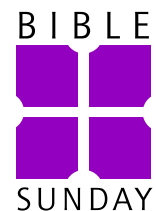


## ADVENT 2017: Sharing the word in your Christmas Cards



### Suggested Scriptural Quotes

You might like to use any of these quotes to share the words of Scripture with your family, friends, colleagues or neighbours by writing them in your Christmas cards.

- Isaiah 7:14**            The Lord will give you a sign... the young woman is with child and will give birth to a son whom she will call Immanuel.
- Isaiah 9:2**            The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light.
- Isaiah 9:5**            For a son has been born for us, a son has been given to us, and dominion has been laid on his shoulders; and this is the name he has been given, 'Wonder-Counsellor, Mighty-God, Eternal-Father, Prince-of-Peace.'
- Matthew 1:21**        She will give birth to a son and you must name him Jesus, because he is the one who is to save his people from their sins.
- Matthew 1:23**        "Behold, the virgin is with child and will give birth to a son who they will call Immanuel," a name which means, 'God-is-with-us.'
- Matthew 2:10-11**    The sight of the star filled them with delight, and going into the house they saw the child with his mother Mary, and falling to their knees they did him homage.
- Luke 1:30-31**        The angel said to her, 'Mary, do not be afraid; you have won God's favour. Look! You are to conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you must name him Jesus.'
- Luke 2:12**            And here is a sign for you: you will find a baby wrapped in swaddling clothes and lying in a manger.
- Luke 2:10**            The angel said, 'Do not be afraid. Look, I bring you news of great joy, a joy to be shared by the whole people.'
- Luke 2:11**            Today in the town of David a Saviour has been born to you; he is Christ the Lord.
- John 3:16**            For this is how God loved the world: he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life.

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