

Almost Christmas

Part 4-Altogether Hope

Isaiah 9:2, 6-7

A Message of Hope...

- 1. Our world, like 2000 years ago, is engulfed in DARKNESS.**

The people walking in darkness... Isaiah 9:2a NIV

- 2. Into this darkness, then and now, a LIGHT has come.**

...have seen a great light; on those living in the land of deep darkness a light has dawned. Isaiah 9:2b NIV

In Him was life, and that life was the light of all mankind. The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it. There was a man sent from God whose name was John. He came as a witness to testify concerning that light, so that through him all might believe. He himself was not the light; he came only as a witness to the light. The true light that gives light to everyone was coming into the world. John 1:4-9 NIV

- 3. This light is the HOPE of all the world.**

"But now, Lord, what do I look for? My hope is in you." Psalm 39:7 NIV

I lift up my eyes to the mountains—where does my help come from? My help comes from the LORD, the Maker of heaven and earth. Psalm 121:1-2 NIV

For to us a Child is born, to us a Son is given, and the government will be on His shoulders. And He will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

Isaiah 9:6-7 NIV

Where do you find your hope in this world?

How can you make room for the hope of Christ this Advent season?