

“CELEBRATION!”

By Mary Mayko

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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“AT JESUS’ FEET!”

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The young mother knelt beside His bed, as she reflected on all the Angel had said!
This dear tiny Child so wonderful and sweet, would some day see many kneel at His feet!

Multitudes came to hear her Son teach, there’d never heard another like Him preach!
He came forth His father’s Will to complete, knowing some day all would bow at His feet!

He healed many who were crippled and blind and taught people to be loving and kind!
They followed Him on country roads or a city street, just to be near Him and sit at His feet.

One day it seemed that all hope was a loss when they saw Him hanging on a Cross.
Satan thought, “At last Jesus was beat!” But an empty Grave proved Jesus’ victory was sweet!

Now with hope renewed the multitudes came and Good Tidings spread about His fame!
Today the Salvation Story we still love to repeat as we invite others to sit at his feet!

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“GOD’S GIFTS”
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“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.”

