



A Christmas Giver

John 3:16/Luke 2

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Dear Santa: Bring me what I want for Christmas or Prancer and Dancer are next.





**I have discovered that there are three
kinds of gift givers:**

- 1) Duty Obligation**
- 2) Tradition**
- 3) Passionate**







GOD GIVES OUT OF LOVE.





"But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid; for behold, I bring you good news of great joy which will be for all the people." (Luke 2:10,

“For God so loved the world.” John 3:16





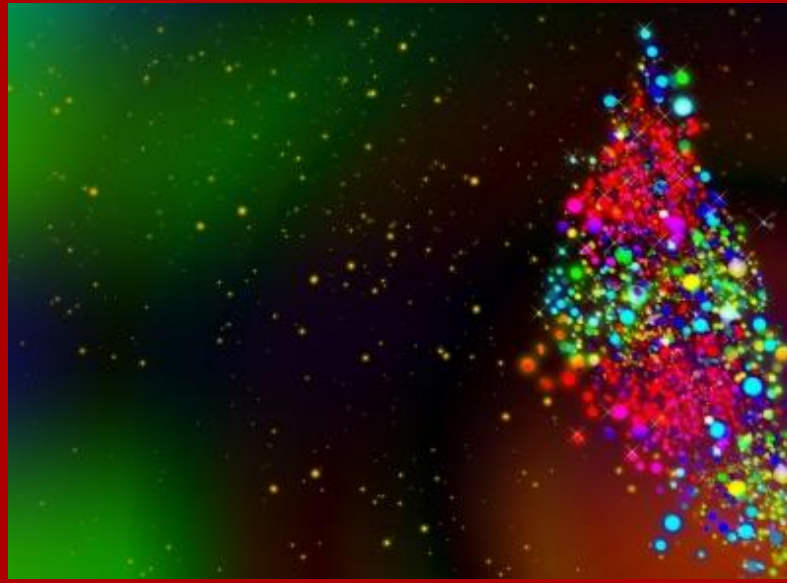
One of the things that makes Christmas so fun is the sheer anticipation, both from those who get gifts and those who give gifts.





Imagine God's anticipation that Christmas morning. When the gift He had been shopping for -for thousands of years, a one of a kind gift that only He could give and He gave it out of love.





***GOD GIVES THE BEST
GIFT***





**"For today in the city of David there has been
born for you a Savior, who is Christ the Lord."**

Luke 2:11

***"For God so Loved the world that He gave His one
and only Son." John 3:16***





When God gave Jesus Christ, He gave a gift that was the best and here's why. The best Christmas gift you can give basically does two things.





**God's gift is the only gift ever
given that anyone can
receive.**





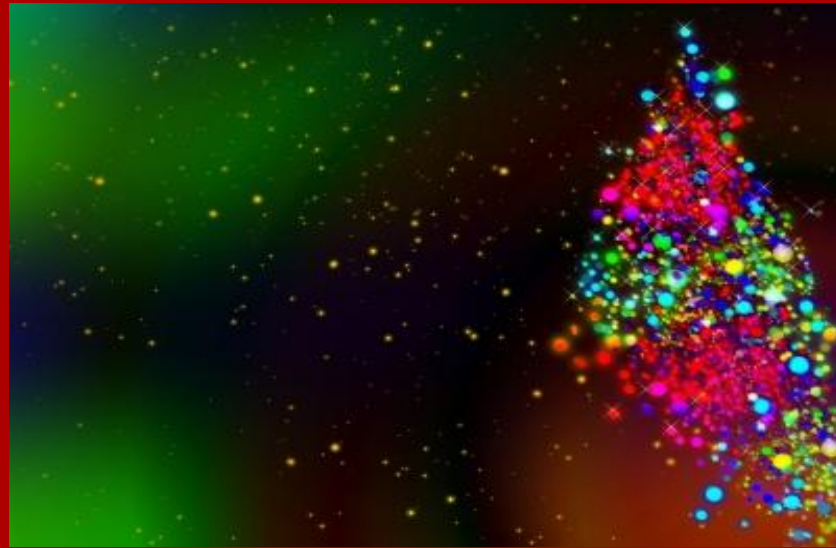
**OUR GOD GIVES A GIFT
THAT LAST FOREVER.**





*“For God so loved the world that He gave His
one and only Son that whoever believes in
Him shall not perish but have eternal life.”
John 3:16*





In fact, one of the greatest acts of discourteous behavior is to receive a gift and then either not claim it, not open it, not take it and not even to acknowledge the gift with a heart-felt response of gratitude.





**Do you know when Christmas really
happens for you and for me?**



