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¹² And this will be a sign for you: you will find a baby wrapped in swaddling cloths and lying in a manger."



This is an announcement of good news and great joy for everyone, everywhere, all the time!

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An Odd Command

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Get you up to a high mountain, O Zion, herald of good news; lift up your voice with strength, O Jerusalem, herald of good news; lift it up, fear not; say to the cities of Judah, 'Behold your God! Behold, the Lord God comes with might, and his arm rules for him; behold his reward is with him, and his recompense before him.

He will tend his flock like a shepherd; he will gather the lambs in his arms; he will carry them in his bosom, and gently lead those that are with young.

-Isaiah 40:9-11

The Spirit of the Lord God is upon me, because the Lord has anointed me to bring good news to the poor, he has sent me to bind up the broken-hearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives, and the opening of the prison to those who are bound; to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor.

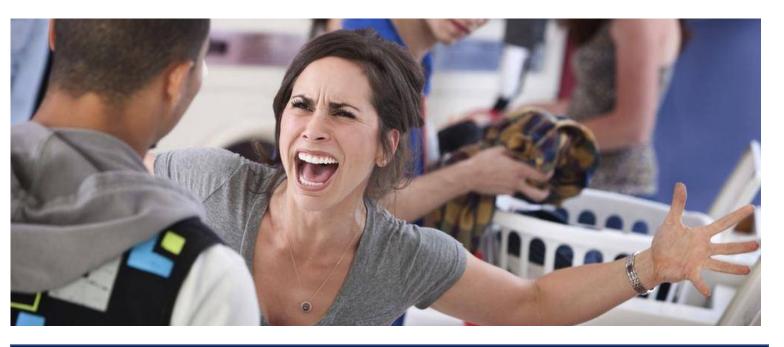
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All the People

















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God's all-powerful anointed priestking redeemer provides salvation for all who believe.

Application

Have you owned this love yourself by faith?

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Are we creating a spiritual family for all the people?