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Jesus – The Reason for the Season

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“And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us” (John 1:14).

“There is something about that name... Master, Savior, Jesus, like the fragrance after the rain; Jesus... Let all heaven and earth proclaim: kings and kingdoms will all pass away, but there’s something about that name” (Gaither Music Company).

Jesus is the reason for Christmas. May the business of trees, tinsel, gifting, baking, shopping and frustration not crowd out the reason that God sent Jesus in the form of a baby born in a manger.

God sent us a Savior! “If our greatest need had been information, God would have sent us an educator. If our greatest need had been technology, God would have sent us a scientist. If our greatest need had been money, God would have sent us an economist. If our greatest need had been pleasure, God would have sent us an entertainer. But our greatest need was forgiveness, so God sent us a Savior” (Roy Lessin). “But, when the fullness of the time had come, God sent forth His Son, born of a woman, born under the law, to redeem those who were under the law, that we might receive the adoption as sons” (Gal. 4:4, 5). Hallelujah, what a Savior!

“All praise to Him who reigns above, In majesty supreme, / Who gave His Son for man to die,
That He might man redeem! / His name above all names shall stand, Exalted more and more. / At
God the Father’s own right hand, Where angel hosts adore. His name shall be the Counsellor, /
The mighty Prince of Peace, / Of all earth’s kingdoms Conqueror, Whose reign shall never
cease” (“Blessed Be the Name,” William H. Clark; Ralph E. Hudson, Refrain)

“Immortal, invisible, God only wise, / In light inaccessible hid from our eyes, / Most blessed,

most glorious, the Ancient of Days, / Almighty, victorious — Thy great name we praise” (Walter Chalmers Smith; based on 1 Tm. 1:17) “In Him was life, and the life was the light of men” (John 1:4).

In all our bluster let us take time to enjoy the peace that comes by fixing our hearts on Jesus. Find a quiet spot to still your heart before Him so that you are prepared to share the greatest gift of all to those you contact. I am handing out tracts to everyone I can. People need to know that Jesus is the reason for the season. And with a peaceful demeanor I must do all I can to share Jesus – who was born, died, rose again and now lives on high to save souls. Hallelujah, what a Savior! Oh come let us adore Him, Christ the Lord.

Have a blessed, Jesus-filled Christmas!

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