



WEEK THREE

joy

And again Isaiah says, "The root of Jesse will come, even he who arises to rule the Gentiles; in him the Gentiles will hope." May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope.

ROMANS 15:12-13

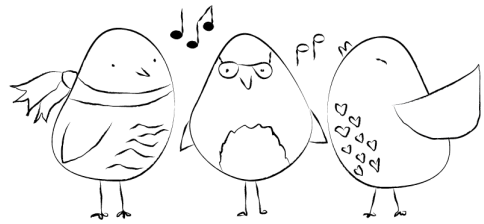
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# Joy to the World

Hark! The herald angels sing  
"Glory to the newborn King"  
Peace on earth and mercy mild  
God and sinners reconciled  
Joyful all ye nations rise  
Join the triumph of the skies  
With angelic host proclaim  
Christ is born in Bethlehem  
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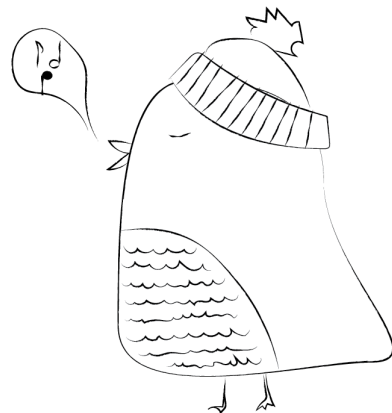
Mild He lays His glory by  
Born that man no more may die  
Born to raise the sons of Earth  
Born to give them second birth  
Veiled in flesh the Godhead see

Hail the incarnate deity  
Pleased as man with men to dwell  
Jesus, our Emmanuel  
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Hail the Heaven-born Prince of  
Peace

Hail the Sun of Righteousness  
Light and life to all He brings  
Risen with healing in His wings  
Christ, the highest heaven adore  
Christ, the everlasting Lord  
Come, Desire of Nations, come  
Fix in us Thy humble home  
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# Discuss

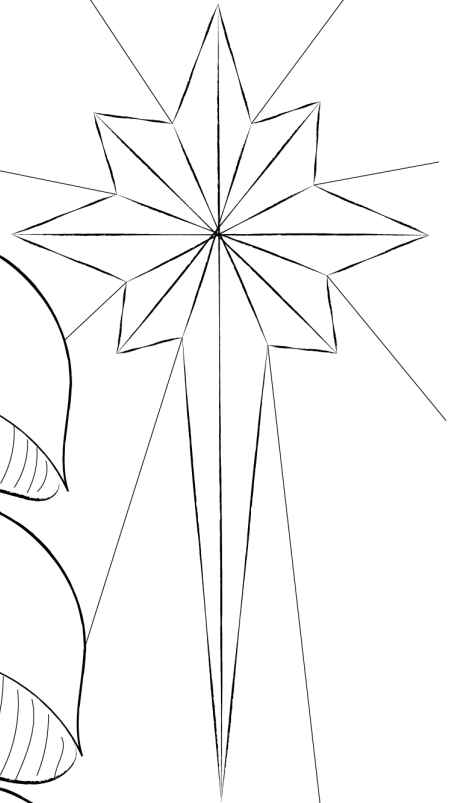
1. What are a few things that bring you joy?

2. Are joy and happiness the same or different? Why?

3. What do you think God wants us to find joy in?

4. How is joy a mark of a Christian?

5. Can we choose to be joyful? How will our lives look if we do?



What in this season brings you joy?

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