

Christmas Brings Jesus

The Heart Of Christmas - (# 5)

December 24, 2023

OPENING SCRIPTURE: Luke 2:1-20

KEY VERSE: Luke 2:11

TEXT: Matthew 1:18-25

KEY VERSE: John 3:16

John 3:16 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.

Receive the Saviour into your life and walk in His favor.

1) God Reveals His _____.

2) Jesus Shows Us _____.

3) _____ Jesus.


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18 Now the birth of Jesus Christ was on this wise: When as his mother Mary was espoused to Joseph, before they came together, she was found with child of the Holy Ghost.

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19 Then Joseph her husband, being a just man, and not willing to make her a publick example, was minded to put her away privily.

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20 But while he thought on these things, behold, the angel of the Lord appeared unto him in a dream, saying, Joseph, thou son of David, fear not to take unto thee Mary thy wife: for that which is conceived in her is of the Holy Ghost.

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21 And she shall bring forth a son, and thou shalt call his name JESUS: for he shall save his people from their sins.

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22 Now all this was done, that it might be fulfilled which was spoken of the Lord by the prophet, saying,

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23 Behold, a virgin shall be with child,
and shall bring forth a son, and they
shall call his name Emmanuel, which
being interpreted is, God with us.

Matthew 1:18-25

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24 Then Joseph being raised from
sleep did as the angel of the Lord
had bidden him, and took unto him
his wife:

Matthew 1:18-25

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25 And knew her not till she had
brought forth her firstborn son: and
he called his name JESUS.

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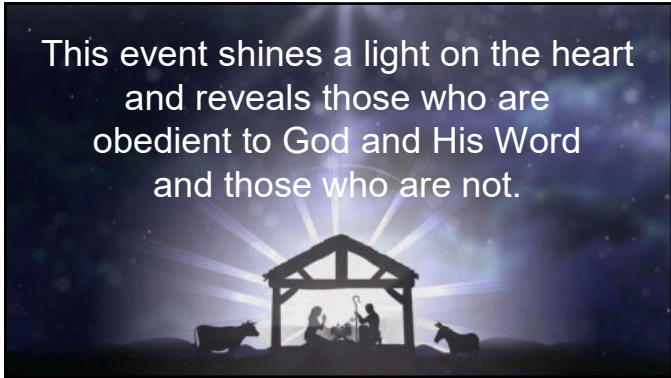
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The fulfilling of the prophecy
concerning the birth of Jesus
is so profound,
it split time in half.

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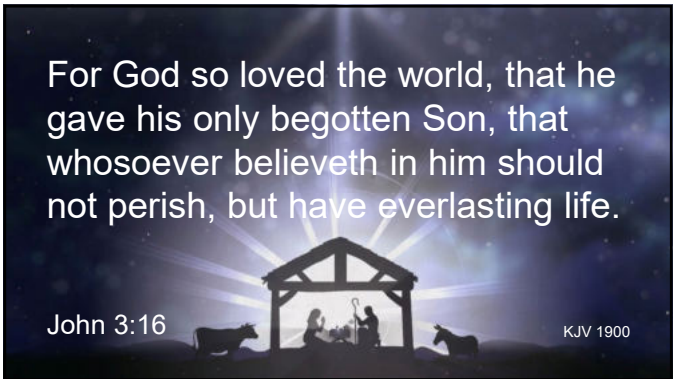
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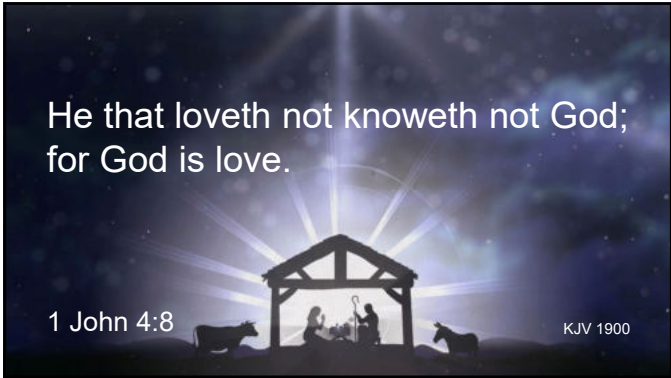
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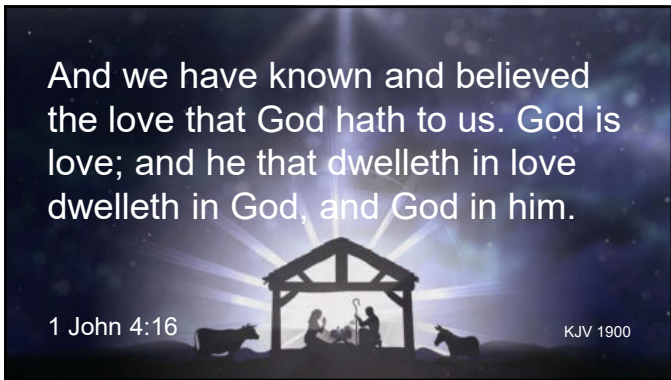
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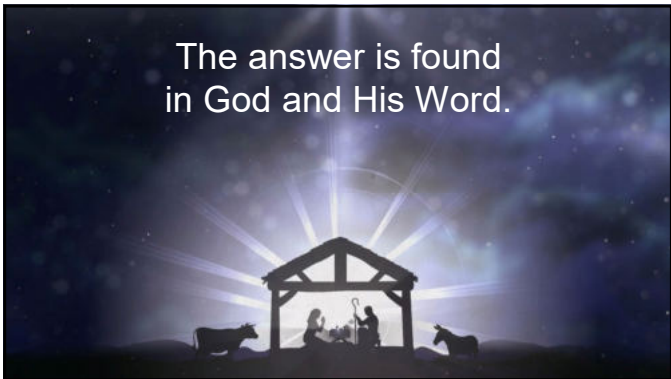
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Seek ye the Lord while he may be found, Call ye upon him while he is near:

Isaiah 55:6

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This is a great time to share the love of God with people.

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Only after you receive the true gift of Christmas will you begin to experience the power and presence of God's love.

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- 1) God Reveals His Love.
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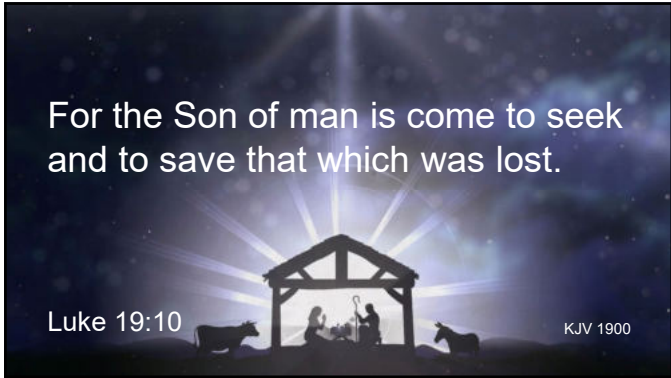
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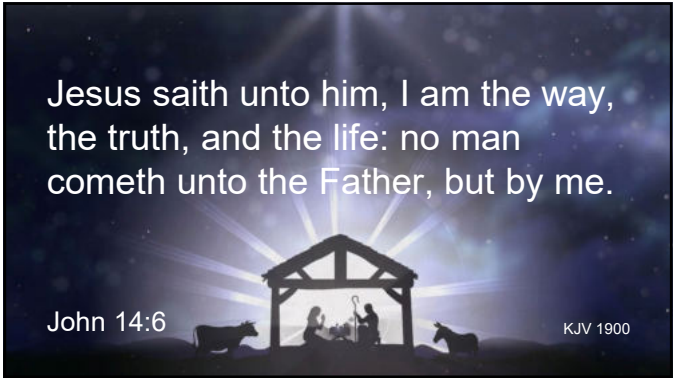
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The message of God, spoken by the angel, is the message we need to hear and receive today.

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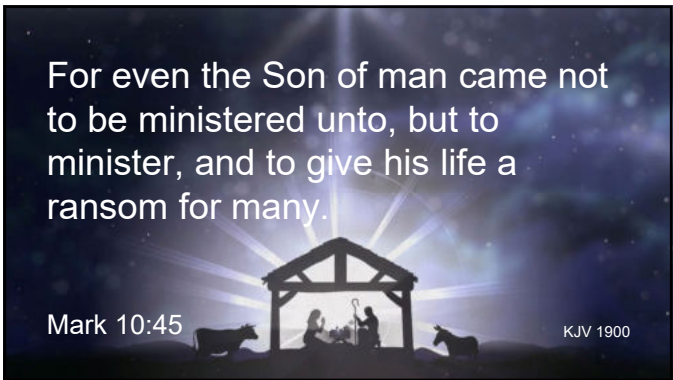
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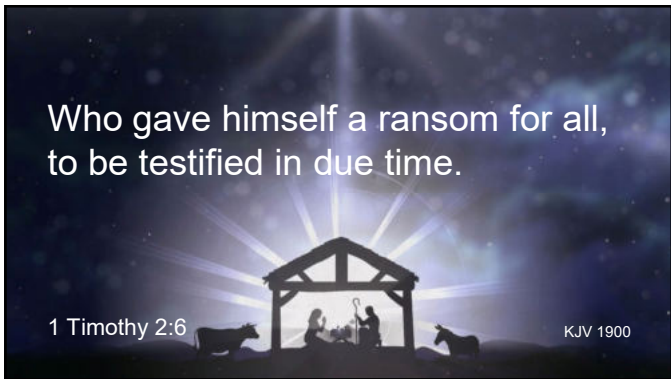
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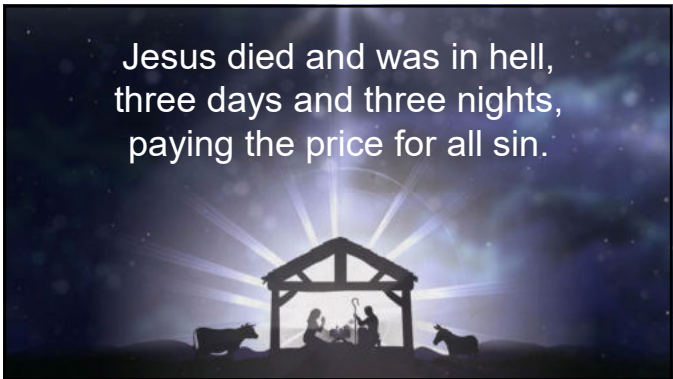
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For as Jonas was three days and three nights in the whale's belly; so shall the Son of man be three days and three nights in the heart of the earth.

Matthew 12:40

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14 Blotting out the handwriting of ordinances that was against us, which was contrary to us, and took it out of the way, nailing it to his cross;

Colossians 2:14-15

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15 And having spoiled principalities and powers, he made a shew of them openly, triumphing over them in it.

Colossians 2:14-15

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Jesus arose from the dead and ascended into heaven.

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25 And knew her not till she had brought forth her firstborn son: and he called his name JESUS.

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Jesus offers,
hope, joy, peace, and love
to all who receive
His saving grace.

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Salvation to all who call upon Him.

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And being made perfect, he
became the author of eternal
salvation unto all them that obey
him;

Hebrews 5:9

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Hope to all who receive Him.

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4 But after that the kindness and
love of God our Saviour toward
man appeared,

Titus 3:4-7

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5 Not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to his mercy he saved us, by the washing of regeneration, and renewing of the Holy Ghost;

Titus 3:4-7

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6 Which he shed on us abundantly through Jesus Christ our Saviour;

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7 That being justified by his grace, we should be made heirs according to the hope of eternal life.

Titus 3:4-7

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And hope maketh not ashamed; because the love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost which is given unto us.

Romans 5:5

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Life eternal to all who obey and trust Him.

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But whosoever drinketh of the water that I shall give him shall never thirst; but the water that I shall give him shall be in him a well of water springing up into everlasting life.

John 4:14

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Verily, verily, I say unto you, The hour is coming, and now is, when the dead shall hear the voice of the Son of God: and they that hear shall live.



John 5:25 KJV 1900

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He that believeth on the Son hath everlasting life: and he that believeth not the Son shall not see life; but the wrath of God abideth on him.



John 3:36 KJV 1900

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And this is the will of him that sent me, that every one which seeth the Son, and believeth on him, may have everlasting life: and I will raise him up at the last day.



John 6:40 KJV 1900

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Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me hath everlasting life.



John 6:47 KJV 1900

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If Our Greatest Need
(Author Unknown)



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“The Rescue Plan”
by R. R. Reno



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Will you join Jesus in His work
in the world
of rescuing all of creation?

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Will you trust Him with your life and
unapologetically believe in Him?

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Jesus was born,
lived, died, arose, ascended and
is returning to earth again.

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Since Jesus did all of this for us,
shouldn't we obey His Word
and live for Him.

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Behold, I stand at the door, and knock:
if any man hear my voice, and open
the door, I will come in to him, and will
sup with him, and he with me.

Revelation 3:20

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