

Text: Luke 2:1-20

Topics: Birth of Christ, Compassion of God, Miracles

Series: That You Know Jesus

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A Savior is Born!

I. The Placing (1-7)

God determined that the Savior would be born in hardship, and humble and obscure circumstances.

II. The Proclaiming (8-14)

God supernaturally sent a message to lowly men to announce the birth of the world's Savior.

III. The Proving (15-20)

The men who received the message from God personally verified, then testified to the birth of the Savior.

Application Questions - *These questions are provided for your further study and application of the subject of today's message. Thoughtfully writing out answers to these questions will help drive home the point. They are designed to be discussed in your home, with other believers, and in a Life Group for even more benefit.*

1. Read Luke 2:1-7. How many contrasts do you see between the different people and their circumstances in these verses?

If God is sovereign, why would He have the birth of Jesus be like this?

What does this tell you about God and how is that encouraging to you?

2. In Luke 2:8-14 we have a record of angels appearing to shepherds. What's significant about this?

What does the angel tell the shepherds?

What's the significance of a multitude of angels appearing after the first angel gave his message?

List some ways in which the angel's message is good news for you?

3. Read Luke 2:15-20. How many different responses to the angel's message do you see in these verses?

Have you seen or experienced such responses to the gospel of Christ?