- I. The Remembrance of Christ at Christmas (6)
  - A. The human view of Christmas "For unto us a child is born..." A baby to be loved? Sentiment of Christmas
  - B. The Heavenly view of Christmas "...unto us a Son is given..." A Savior to and rule. Spirit of Christmas
- II. The Revealing of Christ at Christmas (6)
  - A. His Impeccability "...Wonderful {Wondrous} Counselor..." {OMNISCIENCE}

As our Counselor He always gives us truth; As being Wonderful, He always gives that truth in the perfect manner of love.

- B. His Authority "...Mighty God..." {OMNIPOTENCE}
- C. His Deity "...Everlasting Father..." All that the Father is and has and does, the same is with the Son.

<u>John 14:9</u> - "Have I been with you so long, and you still do not know me, Philip? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'?"

John 10:30 - "I and the Father are one."

<u>John 5:23</u> - "That all may honor the Son, just as they honor the Father. Whoever does not honor the Son does not honor the Father who sent Him."

1 Tim 3:16 - "And without controversy great is the mystery of godliness: God was manifest in the flesh."

Titus 2:13 - "Looking for that blessed hope, and the glorious appearing of the great God and our Saviour Jesus Christ;"

<u>John 1:1-2</u> - "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God."

- D. His Majesty "...Prince of Peace..." Wherever Christ is enthroned, the result will be peace.
- III. The Royalty of Christ at Christmas (6b, 7)
  - A. He possesses eternal power "The government shall be upon His shoulder...Of the increase of His government...there will be no end..." Micah 4:1-7
  - B. He offers eternal peace "Of the increase of His...peace there will be no end..."
  - C. He rules with eternal perfection "...on the throne of David and over His Kingdom, to establish it and to uphold it with justice and with righteousness from this time forth and forevermore. The zeal of the Lord of hosts will do this."