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HOPE REVEALED

An Old Testament Christmas

Lesson Three • Isaiah 9:6-7

What Child Is This?

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This Child is the hope of Jesus Christ revealed by God as the coming KING.

For unto us a Child is born, unto us a Son is given; and the government will be upon His shoulder. And His name will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Of the increase of His government and peace there will be no end, upon the throne of David and over His kingdom, to order it and establish it with judgment and justice from that time forward, even forever. The zeal of the Lord of hosts will perform this.
Isaiah 9:6-7

What Child Is This?

1. The King Is MIRACULOUS in How He Came!

How He Came

- Jesus Christ came in earthly HUMANITY.
- Jesus Christ came in heavenly DEITY.

2. The King Is MAJESTIC in Who He Is!

Who He Is

- As the Wonderful Counselor, Jesus Christ is the SOURCE of wisdom—trust Him.
- As the Mighty God, Jesus Christ EMPOWERS us to do His will—follow Him.

- As the Everlasting Father, Jesus Christ LOVES us endlessly—run to Him.
- As the Prince Of Peace, Jesus Christ RECONCILES us while we are still sinners—receive Him.

3. The King Is MIGHTY in What He Will Do!

What He Will Do

- Jesus Christ will rule COMPLETELY.
- Jesus Christ will rule ETERNALLY.
- Jesus Christ will rule POWERFULLY.

What Child Is This? He Is God's Gift to US!

Jesus Christ is a gift from God to us, and this gift requires a response: you must receive Him by faith.

For unto us a Child is born, unto us a Son is given... Isaiah 9:6

But as many as received Him [Jesus], to them He gave the right to become children of God, even to those who believe in His name. John 1:12

For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast. Ephesians 2:8-9

Here's a simple prayer to follow if you desire to receive the gift of God's Son...

Dear Heavenly Father, I know that I am a sinner and need Your forgiveness for my sins. I believe that Jesus is the Son of God who died for my sins and rose again. I want to turn from my sins and receive Your gift of salvation in Jesus. I want to trust Jesus as my Savior, follow Him as my Lord, and worship Him as my King. Amen.