

A CHRISTMAS GIFT

The Savior

LUKE 1:1-20

⁸And there were shepherds living out in the fields nearby, keeping watch over their flocks at night. ⁹An angel of the Lord appeared to them and the glory of the Lord shone round about them and they were terrified. ¹⁰But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid. I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all people. ¹¹Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is Christ the Lord. ¹²This will be the sign to you: You will find the baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger." LUKE 2:8-12 NIV

I. Christmas

1. It is a time for _____.

If God is for us, who can be against us? Romans 8:31 NIV

2. It is a time for _____.

If you do this, you will experience God's peace, which is far more wonderful than the human mind can understand. His peace will guard your hearts and minds as you live in Christ Jesus.

Philippians 4:7 NLT

3. It is a time for _____.

[God] saved us and called us to be his own people not because of what we have done, but because of his own purpose and grace.

2 Timothy 1:9 TEV

II. The First Christmas Luke 2:1-20

1. The Setting (1-5)

2. Christ's Birth (6-7)

3. Shepherds and Angels (8-14)

4. Shepherds find the Savior (15-20)

III. The Gift of the Savior

1. A Savior means I have _____.

...your sins are forgiven you... Mark 2:5b

2. A Savior means I don't have to face life _____.

I will never leave you nor forsake you. Hebrews 13:5b

3. A Savior means my life has his _____.

I am come that they might have life and that they might have it more abundantly. John 10:10b KJV

The Savior is a gift worth receiving!