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"Savior"
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Jesus is the **Light** to the Nations.

The angel's message to the **shepherds** details the light of **Jesus**.

Luke 2:8-14

And there were shepherds living out in the fields nearby, keeping watch over their flocks at night. An angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified. But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid. I bring you good news that will cause great joy for all the people. Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is the Messiah, the Lord. This will be a sign to you: You will find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger."

Suddenly a great company of the heavenly host appeared with the angel, praising God and saying, "Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on earth peace to those on whom his favor rests."

The light of Jesus means:

- We do not need to be afraid.
- We can have great joy.
- We have been given a <u>Savior</u>.

1 John 4:14

And we have seen and testify that the Father has sent his Son to be the Savior of the world. Luke 19:10

"For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost."

The light of Jesus:

- Saves us from fear and despair.
- Saves us from <u>sin</u>.

1 Timothy 1:15

Here is a trustworthy saying that deserves full acceptance: Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners—of whom I am the worst.

Saves us from death.

John 3:16-17

"For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him."

The light of Jesus guides us to **eternal life**.

Acts 4:12

"Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to mankind by which we must be saved."

Jesus is the Light to the Nations - Be saved!