



It was a Tough Time... ...for God's People

- Times of Captivity
- Times of Suffering
- Times of Pain

Some for What "They Did"

Some for What "Others Did"



No Matter Reason Pain wasStill the Same

> Cure was... ...Still Same

> > A Child...

Emmanuel... ...God with Us!

A Turn Around was Coming!

Verse 1-5 sums up...

- It will not always be like this
- Better days are Ahead
- God has a Plan
- Give Him a Chance to Work!

It May not come...

- When you Expect
- Like you Expect
- How you Expect -but
- Always on Time (fullness of time)



He Saw a Cradle
 "Unto us a child is born"
 His Humanity

- He Saw a Cross "Unto us a son is given"
 His Deity
- He Saw a Crown
 "The government shall be upon His shoulders"
 • His Lordship



Wonderful

Takes Care of the... Dullness of Life

- Spiritual
- Physical

Wonderful =

Miracle...

....SupernaturalExtraordinary

Fulfillment



Counselor

Takes Care of the... ...Decisions of Life

His Wisdom "advise, counsel, purpose"

He is the ... Leader and ...Guiding Force ...of our Lives



Mighty God

Takes Care of the... Demands of Life

Mighty = "Hero" "one Who is strong... ...Mighty ...Invincible" I Can Do ALL Things... Through Christ...



Mighty God

Mighty Enough to...

Hold Creation in His Hands

 Yet Mary Held Him in her Arms

Hold us in His Hands

 Yet We Hold Him in our Hearts



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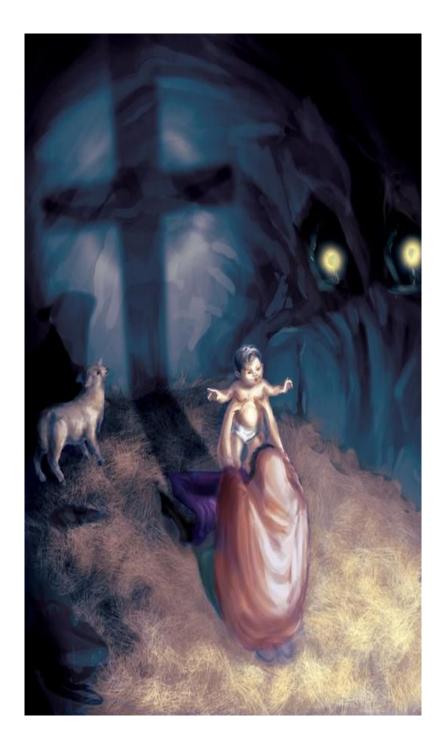
Crown

John 1:1 (KJV)

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

In the End is the Word Rev 19: on his thigh a name written, KING OF KINGS, AND LORD OF LORDS





Cradle

Job 9:33 NLT If only there were a mediator between us, someone who could bring us together.

John 1:14 (KJV) ¹⁴ And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us...

Matthew 1:23 (KJV) Emmanuel, which being interpreted is, God with us.

Cross

Final Word- It is Finished! •God For Us Satan thought... ...he had Won! **But on that Cross** was **Our Mighty God!!**



Satan Threw His Best Shots at Him...

•Disease ...

"by my strips you are healed" - I Pet 2:24

•<u>Temptation</u>...

"not my will but my fathers will be done" -Luke 22:42

•<u>Fame</u>...

"you will worship God alone..." -Matt 4:10

•Demon Possessed...

He said, "get out." – Mk 9:25

Depressed -hopeless -addicted...

"you are whole" -Acts 4:10

•Hatred...

"father forgive them" -Luke 23:34

Satan Threw His Best Shots at Him...

He Threw...

•<u>Religion</u>…

"I will build my church" - Matt 16:18

•Politics..."

"the government is upon my shoulder..." -Isa 9:7

False Accusations..."

"You'll see, on the 3rd day" - Mt 20:18-19

•<u>Storms</u>...

"peace be still" – Mk 4:39

•He even threw <u>Death</u>...

"Lazarus, come forth..." - John 11:43



That Tiny Infant in a Manger was...

Mighty God !