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The Christmas Season

Every year, it seems that retailers begin the Christmas season a little earlier. Evidently, they do it because they recognize it's what the consumers want, since we immediately begin to fill the stores, buying and shopping like no other time of the year.

Although the commercialization of Christmas is to be decried, there is something about Christmas that causes those of us in church to begin to look forward to that special day. It's almost as if we could not handle the power and importance of Christmas if we suddenly celebrated it without any preparation time leading up to it. The special music, the Christmas carols, and Christmas celebrations beforehand give us an opportunity to explore the meaning and significance, as well as to reflect on the special meaning it has for the world.

Non-Christians still marvel that we make so much of a baby's birth, but they don't realize that Jesus was no ordinary baby. That is why the time leading up to the celebration of His birth is so important to us. It is our Saviour who was born in a manger. The joy of salvation makes the Christmas season more than just days leading up to Christmas. These are days in which we can prepare our hearts and lives to come closer to God. These are days in which we can learn the meaning of giving because of God's wondrous gift of His son, Jesus.

So as we see all the commercials on television, read the ads, and hear the promotions on the radio, we can't forget the reason for the season: God's gift to us. And as we buy gifts for others, we need to remember that it is because of God's gift that we join in this annual tradition of the Christmas season.

Merry Christmas!

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