

Christmas Relevance

*You shall call His name JESUS, for He will save His people from their sins.
Matthew 1:21 NKJV*

When the Christmas bells are ringing
And the wreath is on the door,
And the house is decorated
Like it's never been before,
And the fragrance of the fir tree
Sheds its frankincense within,
Does your heart rejoice that Jesus
Came to save us from our sin?

When the stockings on the mantle
Are about to overflow,
And the glimmer from the fireplace
Has subsided to a glow,
And you glance around the parlor
One last time before you leave,
Is there something subtle missing
In your soul on Christmas Eve?

When the family's all together
And the dinner has been served,
And the children are all playing
With the presents they deserved,
Are you thankful that the Savior
Died to wash your sins away?
Or is relevance an issue
In your mind on Christmas day?

When the Holidays are over
And the trash is in the pail,
And the plastic credit vouchers
Are arriving in the mail,
Wouldn't you pause a bit ponder
If your gifts were worth the price,
If you felt the folks that got them
Did not think them very nice?

Just remember while you're musing
What the Season's all about,
That God sent His Son from heaven
At a price past finding out,
But if you do not accept Him
As the payment for your sin,
What He's done for you is wasted,
And "You must be born again."

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