



THE VALUE OF CHRISTMAS GIFTS

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MICAH 5:2 NKJV – (2) “But you, Bethlehem Ephrathah, *though* you are little among the thousands of Judah, *yet* out of you shall come forth to Me. The One to be Ruler in Israel, whose goings forth *are* from of old, from everlasting.”

We understand the idea of valuing Christmas gifts differently. For example, if you participate in a “secret Santa” exchange at your workplace, there may be monetary limit imposed on the gifts-say, five dollars. But when it comes to buying a gift for your spouse or other important loved ones, you no doubt will spend more. Why? Because a loved one in your life is more valuable to you than a coworker. They are both important but in different ways. And the gifts you give to each will likely represent the difference in their value in your life.

Following what line of thought, who is the most valuable person in your life? If you are a Christian, it is Jesus Christ, your Lord and Savior. Therefore, when it comes to remembering Him at Christmas, perhaps we should consider giving Him the most valuable gifts we are able. I know we don’t give literal, material gifts to Jesus at Christmas. But the danger is not even considering the value He has in our life when it comes to remembering Him and worshiping Him as we celebrate His birth each year.

How can we express the value that Jesus represents in our life, a value greater than any other person to whom we may give a gift at Christmas? Think about it and then apply.

On behalf of **SOHLMEDITATIONS WEEKLY MINISTRIES**, “Wishing you joy, love, and peace in this holiday season.” **Merry Christmas.**

SCRIPTURE READING: **COLOSSIANS 1:17**

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK: O Holy night. A Savior is born.