



GOOD NEWS GREAT JOY



**25 ADVENT CARDS TO STEADY YOUR
HEART IN THE JOY WE HAVE IN CHRIST**



DAY 1

In the gospel, we can bank our faith on the fact that He will one day strip every hard season from us for good, leaving only the beauty of His glory for us to admire.

Stephanie Englehart



DAY 2

Our praise joins with creation in making a name for our God, that is an everlasting sign that will not be cut off. Proclaim that his name will never be cut off by being led with peace and going out with joy.

Meagan Elling



DAY 3

Hope extended to us when Jesus took his first breath and was placed in that humble manger. God has a plan to redeem our sin and bring us back into a right relationship with him. It all began in Bethlehem.

Rebecca George



DAY 4

The world plays on our fears and our pain, so it's a daily choice to live in the spirit and see through the spirit. We will miss so many blessings if we don't respond to God's invitation to see the world through His eyes!

Andrea Bourgeois



DAY 5

The God that knows every hair on your head and has more thoughts about you than the grains of the sand sent His Son that you may have an abundant life and be free from shame and fear.

Jessica Hottle



DAY 6

This time of year was not in the glorious doing, but rather the undoing. I needed to release my expectations and ideas of what the perfect holiday looked like and focus more on celebrating Jesus as my Lord and King.

Anne-Renee Gumley



DAY 7

We are not a body of believers that practice advent as a duty. Rather we desire to do the thing it was designed for and that is to prepare our hearts room for Jesus.

Alysha Miller



DAY 8

The redemption of the world is for His glory in the highest, and it's in God's good-will sending our Messiah to the world we find peace.

Nikki Godsil



DAY 9

With this good news, we too can rejoice in our salvation! Jesus reigns over death, there is no sting! Let us then, leap for joy and exult the King of Kings and Lord of Lords!

Brooke Tabor



DAY 10

Misconstrued expectations and cynicism caused the Pharisees and people from Jesus' hometown to miss the miracle that walked amongst them. God was saving the world right before their eyes, and they were completely unaware.

Ashley Moore



DAY 11

The favor of God is upon every man because Jesus came for the world. Jesus came to reconcile a severed relationship between created and Creator.

Shanda Fulbright



DAY 12

We encounter life's challenges a little bit differently than the Israelites did back then. Our Messiah is here right now. Instead of proclaiming a hope to come, we herald the Good News that he is here.

Shanté Grossett



DAY 13

Friend, on many days, I feel the heaviness of life in this world too. Thankfully, I also feel the hope. Because in the midst of all the weariness is a thrill of hope and His name is Jesus.

Rachael Adams



DAY 14

Is there any greater gift than Jesus? He loves us, and longs to renew our spirits when our thoughts and eyes wander.

Mandy Johnson



DAY 15

Hope fits into every season. Hope is for today and tomorrow. Hope arrived in the form of a baby, lived a perfect life where he loved and served people so well.

Chrystan Ferrell



DAY 16

By announcing Jesus' birth to the shepherds, God was demonstrating His great love for every one of us, no matter who we are.

Holly Newton



The good news was the birth of a baby, and not just any baby, the Savior of the world. We can have great joy because of Jesus' birth and ultimately, His death and resurrection, which brought the Good News of salvation.

Laura Bailey



DAY 18

Sometimes, our undone moments are God's intended miracles. Because Christ came, we have hope. Welcome Him into every season and ask Him to write your story.

Angela Donadio



When God sent us His only son to save us from our sins, it was because of the love He has for us and to display His glory and immense goodness.

Kimberly Mulvaney



DAY 20

Today we have a promise that an even greater joy is coming, heaven is waiting! Not only does He promise eternity - He also invites us to dip into His joy now, to fuel us for these days we have on earth!

Jaime Redcay



DAY 21

This season is a reminder that our perspective in this life is limited and we simply cannot grasp the great plans our good and gracious God is in the process of perfecting for us.

Elle Cordel



DAY 22

We are imperfect vessels that a perfect God resides in and because of that, the gift of joy is always available and always overflowing. It is our choice to allow His joy to permeate every part of our lives and every part of our world.

Scotti Beth Lawson



DAY 23

As we anticipate the arrival of the baby in
the manger this Christmas, fill and heal
our hearts with You, Lord Jesus!

Mary Peterman



DAY 24

It began with the light of a star that led to
the light of the world whose light is now in
us and whose light will return in its
fullness one day to carry us home.

Jade Emhoff



DAY 25

Let us not allow the awe and wonder of the Advent season dissipate. Instead, may it be the season that stirs up in us a heart that daily celebrates our always truthful, all-sustaining, everlasting Savior, Jesus.

Chelsey DeMatteis