

THE LIGHT OF CHRISTMAS
8- Day Devotional Guide

Again, Jesus spoke to them saying, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life" (John 8:12, ESV).

DAY 1: Read Isaiah 9:1-7

Consider: In what ways can Jesus dispel the darkness in the world today?

Pray: *Ask God to shine His light in your heart and mind today.*

DAY 2: Read John 1:1-14

Consider: Based on this Scripture, why do you think Jesus is called the "light of the world?"

Pray: *Ask God to give you a greater understanding of who Jesus is.*

DAY 3: Read Luke 1:26-38

Consider: What difference would it make in your life to truly believe "nothing is impossible with God?"

Pray: *Tell God about all the things on your heart you've thought are "impossible."*

DAY 4 : Read Matthew 1:18-25 & Luke 2:1-7

Consider: In what ways did Mary & Joseph's obedience to God bring difficulty?

Pray: *Ask God to help you obey Him no matter the cost.*

DAY 5: Read Luke 2:8-21

Consider: Imagine this scene. How do you think Mary felt? Joseph? The shepherds?

Pray: *Tell God how you feel about God being born as a man for you.*

DAY 6: Read Matthew 2:1-12

Consider: Based on this example, what are some ways we can celebrate the birth of Jesus?

Pray: *Ask God to show you any ways you've left Jesus out of your Christmas.*

DAY 7: Read John 3:1-21

Consider: Why is Jesus the only source of eternal life? Have you received His gift?

Pray: *Thank God for your salvation in Jesus or receive it for the first time.*

DAY 8: Read Matthew 5:13-16 & Philippians 2:12-18

Consider: In what ways can Christians shine the light of Jesus in a dark world?

Pray: *Ask God to show you how you can shine your light for Him.*