

Christmas Shopping  
Luke 1:26-38  
Sunday Morning, December 10, 2017  
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**Longing, shopping, connecting (vv. 36-38)**

You must believe in a God who does the \_\_\_\_\_  
because only that God can give you the perfect \_\_\_\_\_.

**1. Unexpected \_\_\_\_\_ from God (verses 26-30)**

God comes to \_\_\_\_\_ places

God comes to \_\_\_\_\_ people

**2. Surprising \_\_\_\_\_ to humanity (verses 31-35)**

Who will rise to the \_\_\_\_\_ place

Because he descends to the \_\_\_\_\_ people

*Quiet heroism.* Matthew 1:19;  
Deuteronomy 22:23-24; cf.  
Luke 1:11, 18-20

*Gabriel.* Luke 1:11, 19, 36;  
Daniel 8:16; 9:21

*Nazareth.* John 1:45-46.

*Poverty.* Luke 2:22-24  
(cf. Leviticus 12:8)

*Humility.* Luke 1:46-55 (cf.  
Luke 1:43)

*King David's son.* 2 Samuel  
7:9, 11-16.

*Greater than John.* Luke 1:15

*Save from sin.* Matthew 1:21.

*God with us.* Matthew 1:23;  
Isaiah 7:14; Luke 2:11;  
John 1:29;  
Acts 4:8-12; 5:29-31

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