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December 25

Today, many Christians celebrate the birth of our Lord Jesus, Messiah of the Jews and Savior of the world. On the night Jesus was born angels appeared to shepherds in the fields of Bethlehem proclaiming God's will to a lost and hurting world. Above all else that wonderful night was the revelation the angels brought to mankind. The angels sang out, "Peace on Earth and goodwill toward man."

Although I cannot tell you what God has in store for you or the path He may choose to lead you I can firmly declare that God's will for you is good. He harbors no anger, ill-will, or malice toward man. Jesus, His son, born of a virgin in the town of Bethlehem signaled to the world that God's only intention toward us was for our good. Trust in this good God and His good plan for your life by accepting this Jesus as both Savior and Lord.

Prayer for Today

Dear Heavenly Father, today I thank you for sending your son Jesus to the earth. I believe He was born of a virgin, lived a sinless life, and died an atoning death. I believe what the angels declared and commit myself to telling others this good news.

Scriptures for Today

Luke 2:10-14 Then the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid, for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy which will be to all people. For there is born to you this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. And this will be the sign to you: You will find a Babe wrapped in swaddling cloths, lying in a manger." And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying: "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, goodwill toward men!" (NKJV)