

Scripture reading: Matthew 1:18-21

Message: Luke 2:6-18

I. Two Christmas'

- A. The secular
- B. The religious

II. How some are affected by Christmas

- A. It is a time to profit
- B. Some are threatened
- C. Some are blessed by Christmas
- D. Some see the promises of God

III. Biblical examples

- A. The Inn Keeper, made a profit v.7
- B. Herod was threatened *Matthew 2:3*
- C. The Shepherds, blessed by Christmas vv. 8-9, 20
- D. Saw the promises of God, Simeon and Anna vv. 25,36

IV. How are you celebrating Christmas?

- A. Do not forget Jesus
- B. Look past the cradle to the cross
- C. Make known what you are celebrating v.17
- D. Do not lose your wonder v.18

MESSAGE NOTES

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