



## Simeon's Song: *Why Christmas Is So Amazing*

### *The Songs Of Christmas - Part 3*

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<sup>33</sup> *The child's father and mother marveled at what was said about him.* **Luke 2:33 (NIV)**

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### *Three reasons why Christmas is so amazing:*

#### **1. There's nothing God wants more than to save everyone.**

<sup>46</sup> *And Mary said, "My soul magnifies the Lord, <sup>47</sup> and my spirit has rejoiced in God my Savior..."* **Luke 1:46-47 (NIV)**

<sup>67</sup> *His father Zechariah was filled with the Holy Spirit and prophesied:*  
<sup>68</sup> *"Praise be to the Lord, the God of Israel, because he has come to his people and redeemed them."* **Luke 1:67-68 (NIV)**

<sup>30</sup> *"For my eyes have seen your salvation, <sup>31</sup> which you have prepared in the sight of all nations: <sup>32</sup> a light for revelation to the Gentiles and the glory of your people Israel."* **Luke 2:30-32 (NIV)**

- Mary and Joseph have learned: **Jesus is to be shared.**

<sup>4</sup> *God wants all people to be saved.* **1 Timothy 2:4a (ICB)**

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#### **2. There is nothing more thrilling than God working in my life.**

<sup>25</sup> *Now there was a man in Jerusalem called Simeon, who was righteous and devout. He was waiting for the consolation of Israel, and the Holy Spirit was on him. <sup>26</sup> It had been revealed to him by the Holy Spirit that he would not die before he had seen the Lord's Messiah. <sup>27</sup> Moved by the Spirit, he went into the temple courts.* **Luke 2:25-27a (NIV)**

- Prayer **invites** and **involves** God.

<sup>29</sup> *"Lord and Master, I am your loving servant, and now I can die content, <sup>30</sup> for your promise to me has been fulfilled. With my own eyes I have seen your Word, the Savior you sent into the world."* **Luke 2:29-30 (TPT)**

<sup>15</sup> *"...I am overwhelmed by how much you have done for me. <sup>16</sup> I will praise your mighty deeds, O Sovereign Lord. I will tell everyone that you alone are just and good."* **Psalms 71:15b-16 (NLT)**

<sup>4</sup> *Since before time began no one has ever imagined, No ear heard, no eye seen, a God like you who works for those who wait for him.* **Isaiah 64:4 (MSG)**

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#### **3. There is nothing more satisfying than knowing Jesus.**

<sup>28</sup> *Simeon was there and took the child in his arms, praising God.*  
<sup>29</sup> *"Lord," he said, "now I can die content! For I have seen him as you promised me I would. I have seen the Savior you have given to the world."* **Luke 2:28-29 (TLB)**

<sup>20</sup> *People will never stop dying and being destroyed, and they will never stop wanting more than they have.* **Proverbs 27:20 (NCV)**

<sup>5</sup> *You satisfy me more than the richest feast...* **Psalms 63:5a (NLT)**

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