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New Message Series: Behold A Savior Is Born

Today's Message: The Promised Hope

TRUTH: When we <u>truly surrender all</u> to Jesus and <u>trust</u> Him—He <u>fills us with hope</u> no matter the situation we face.

1. The Signs of God Give Us Hope: His Purpose

Isaiah 7:14

<u>God's People</u>: Had <u>God's Word</u> to give them something to <u>watch</u> and <u>wait for</u>; their hearts were filled with Hope.

Isaiah 46:10

Psalm 119:68 "God is good and everything He does is good."

<u>Isaiah 55:8, 9</u>

Luke 1:37

2. God With Us Is The Hope We Need: His Presence

"Immanuel" - "God With Us"

◆ God saw we all needed to be <u>resaved</u> and made the first move to <u>come to us</u>.

Romans 5:8

Romans 8:31, 32, 35

♦ "The more intense the pain—the closer the embrace" ~Joni

Jeremiah 15:15, 16

◆ "The <u>peace of God</u> is <u>not</u> the absence of fear; <u>peace in fact</u> is His <u>presence</u>." ~Tim Keller <u>Luke 17:5</u>

3. Jesus' Sacrifice Gives Us Hope: His Promise

Isaiah 53:5, 6

⇒ "They all lived happily ever after" is not merely a fairy tale. It's the <u>blood-bought promise</u> of God for all who <u>surrender</u> and <u>trust</u> in the <u>cross of Christ</u>."

Isaiah 58:11

<u>Action</u>: This Week: Allow <u>God's love</u> to <u>overwhelm</u> and so <u>overflow</u> your life with <u>gratitude</u> that you <u>bring hope</u> to someone.

Share The Hope