



### Message Based Discussion Questions

#### 3) Jesus was \_\_\_\_\_ greatest anticipation Luke 1:46-55

- Gen. 12:1-3; 2 Sam. 7:12-16
- Eph. 2:8-9; John 1:12

1) What kinds of things bring people happiness in life?

#### **Digging Deeper:**

2) Is anticipation a factor of faith? \_\_\_\_\_ How do you describe faith from Bible characters that show anticipation? (cf. Heb. 11)

### *There is no greater anticipation of joy than Jesus!*

- What do you believe will bring you satisfaction?
- Choose Jesus as your anticipation, because nothing else will satisfy.
- In His presence is the fullness of joy Ps. 16:11; Luke 10:38-42

3) Do you know how long Israel had been waiting for Abraham's Covenant to be fulfilled at Jesus' birth? \_\_\_\_\_ Who are some examples of those who anticipated the coming Christ? (consider both the Old and New Testaments!)

4) Do the Psalms reveal any kind of joy? \_\_\_\_\_ What are some examples of Psalms that declare or anticipate Joy? What songs do you sing that bring you joy?