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Zechariah's Song

Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel: he came and set his people free. He set the power of salvation in the center of our lives. and in the very house of David his servant. Just as he promised long ago through the preaching of his holy prophets: Deliverance from our enemies and every hateful hand: Mercy to our fathers. as he remembers to do what he said he'd do. What he swore to our father Abraham a clean rescue from the enemy camp, So we can worship him without a care in the world. made holy before him as long as we live. And you, my child, "Prophet of the Highest," will go ahead of the Master to prepare his ways, Present the offer of salvation to his people, the forgiveness of their sins. Through the heartfelt mercies of our God, God's Sunrise will break in upon us. Shining on those in the darkness. those sitting in the shadow of death. Then showing us the way, one foot at a time, down the path of peace.

-The Message

Zechariah Sang

1. OF A NEAR GOD

Luke 1:68 (ESV)- Blessed be the Lord God of Israel, <u>for he has visited</u> and redeemed his people and has raised up a horn of salvation for us in the house of his servant David

2. OF A PRICE PAID

Luke 1:68-69 (ESV)- Blessed be the Lord God of Israel, for he has visited and <u>redeemed his people</u> and has raised up a horn of salvation <u>for us in the house of his servant David.</u>

3. Of a MIGHTY SAVIOR

Luke 1:68-69 (ESV)- Blessed be the Lord God of Israel, for he has visited and redeemed his people and <u>has raised up a horn of salvation for us in the house of his servant David.</u>

4. OF A NATIONAL PEACE

Luke 1:71 (ESV) that we <u>should be saved from our enemies</u> and from the hand of all who hate us;

5. OF A TRUSTWORTHY GOD

Luke 1:70,72-75 (ESV)- in the house of his servant David, as he spoke by the mouth of his holy prophets from of old... to show the mercy promised to our fathers and to remember his holy covenant, the oath that he swore to our father Abraham, to grant us that we, being delivered from the hand of our enemies, might serve him without fear, in holiness and righteousness before him all our days.

6. OF A GREAT PROPHET

Luke 1:76-77 (ESV)- And you, child, will be called the <u>prophet of the Most High</u>; for you will go before the Lord to prepare his ways to give knowledge of salvation to his people in the <u>forgiveness of their sins</u>,

7. OF A NEW DAY

Luke 1:78-79 (ESV)-because of the tender mercy of our God, whereby the sunrise shall visit us from on high to give light to those who sit in darkness and in the shadow of death, to guide our feet into the way of peace."

Here Is The Point: We have a lot to sing about this Christmas!