

Christmas - The Light of Jesus (sjm 12-21-2024)

(The Word of God: A Revelation of who he is, what he has given you & how to walk after him!)

Paul Harvey's Christmas Story "the Man & the Birds" Song: I Have Seen the Light

Ps 18:28 For thou wilt **light** my candle: the Lord my God will **enlighten** my darkness.

Enlighten - to give (someone) greater knowledge and understanding about a subject or situation.

HE CAME TO REVEAL TO US THE SPIRITUAL REALM & TO BRING US INTO THE REALM HE LIVES!

John 8:32 Then spake Jesus again unto them, saying, I am the **light** of the world: he that followeth me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have the **light** of life.

*John 11:9 If any man walks in the in the **Light**, they will not stumble

Partners - Didn't just bring us into the kingdom he made us (**Rev 5:10**) Rule & Reign with him on the earth!

Born again unto him; Made like him in his image (Him in us & us in him) - 1 John 4:13

Heb 4:16 Let us therefore come **boldly** unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy & find grace to help in time of need. (*not harsh but loving, no penance, just love*)

Eph 5:1 Mimic him Were in him made in his image (*wanted us to be like him*) **Character & Power**

1 Tim 6:17 Gives us richly all things to enjoy:

Ps 68:19 Blessed be the Lord, who daily loadeth us with benefits

*Brings a message of **Hope**: Not matter what or how bad the circumstances our Lord can change them!

Heb 2:15 And deliver them who through fear of death were all their lifetime subject to **bondage**.

Right standing with God (we are forgiven & **clean**) sins not covered but taken away (as far a East from West)

Nothing you did cannot be forgiven: Provided ongoing forgiveness;

(*preparing us for heaven*) Coming for a Church w/o spot or wrinkle (*we will wear white robes & be next to him Rev 7*)

Joy - in his presence is fullness of Joy (Eph 2:6) In the world you will have tribulation

John 16:33 be of good cheer, I have overcome the world (*made a shew of Satan openly*)

Peace - My peace, I give to you (peace that passeth all understanding)

Peace on earth good will towards man (God is not mad at you)

Heb 2:15 And deliver them who through "**fear of death**" were all their lifetime subject to **bondage**.

Love - laid down his life for us He operates in Agape Love (*greater love has no man*)
(like mtg up with your best friend) no hesitation

Gen: He is the Creator - He is above all & in control of the natural world (*knows you inside & out*)

Given us the name of Jesus which is above every name! **Mark 13:34** Given us authority AND to everyman his work!

Ps 139 wrote a book about you - every single day

2 Cor 4:7 Invests in us "**Treasures in Earthen Vessels**" God looked around and said where is the best place to invest

Acts 2:17 Pours his "**Own Spirit**" out to us (*to flow quickly in large amounts*)

Ps 40:3 Author of New or Fresh Things (**Rev 21:5** I make all things new)

James 1:5 Wisdom from him [*Also ability to see into the spiritual realm*] (**Eph & Col prayers**)

Miracle working Power - Ability to overcome or override any natural issue

Col 1:3 Who hath **delivered** us from the power of darkness, and hath translated us into the kingdom of his dear Son:

Deliver - Means that it is ready and waiting to be opened. (*are you ready to open Jesus this morning?*)