

Luke 2: 8-16
"Three Places Changed
By His Presence"



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1. Introduction

a. Greatest change on earth by birth of Jesus

b. Jesus created greatest change between God & mankind

c. ~~Three~~^{MANY} areas of Effect

2. Effected in the Heavens

a. Angels praised & worshipped God

b. Heavens declare the glory of God

3. Glorified in Jesus 2nd Coming

a. Rev 5 Voices of angels, 4 living creatures, & 24 elders praise

b. Multitudes of heavenly host giving praise & glory to God

c. God became man

3. Incarnation on Earth

a. Effect on earth

b. Good tidings of great joy

c. Born a Saviour who is Christ the Lord

d. And on earth peace, good will toward men from God

4. Jesus Brought His Compassion

a. Roman world was brutal & difficult time to live

b. Christian ethics based on God making humans in His own image

4c. Christians to honor God

- honor each other
- be loving & kind to each other
- be patient to all
- pray for each other

d. Jesus often moved with compassion

- lives changed
- Christians moved to effect society

5. Personal Savior

a. A Savior is given from God

b. Savior changes the individual person inwardly

c. Simeon in Jerusalem (Lk 2:25-35)

- he waited for Consolation of Israel
- he looked for the Lord's Christ
- he saw God's salvation with his own eyes
- all according to God's Word

d. Prophetess Anna (Lk 2:36-38)

- she served God with fastings & prayers
- she gave thanks to God
* for redemption

e. God makes any person a new creation who accept Jesus into their life

- 2 Cor 5:6 while at home in the body, we are absent from the Lord
- Philp 1:21 For to me to live is Christ and to die is gain
- 2 Cor 5:8 willing rather to be absent from from the body, and to be present with the Lord