

CHRISTMAS EVE

The Savior King is Here

Have you ever rejected what you _____ by pursuing what you _____?

⁶But when they said, "Give us a king to lead us," this displeased Samuel; so he prayed to the Lord. ⁷And the Lord told him: "Listen to all that the people are saying to you; it is not you they have rejected, but they have rejected me as their king."

1 Samuel 8:6-7 (NIV)

- Israel rejected who they _____ most by pursuing what they _____ most.
- Israel wanted someone, other than _____, to be their king.

When we let someone, other than _____, be king, it _____ everything.

God has been working a plan to restore Himself as _____ by becoming our _____.

Christmas is the _____ that God, our Savior King is here.

³⁰But the angel said to her, "Do not be afraid, Mary; you have found favor with God.

³¹You will conceive and give birth to a son, and you are to call him Jesus. ³²He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. The Lord God will give him the throne of his father David, ³³and he will reign over Jacob's descendants forever; his kingdom will never end."

Luke 1:30-33 (NIV)

⁴⁶And Mary said: "My soul glorifies the Lord ⁴and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,

Luke 1:46-47 (NIV)

²¹"Joseph son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary home as your wife, because what is conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit. ²¹She will give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins." ²²All this took place to fulfill what the Lord had said through the prophet: ²³"The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel" (which means "God with us").

Matthew 1:20-23 (NIV)

When Joseph woke up, he did what the angel of the Lord had commanded him and took Mary home as his wife.

Matthew 1:24 (NIV)

¹⁰But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid. I bring you good news that will cause great joy for all the people. ¹¹Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is the Messiah, the Lord. ¹²This will be a sign to you: You will find a baby wrapped in

cloths and lying in a manger."

Luke 2:10-12 (NIV)

¹³Suddenly a great company of the heavenly host appeared with the angel, praising God and saying, ¹⁴"Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on earth peace to those on whom his favor rests."

Luke 2:13-14 (NIV)

The shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things they had heard and seen, which were just as they had been told.

Luke 2:20 (NIV)

¹After Jesus was born in Bethlehem in Judea, during the time of King Herod, Magi from the east came to Jerusalem ²and asked, "Where is the one who has been born king of the Jews? We saw his star when it rose and have come to worship him."

Matthew 2:1-2 (NIV)

On coming to the house, they saw the child with his mother Mary, and they bowed down and worshiped him. Then they opened their treasures and presented him with gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh.

Matthew 2:11 (NIV)

We can respond by _____ or _____ this Savior King.

TEACHING BIG IDEA:

Worship is _____ like Jesus is my Savior and King.

I _____ to live as my own king but I _____ to live like Jesus, my Savior King, is here.

My Notes