

**“GOD’S GIFTS”**  
**By Mary Mayko 1996**

“Fear not little flock” Jesus said unto them,  
They weren’t to worry, but trust in Him!  
He told us to seek His Kingdom first  
So we would not hunger or thirst!

Why do we complain and say such things as these,  
For suffering and rejection brings us to our knees!  
Fear and danger abounds on every side,  
It seems there is no safe place for us to hide!



But God’s Gifts are for us we can be sure,  
They’re here to help encourage and keep us pure!  
They give us knowledge and insight  
So we can really live and do what’s right!

So He tells us, fear not, little flock of Jesus!  
His Gifts within will be seen by all who know us!  
As His children we can so thankful be,  
And live in that Hope that our King we will see!

His provisions for us will always abound,  
But no greater Gift than Salvation can be found!  
From our Heavenly King whom we love and trust!  
The Kingdom of God, what a Gift to us!

Ep.2:8 NIV “For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith- and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God.”

Luke 12:32 KJV “Fear not, little flock; for it is your father’s good pleasure to give you the kingdom.”

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**“CELEBRATION!”**

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**The reasons for joy and celebrations are many.  
So we gather with love in times of need or plenty!  
Today we come in honor of a truly great Event!  
We celebrate the Christ Child, the Father has sent.**

**How we all need to pause and reflect, to be grateful  
For the blessings He gives and to be thankful!  
We realize His great love as we remember,  
The World celebrates His Birth every December!**

**Celebrations can lift the heart and renew our visions  
He enhances our lives, bringing wise decisions!  
What a blessing in our lives just to know,  
God takes great pleasure in making it so!**

**Come now! Celebrate our Savior’s Birth!  
Let your joy ring out all over the earth!  
Sing with the Holy Angels and Mankind this Day,  
For Christ our Savior has come to show us His Way!**

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**Luke 2:15-18 NIV “When the angels had left them and gone into heaven, the shepherds said to one another, “Let’s go to Bethlehem and see this thing that has happened, which the Lord has told us about. So they hurried off and found Mary and Joseph and the baby, who was lying in the manger. When they had seen him, they spread the word concerning what had been told them about this child, and all who heard it were amazed at what they shepherds said to them.”**

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## **OUR KING!**

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**When the Father sent His Son down to man,  
He had a marvelous redemption Plan!  
His beginning was so different than we would expect,  
Jesus came in a humble manger, not with regal respect!**

**We'd assume He would be pampered and protected,  
Not so misunderstood, unloved and rejected!  
Who would have believed He'd suffer so much strife,  
When He came to redeem men by giving His own life!**

**Did the people really think He was their King?  
Do they understand why He willingly laid aside everything?  
Did they cherish His words of mercy and love?  
Didn't they realize He was sent from the Father above?**

**Throughout His life, He escaped many threats'  
Then gave His life for us without any regrets!  
His teachings, His love, His Eternal worth,  
Fulfilled God's Plan by His divine Birth!**

**Many stories are told and songs are sung  
To honor our King who on a Cross was hung!  
He redeemed us from sin's dreadful curse,  
So now we show our love with many a chorus or a verse!**

**Let us honor our dear Master and King,  
As we celebrate His Birth with the songs we sing!  
What joy He brought to this world below,  
What amazing love and grace our dear King did show!**

**Luke 2:7 NIV "And she gave birth to her first born, a son. She wrapped him in cloths and placed him in a manger, because there was no room for him in the inn."  
v.10-11 "But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid. I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; He is Christ the LORD."**