

There is Hope in His Presence

Luke 2:8-20

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- I hope to come to see you soon 1 Timothy 3:14
- Christ in you the <u>hope</u> of Glory Colossians 1:27

"There is no hope for a man apart from God; but when he feels the presence of God, there is hope for him." Charles Spurgeon Hebrews 11:1 (ESV)

¹Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen.

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"Hope is the sure and confident expectation of receiving what God has promised us in the future."

Michael Houdmann

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Isaiah 7:14 (ESV)

¹⁴Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign. Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel.

Vs 8 - And in the same region there were shepherds out in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night.

Luke 2:9-14 (ESV)

⁹And an angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were filled with great fear.

¹⁰And the angel said to them, "Fear not, for behold, I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people.

¹¹For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord.

¹²And this will be a sign for you: you will find a baby wrapped in swaddling cloths and lying in a manger."

¹³And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying,

¹⁴"Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among those with whom he is pleased!"

"Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world" John 1:29

Luke 2:15–16 (ESV)

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Luke 2:17–18 (ESV)

¹⁷And when they saw it, they made known the saying that had been told them concerning this child.

¹⁸And all who heard it wondered at what the shepherds told them.

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Luke 2:19-20 (ESV)

¹⁹But Mary treasured up all these things, pondering them in her heart.

²⁰And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all they had heard and seen, as it had been told them.

