

**Christmas Brings Peace**

The Heart Of Christmas - (# 2)

**December 3, 2023**

**OPENING SCRIPTURE:** Psalm 19:1-14

**KEY VERSE:** Psalm 19:14

**TEXT:** Colossians 1:12-23

**KEY VERSE:** Luke 2:14

**Luke 2:14** Glory to God in the highest, And on earth peace, Good will toward men.

**Go tell people you have found the Saviour and glorify God.**

1) \_\_\_\_\_ **To The Father.**

2) **Redemption Through** \_\_\_\_\_.

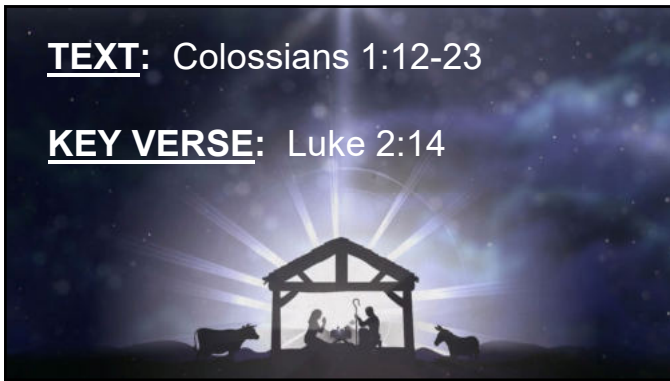
3) **The Word Created All**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Things.**

4) \_\_\_\_\_ **To Christ.**

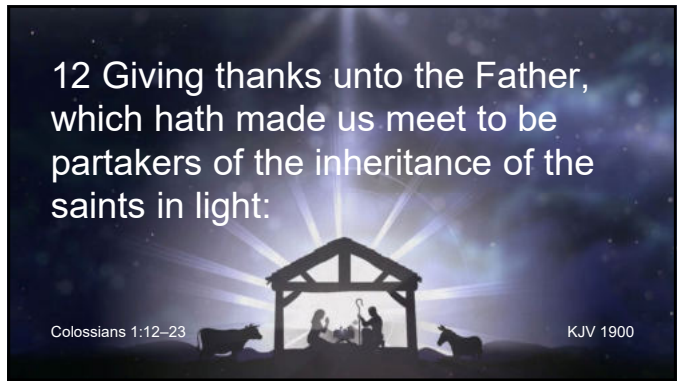
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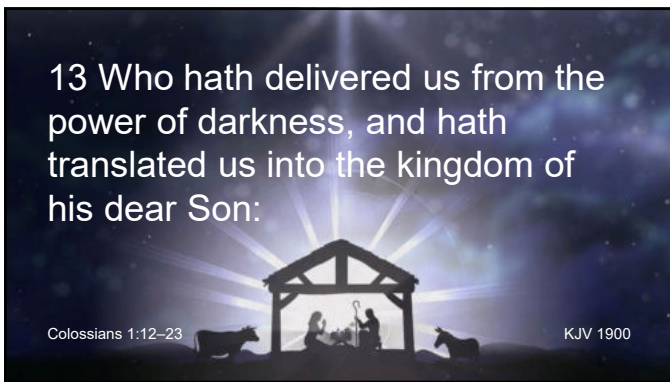
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12 Giving thanks unto the Father,  
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partakers of the inheritance of the  
saints in light:



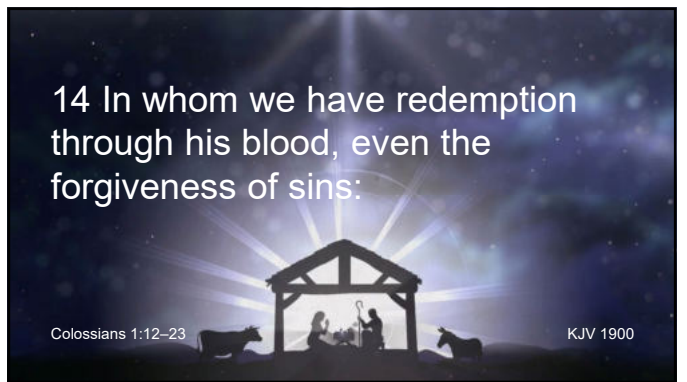
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13 Who hath delivered us from the  
power of darkness, and hath  
translated us into the kingdom of  
his dear Son:



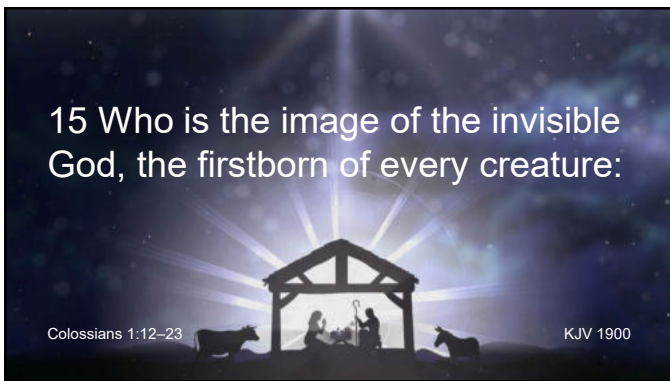
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14 In whom we have redemption  
through his blood, even the  
forgiveness of sins:



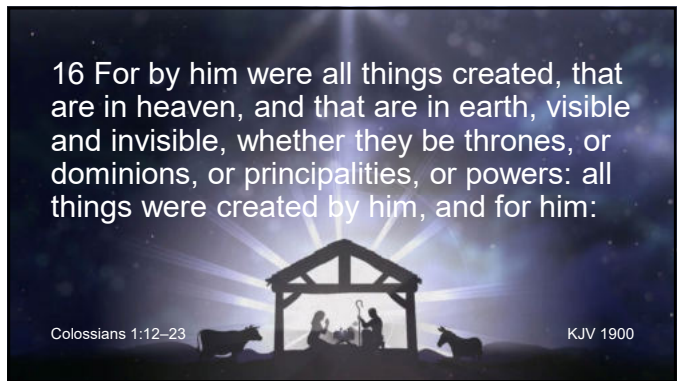
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15 Who is the image of the invisible  
God, the firstborn of every creature:



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16 For by him were all things created, that  
are in heaven, and that are in earth, visible  
and invisible, whether they be thrones, or  
dominions, or principalities, or powers: all  
things were created by him, and for him:



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17 And he is before all things, and by him all things consist.

Colossians 1:12-23

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18 And he is the head of the body, the church: who is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead; that in all things he might have the preeminence.

Colossians 1:12-23

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19 For it pleased the Father that in him should all fulness dwell;

Colossians 1:12-23

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20 And, having made peace through the blood of his cross, by him to reconcile all things unto himself; by him, I say, whether they be things in earth, or things in heaven.

Colossians 1:12-23

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21 And you, that were sometime alienated and enemies in your mind by wicked works, yet now hath he reconciled

Colossians 1:12-23

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22 In the body of his flesh through death, to present you holy and unblameable and unproveable in his sight:

Colossians 1:12-23

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23 If ye continue in the faith grounded and settled, and be not moved away from the hope of the gospel, which ye have heard, and which was preached to every creature which is under heaven; whereof I Paul am made a minister;



Colossians 1:12-23 KJV 1900


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**KEY VERSE:** Luke 2:14



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Glory to God in the highest, And on earth peace, Good will toward men.



Luke 2:14 KJV 1900


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The announcement of Jesus's birth was delivered to shepherds who were at work in the fields, watching their sheep at night.



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The shepherds went and found Jesus  
and when they saw Him,  
they went and told people  
and glorified God.

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you have found the Saviour  
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But thou art holy, O thou that  
inhabitest the praises of Israel.

Psalms 22:3

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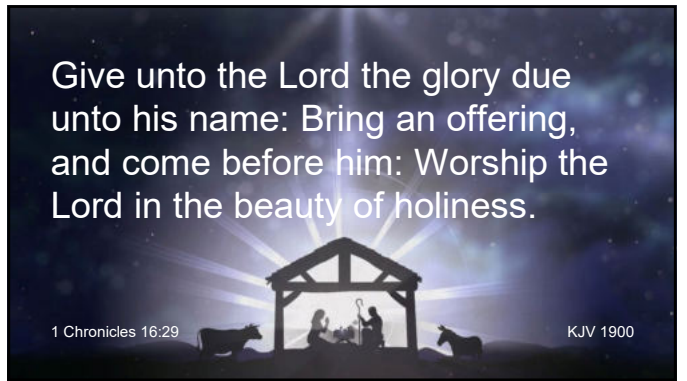
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When we worship the Father,  
our attention is directed  
back to Him.



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Give unto the Lord the glory due  
unto his name: Bring an offering,  
and come before him: Worship the  
Lord in the beauty of holiness.

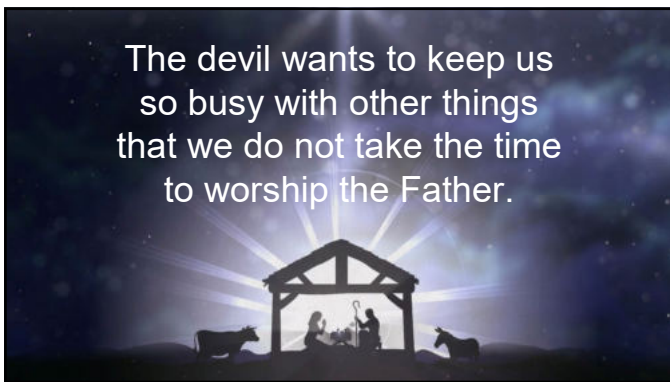


1 Chronicles 16:29

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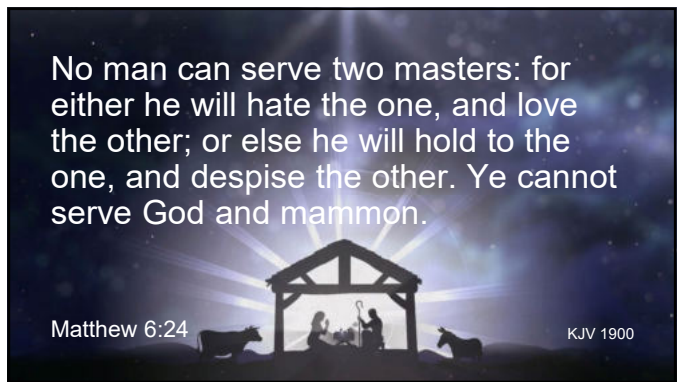
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The devil wants to keep us  
so busy with other things  
that we do not take the time  
to worship the Father.



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No man can serve two masters: for  
either he will hate the one, and love  
the other; or else he will hold to the  
one, and despise the other. Ye cannot  
serve God and mammon.



Matthew 6:24

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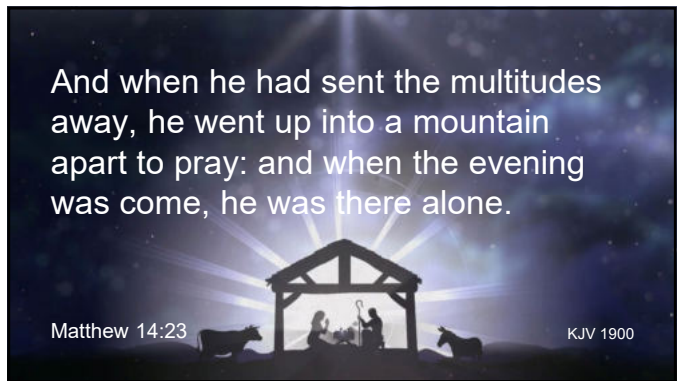
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Guard your time with the Father,  
protect it and preserve it.



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And when he had sent the multitudes  
away, he went up into a mountain  
apart to pray: and when the evening  
was come, he was there alone.



Matthew 14:23

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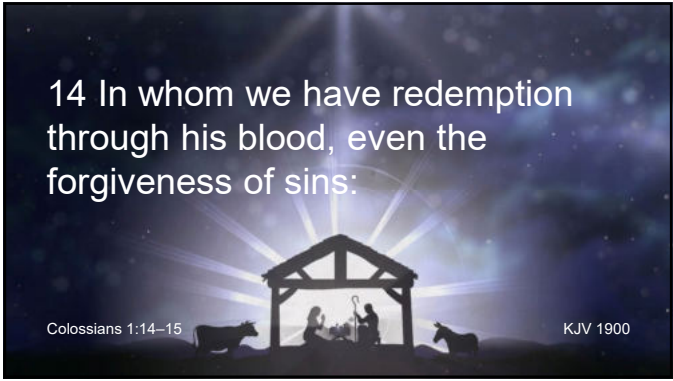
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1) Give Thanks To The Father.  
2) Redemption Through His Blood.

A silhouette of a nativity scene with Mary, Joseph, and baby Jesus in a manger, flanked by a cow and a donkey. The scene is set against a dark blue background with a bright light source behind the manger, creating a halo effect and illuminating the figures.

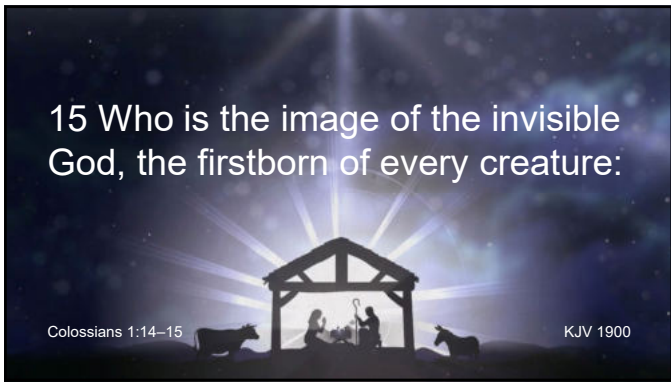
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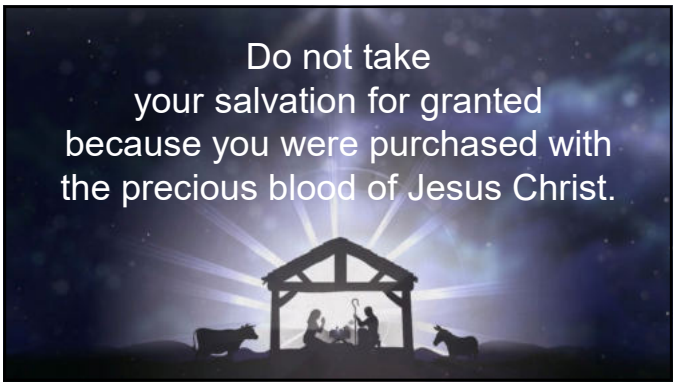
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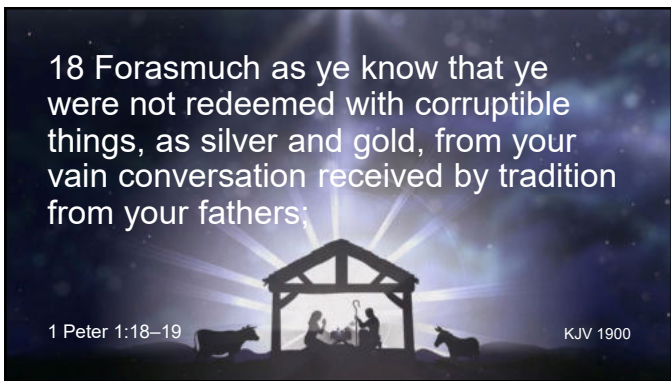
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Do not take your salvation for granted because you were purchased with the precious blood of Jesus Christ.

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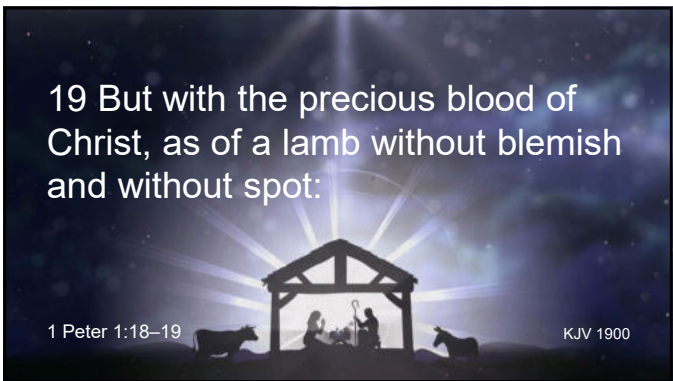
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18 Forasmuch as ye know that ye were not redeemed with corruptible things, as silver and gold, from your vain conversation received by tradition from your fathers:

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19 But with the precious blood of Christ, as of a lamb without blemish and without spot:

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19 What? know ye not that your body is the temple of the Holy Ghost which is in you, which ye have of God, and ye are not your own?

1 Corinthians 6:19-20

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20 For ye are bought with a price: therefore glorify God in your body, and in your spirit, which are God's.

1 Corinthians 6:19-20

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Christ hath redeemed us from the curse of the law, being made a curse for us: for it is written, Cursed is every one that hangeth on a tree:

Galatians 3:13

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Knowing we are redeemed realigns us to worship the Father.

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Let the words of my mouth, And the meditation of my heart, be acceptable in thy sight, O Lord, my strength, and my redeemer.

Psalms 19:14

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Who redeemeth thy life from destruction; Who crowneth thee with lovingkindness and tender mercies;


Psalms 103:4

KJV 1900

42



Let the redeemed of the Lord say so,  
Whom he hath redeemed from the hand of the enemy;




Psalm 107:2 KJV 1900

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1) Give Thanks To The Father.

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3) The Word Created All Heavenly And Earthly Things.



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Colossians 1:16-17 KJV 1900

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17 And he is before all things, and by him all things consist.



Colossians 1:16-17 KJV 1900

47

The Father spoke,  
and the Word did the work.



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So shall my word be that goeth forth  
out of my mouth: It shall not return  
unto me void, But it shall accomplish  
that which I please, And it shall  
prosper in the thing whereto I sent it.

Isaiah 55:11

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This is the example  
Jesus wants us to follow.

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I delight to do thy will, O my God:  
Yea, thy law is within my heart.

Psalms 40:8

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Jesus saith unto them, My meat is  
to do the will of him that sent me,  
and to finish his work.

John 4:34

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For I came down from heaven, not  
to do mine own will, but the will of  
him that sent me.

John 6:38

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The more we do  
what the Father wants,  
the more we glorify the Father.

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49 For I have not spoken of myself; but the Father which sent me, he gave me a commandment, what I should say, and what I should speak.

John 12:49-50

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50 And I know that his commandment is life everlasting: whatsoever I speak therefore, even as the Father said unto me, so I speak.

John 12:49-50

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20 And, having made peace through the blood of his cross, by him to reconcile all things unto himself; by him, I say, whether they be things in earth, or things in heaven.

Colossians 1:20-21

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21 And you, that were sometime alienated and enemies in your mind by wicked works, yet now hath he reconciled

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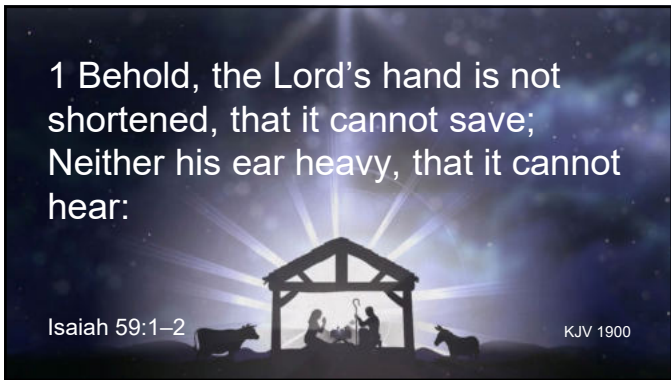
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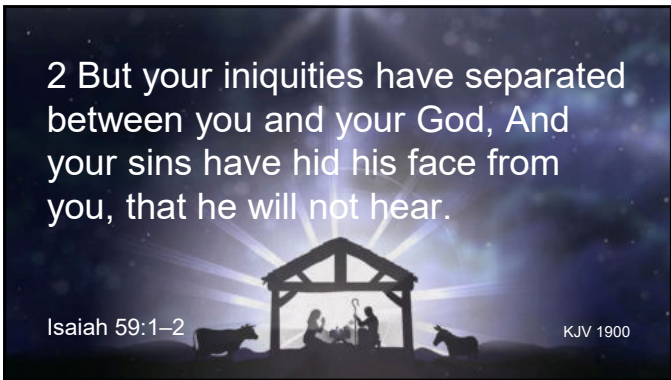
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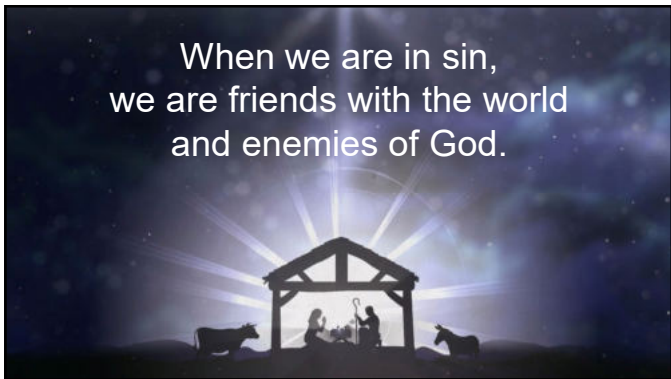
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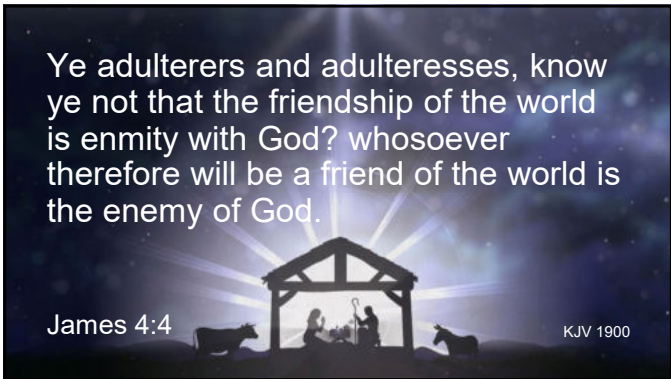
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In the wretched state of sin,  
redemption is available.

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When we repent of our sin,  
turn away from the world  
and walk with God,  
we are saved, we are reconciled.

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For if, when we were enemies, we  
were reconciled to God by the death of  
his Son, much more, being reconciled,  
we shall be saved by his life.

Romans 5:10

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Do not think that  
you can get good enough  
to earn God's favor  
or forgiveness.

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But we are all as an unclean thing, And  
all our righteousnesses are as filthy  
rags; And we all do fade as a leaf; And  
our iniquities, like the wind, have taken  
us away.

Isaiah 64:6

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The world is looking for peace,  
yet there is none without  
surrendering to the Father.

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For when they shall say, Peace and safety; then sudden destruction cometh upon them, as travail upon a woman with child; and they shall not escape.

1 Thessalonians 5:3

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73

There is peace in God when we are forgiven.

74

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

John 3:16

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75

9 That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved.

Romans 10:9-10

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10 For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.

Romans 10:9-10

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8 For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God:

Ephesians 2:8-9

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9 Not of works, lest any man should boast.



Ephesians 2:8-9 KJV 1900

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For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.



Romans 10:13 KJV 1900

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1 O God, thou art my God; early will I seek thee: My soul thirsteth for thee, My flesh longeth for thee In a dry and thirsty land, where no water is;



Psalm 63:1-11 KJV 1900

81


2 To see thy power and thy glory, So as I have seen thee in the sanctuary.



Psalm 63:1-11 KJV 1900

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3 Because thy lovingkindness is better than life, My lips shall praise thee.



Psalm 63:1-11 KJV 1900

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4 Thus will I bless thee while I live: I will lift up my hands in thy name.



Psalm 63:1-11 KJV 1900

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5 My soul shall be satisfied as with marrow and fatness; And my mouth shall praise thee with joyful lips:

Psalm 63:1-11

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6 When I remember thee upon my bed, And meditate on thee in the night watches.

Psalm 63:1-11

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7 Because thou hast been my help, Therefore in the shadow of thy wings will I rejoice.

Psalm 63:1-11

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8 My soul followeth hard after thee: Thy right hand upholdeth me.

Psalm 63:1-11

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9 But those that seek my soul, to destroy it, Shall go into the lower parts of the earth.

Psalm 63:1-11

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10 They shall fall by the sword: They shall be a portion for foxes.

Psalm 63:1-11

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11 But the king shall rejoice in God;  
Every one that sweareth by him  
shall glory: But the mouth of them  
that speak lies shall be stopped.

Psalm 63:1-11

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