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MATTHEW 1:21-23 - ERIC SIMPSON- DECEMBER 23, 2018

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21 She will give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins." 22 All this took place to fulfill what the Lord had said through the prophet: 23 "The virgin will be with child and will give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel"-- which means, "God with us."

Christmas = Immanuel = God came to be with us so we could live our lives with Him.



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"Every experience God gives us. Every person He puts into our lives, is the perfect preparation for a future only He can see." - Corrie ten Boom (1892-1983)

"O God,
let something essential happen to me,
something more than interesting
or entertaining,
or thoughtful.

O God,
let something essential happen to me,
something awesome,
something real.

Speak to my condition, Lord,
and change me somewhere inside where it matters,
a change that will burn and tremble and heal..."

- Ted Loder