"The True Christmas Spirit" Selected Scriptures

- Luke 2:10-11 But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid; for behold, I bring you good news of great joy which will be for all the people; for today in the city of David there has been born for you a Savior, who is Christ the Lord.
- Gratitude—Thankfulness

Col. 2:7; Col. 3:15 2 Cor. 4:15

Giving

John 3:16; Mark 10:45

Reactions to the birth of Christ (Christmas)

Luke 1:41-43

Luke 1:67-69

Luke 2:13-14

Luke 2:20

Luke 2:25-32

Luke 2:36-38

Matt. 2:2

Worship

Brief definition—It's an attitude—It is a spirit. It is something on the inside. It is an attitude of the heart that is so filled with wonder and gratitude at what God has done that there is not a thought of personal needs or personal blessings, only total abandonment to God in praise and adoration; that's worship.

Luke 1:46-48a—The attitude of worship

Vs. 49—The object of worship

Vs. 48b, 50—55—The cause of worship