they were terrified. But the angel said to them "Do not be afraid."

**Luke 2:9-10a NIV**

(Jesus) "Don't worry at all about having enough food and clothing...Your heavenly Father already knows perfectly well that you need them, and he will give them to you if you give him first place in your life and live as he wants you to.

**Matthew 6:32b-33 TLB**

### 2. Renew my faith.

(Angel) "I bring you the most joyful news ever announced, and it is for everyone!"

**Luke 2:10b TLB**

"It is time for you to turn to me, your LORD, and I will come and pour out blessings upon you."

**Hosea 10:12b GNT**

### 3. Receive forgiveness.

(Angel) "Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is Christ the Lord."

**Luke 2:11 NIV**

"God did not send his Son into the world to condemn it, but to save it!"

**John 3:17 TLB**

### 4. Restore my relationships.

(Angel) Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

**Luke 2:14 KJV**

If we are living in the light of God's presence, just as Christ does, then we have wonderful fellowship and joy with each other.

**1 John 1:7a TLB**

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#### Weekend Music:

A Christmas Alleluia (Chris Tomlin) • Waymaker (Leeland)  
Thank You Song (UPPERROOM) • Great are You Lord (David Leonard)