



Glory Revealed

Study of Christ's Birth

Each year as we revisit the history of Christ's incarnation, we can again reflect on the expensive cost of embracing the call of God's glory. Those involved in the drama—Zachariah, Elizabeth, John, Mary, Joseph, Simeon, Anna, Jesus, and God the Father Himself—all sacrificed much for the prize of His presence manifested on earth. Let us allow these ancient witnesses of God's provision and power in the midst of demanding circumstances inspire our faith as we embrace His glory and Spirit in our own lives.

Lesson	Study Passage
#1	Luke 1:1-25
#2	Luke 1:25-56
#3	Luke 1:57-80
#4	Luke 2:1-40

Key Verse:

With my own eyes I've seen your salvation;
it's now out in the open for everyone to see:
A God-revealing light to the non-Jewish
nations, and of glory for your people Israel.

– Luke 2:30-32 (Mssg.)

For each lesson, review and meditate on the designated passage, allowing the Holy Spirit's guidance in answering the following questions. Record your insights.

1. What aspects of the nature of the Father and the Son are revealed in this passage?
2. What tests of faith did these revelations bring to those who received them?
3. What specific steps of obedience were required to respond in faith to the revelation received?
4. As you are touched anew by these revelations, how do you sense the Lord calling you to respond in faith and obedience in your daily life?
5. How do you sense the Lord is calling you together with the people within your community (family, business, congregation, ministry)?

