

## **Christmas Eve Message 2023**

### **The Promised One**

#### **John 3:16-18**

**16** For God loved the world in this way: He gave his one and only Son, so that everyone who believes in him will not perish but have eternal life. **17** For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him. **18** Anyone who believes in him is not condemned, but anyone who does not believe is already condemned, because he has not believed in the name of the one and only Son of God.

Why did Jesus come from heaven to earth 2000 years ago?

1. To put the LOVE of God on display
2. To make a way for ALL people to be saved
3. To provide ETERNAL LIFE to the spiritually dead

How do we receive the gift of eternal life this Christmas?

We DECIDE to TRUST in Jesus!

*God, thank you for sending your one and only Son to live the perfect life I could not live, die the death that I deserved, and rise from the dead on the 3rd day. Right now, I put my faith and trust in Jesus alone to save me. I turn from my sin and trust in Him. Help me to follow Jesus all my days. In His name, Amen.*