

"The Gift"
Isaiah 9:1-13

Jesus Christ Is God's Gift of the Personal Deliverer for the Human Race - Jo 4:10; Ro 5:15; II Cor 9:15

- A human life with Divine origins - Is 9:6; Jo 1:14; Ga 4:4; Phil 2:6-8; Heb 2:14; I Jo 1:1-2
- The Gift cannot be purchased with human currency - Ro 6:23; Eph 2:8,9
- The Gift is for everyone willing to receive it (Him) - Lk 2:10-11; Jo 1:12; I Jo 4:15; 5:1

The Nature and Character of the Gift - Is 9:6

- "Wonderful" - we receive His personal presence as the Light of our lives - Is 9:6; Jo 1:4
- "Counselor" - we receive the One Who has the very heart and mind of God yet able to sympathize with our humanity - Jo 10:30; Heb 2:18; 4:15,16
- "Mighty God" - we receive His victory over our every adversary - Is 9:6; Zeph 2:15; Ro 8:37
- "Everlasting Father" - we receive entrance into God's eternal family - Is 9:6; Jo 14:20,23; Jo 17:20-21
- "Prince of Peace" - we receive peace with God, the peace of God, and peace with ourselves and one another - Is 9:6; Jo 14:27; Ro 5:1; Col 3:15; Lk 2:14

The Gift and Its Amazing Effect - Is 9:2-5

- A great reversal - Is 9:2 (from darkness to light - Lk 1:78-79; 2:32; Jo 8:12; 12:46; Col 1:13)
- A great rejoicing - Is 9:3 (from gloom to gladness - Matt 2:10; Lk 2:10; Jo 16:20; 17:13)
- A great rescue - Is 9:4-5 (from defeat to victory - Lk 1:67-74; Jo 16:33; II Cor 2:14)

Will You Receive God's Gift and Put the Government of Your Life Upon His Shoulders? - Is 9:7