

Blessed Christmas

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As I reflect on all the things a person may go through in the course of a year, whether it be great experiences and celebrations or whether it be turbulent seasons, I am so blessed that the Lord has given us an opportunity to end our year with the joy of celebrating Jesus' birth.

He has saved the best for last! Luke says in 2:10-11 **"And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, which is Christ the Lord"** This is good news! He came to bring GREAT joy! The joy that a savior is born, who has come into this world so that we can live a life free of sin and bondage. A Savior who has brought abundant joy, freedom and eternal life to all who follow Him. In John's gospel he called Jesus the light of men. John 1:4 **"In him was life; and the life was the light of men. And the light shineth in darkness; and the darkness comprehended it not."** That is wonderful news! There is so much hope found in Jesus. We are blessed to finish our year and begin a New Year celebrating that the light has been brought into our world.

Our students here at Western Michigan Adult and Teen Challenge spend a year with us learning about our Savior who brings light to their darkness. Giving them hope for a new life. In John 8:12 Jesus said, **"I am the light of the world: he that followeth me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have the light of life."** As we go through each year with our students it is wonderful to see them grow in their walk with the Lord and to see them transform from worn and weary to filled with joy and life. Truly, the Lord is doing amazing transformations in the lives of the men and women at Teen Challenge. This Christmas season my heart full of celebration for our Savior and the work that He is doing in the lives of our students.



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YEAR END GIVING

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It is your kindness and love expressed through prayers, action and giving that helps keep our doors open that we are able to continue sharing the greatest story ever told and continue being here for hurting people. Merry Christmas to you and your loved ones and God bless you in this Christmas season as you celebrate the birth of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

