

Mary

A Humble Servant



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FIRST
CHRISTMAS

The text "FIRST CHRISTMAS" is written in a white, serif font, slanted upwards from left to right. It is surrounded by green pine branches and a small red star.

“As I looked down at my son, My Redeemer,
I knew he would change everything...
because he had already changed me.”

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Luke 1:46-56

⁴⁶ And Mary said, “My soul magnifies the Lord, ⁴⁷ and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior, ⁴⁸ for he has looked on the humble estate of his servant. For behold, from now on all generations will call me blessed; ⁴⁹ for he who is mighty has done great things for me, and holy is his name.



Luke 1:46-56

⁵⁰ And his mercy is for those who fear him from generation to generation. ⁵¹ He has shown strength with his arm; he has scattered the proud in the thoughts of their hearts; ⁵² he has brought down the mighty from their thrones and exalted those of humble estate; ⁵³ he has filled the hungry with good things, and the rich he has sent away empty.

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⁵⁴ He has helped his servant Israel, in remembrance of his mercy, ⁵⁵ as he spoke to our fathers, to Abraham and to his offspring forever.” ⁵⁶ And Mary remained with her about three months and returned to her home.



Worshiping God with Our Whole Being

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Psalm 103:1 Bless the Lord, O my soul, and **all that is within me**, bless his holy name!



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Magnifies: to exalt, to increase honor, cause something to be held in great esteem.

What do you magnify with your life? What do you hold in great esteem? What do you make a big deal about?

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Rejoices: to exalt, to feel joy, to feel extreme happiness or elation.

Where do you find joy or happiness? What satisfies you?



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“God is most glorified in us
when we are most satisfied in Him” – John Piper



He Sees Our Need

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He Sees Our Need

Matthew 5:3 “Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Do we understand our personal need for a Savior?



He is Mighty to Save

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Remember God sees your need!
Remember God is mighty to save!

Worship God with your whole being!

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