



Merry
Christmas



Promises *of* Advent

PROMISE KEPT

While they were there, the time came for the baby to be born, ⁷ and she gave birth to her firstborn, a son. She wrapped him in cloths and placed him in a manger, because there was no guest room available for them.

LUKE 2:6-7 NIV



So Joseph also went up from the town of Nazareth in Galilee to Judea, to Bethlehem the town of David, because he belonged to the house and line of David.

LUKE 2:4 NIV



In those days Caesar Augustus issued a decree that a census should be taken of the entire Roman world.

LUKE 2:1 NIV



Today in the town of David a Savior has been
born to you; he is the Messiah, the Lord.

LUKE 2:11 NIV



There has never been a gift offered that makes you swallow your pride to the depths that the gift of Jesus Christ requires us to do. Christmas means that we are so lost, so unable to save ourselves, that nothing less than the death of the Son of God himself could save us.

TIM KELLER

Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is the Messiah, the Lord. ¹² This will be a sign to you: You will find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger.”

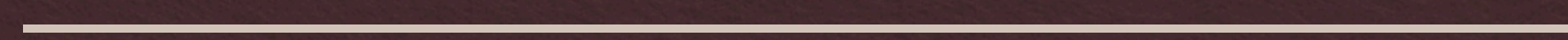
LUKE 2:11-12 NIV



In the Christian story God comes down; down from the heights of absolute being into time and space, down into humanity; down to the very roots and seabed of the Nature He has created. But He goes down to come up again and bring the whole ruined world up with Him.

- C.S. LEWIS -

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