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Prayer Letter of John Starke

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Merry Christmas!



It might not be politically correct but "**Merry Christmas**". I love that God became flesh and dwelt among us. I love that Jesus came as a baby and am amazed at all the reactions of those mentioned in the Bible. The Innkeeper was indifferent- he was busy ringing up the cash register because of the census. King Herod tried to destroy everything connected with the Christmas celebration. The shepherds were fearful even after a celestial revelation. The wise men were curious and came a great distance to find answers. Others like Simeon in the temple waited. Anna in the temple hoped. Then there were those who, like Mary and Joseph, worshiped the newborn King.

People haven't changed much since Bible times. Stop and think how you would have responded had you been on the streets of Bethlehem that night.

Thank you for your continuing prayers and support for me over the past year. I have had some trials with my car, trouble with heating my 22 year old trailer, and dealt with dips in my monthly support. Through it all God has been faithful. I am "confident of this, that he who began a good work in me will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus." (Philippians 1:6)

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