Canyon Bible Church

Praise God. from whom all blessings flow Praise Him, all creatures here below Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost

Joy to the World

Joy to the world the Lord has come

Let earth receive her King

Let ev'ry heart prepare Him room
And heav'n and nature sing
And heav'n and nature sing

And heav'n, and heav'n, and nature sing

Joy to the earth the Savior reigns Your sweetest songs employ While fields and streams And hills and plains Repeat the sounding joy Repeat the sounding joy Repeat, repeat, the sounding joy

He rules the world with truth and grace And makes the nations prove The glories of His righteousness The wonders of His love The wonders of His love The wonders, wonders, of His love

Hark! the Herald Angels Sing

Hark the herald angels sing "Glory to the newborn king" Peace on earth, and mercy mild God and sinners reconciled

Joyful all ye nations rise Join the triumph of the skies With angelic host proclaim "Christ is born in Bethlehem" Hark! the herald angels sing "Glory to the newborn king"

Christ, by highest heaven adored Christ the everlasting Lord Late in time behold Him come Offspring of the Virgin's womb

Veiled in flesh, the God-head see Hail the Incarnate Deity Pleased, as man with men to dwell Jesus, our Emmanuel Hark! the herald angels sing "Glory to the newborn king!"

Hail the heaven-born Prince of Peace

Hail the Son of Righteousness Light and life to all He brings Risen with healing in His wings

Mild He lays His glory by Born that man no more may die Born to raise the sons of earth Born to give them second birth Hark! the herald angels sing "Glory to the newborn king!"

O Holy Night

Oh holy night

The stars are brightly shining It is the night of our dear Savior's birth

Long lay the world In sin and error pining

Till He appeared and the soul felt

its worth

A thrill of hope the weary world rejoices

For yonder breaks

A new and glorious morn

Fall on your knees Oh hear the angel voices Oh night divine Oh night when Christ was born Oh night divine Oh night, oh night divine

Truly He taught us to love one another His law is love and His gospel is peace

Chains shall He break for the slave is our brother And in His name all oppression shall cease

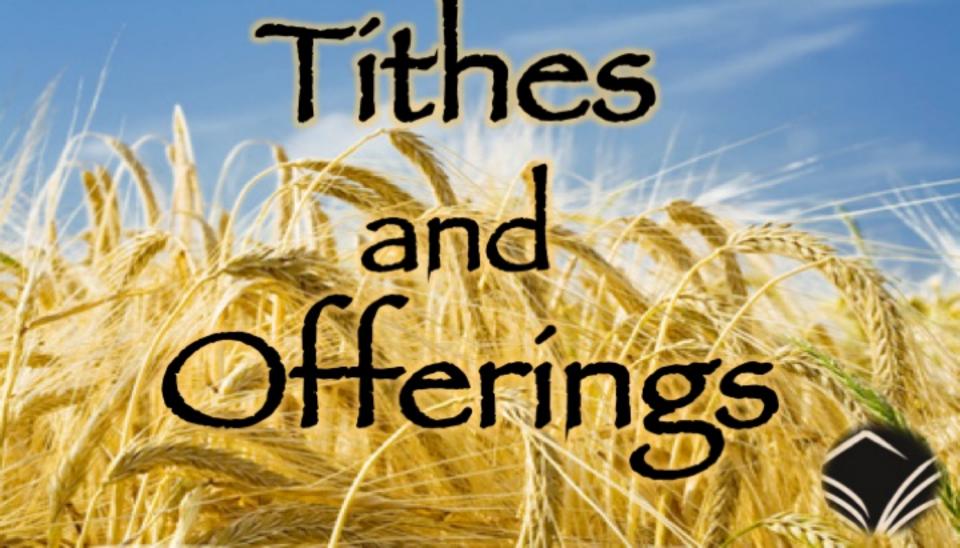
Sweet hymns of joy in grateful chorus raise we Let all within us praise His holy name

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Announcements



THE PRAYER OF THE RIGHTEOUS IS POWERFUL AND EFFECTIVE ~ JAMES 5:16 ~





JOY CANDLE

WAITING WITH EXPECTATION

Silent Night

Silent night holy night All is calm all is bright 'Round yon virgin mother and child Holy infant so tender and mild Sleep in heavenly peace Sleep in heavenly peace

Silent night holy night Shepherds quake at the sight Glories stream from heaven afar Heav'nly hosts sing alleluia Christ the Savior is born Christ the Savior is born

Silent night holy night Son of God love's pure light Radiant beams from Thy holy face With the dawn of redeeming grace Jesus Lord at Thy birth Jesus Lord at Thy birth

Silent night holy night Wondrous star lend thy light With the angels let us sing Alleluia to our King Christ the Savior is born Christ the Savior is born

Jesus Messiah He became sin who knew no sin That we might become His

righteousness
He humbled Himself and carried the cross

Love so amazing, love so amazing

Jesus Messiah, Name above all names

Blessed Redeemer, Emmanuel The Rescue for sinners

The Ransom from heaven Jesus Messiah, Lord of all His body the bread, His blood the wine

Broken and poured out all for love The whole earth trembled and the veil was torn Love so amazing, love so amazing Jesus Messiah, Name above all names

Blessed Redeemer, Emmanuel The Rescue for sinners

The Ransom from heaven Jesus Messiah, Lord of all

All our hope is in You All our hope is in You All the glory to You God The Light of the world

Jesus Messiah, Name above all names

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ADVENT OUR COMING

SAVIOUR



Ephesians 2:1-3

Advent Savior

Part II

Captive

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Sick to the point of spiritual death by their sin.

Sabotaged by Satan

Sentenced to Hell



Isaiah cries out concerning Israel: "Though the number of the sons of Israel be as the sand of the sea, only a remnant of them will be saved."



So too at the present time there is a remnant, chosen by grace.



Chosen by grace

Without a **Savior** all people are spiritually dead and incapable of any spiritual good.

Without a **Savior** <u>all</u> people are captured, blinded by evil and the supernatural person named Satan.

Without a **Savior** <u>all</u> people Live under the wrath of God and are sentenced to eternal torment in hell.



Mary will bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins.



God the Father sent His Son, Jesus Christ, ... to destroy the works of the devil.



God the Father raised from the dead, Jesus who delivers us from the wrath to come.



For the kingdom of God is not a matter of eating and drinking but of righteousness and peace and joy in the Holy Spirit.





Slavery

A Way Out

You were dead in the trespasses and sins in which you once walked, following the course of this world, following the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that is now at work in the sons of disobedience — ... carrying out the desires of the body and the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, like the rest of mankind.

Captive

of an alien prince

You were dead in the trespasses and sins in which you once walked, following the course of this world, following the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that is now at work in the sons of disobedience.



Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the schemes of the devil.



We do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers over this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places.



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2 Kings

6:15-18



Revelation

19:11-16



He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.



Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among those with whom he is pleased!



Jesus who delivers us from the wrath to come.



For behold, the Lord will come in fire, and his chariots like the whirlwind, to render his anger in fury, and his rebuke with flames of fire. For by fire will the Lord enter into judgment, and by his sword, with all flesh; and those slain by the Lord shall be many. Jesus said, "the hour is coming, and is now here, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for the Father is seeking such people to worship him. God is spirit, and those who worship him must worship in spirit and truth."

I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.



Lion of Judah You're the Lion of Judah the Lamb who was slain You ascended to heaven and evermore will reign At the end of the age when the earth You reclaim You will gather the nations before You

And the eyes of all men Will be fixed on the Lamb Who was crucified With wisdom and mercy and justice You'll reign At Your Father's side

And the angels will cry "Hail the Lamb Who was slain for the world Rule in pow'r!" And the earth will reply "You shall reign as the King of all kings and the Lord of all lords!"

There's a shield in our hand And a sword at our side There's a fire in our spirits That cannot be denied 'Cause the Father has told us For these You have died For the nations who gather before You

And the ears of all men Need to hear of the Lamb Who was crucified Who descended to hell Yet was raised up to reign At His Father's side

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Benediction

Be people of hope!

Let hope live in your heart and share the hope of Christ with all you meet. Share the hope of Christ by noticing someone else's humanity. Share the hope of Christ by listening to someone's story. Share the hope of Christ by praying for our world. In this Advent season, we need to see, feel, and share the hope of Christ. As you go out into the wonder of God's creations, share the hope of Christ with those you meet. Amen.