

## Christmas Supply Chain

### Week 3: Now Hiring

#### 1. Nativity Participants \_\_\_\_\_ the Word.

"At the sound of Mary's greeting, Elizabeth's child leaped within her, and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit.<sup>42</sup> Elizabeth gave a glad cry and exclaimed to Mary, "God has blessed you above all women, and your child is blessed."

Luke 1:41-42 (NLT)

"Mary responded, "Oh, how my soul praises the Lord.<sup>47</sup> How my spirit rejoices in God my Savior!"

Luke 1:46-47 (NLT)

"Praise the Lord, the God of Israel, because he has visited and redeemed his people.<sup>69</sup> He has sent us a mighty Savior from the royal line of his servant David,<sup>70</sup> just as he promised through his holy prophets long ago."

Luke 1:68-70 (NLT)

"They hurried to the village and found Mary and Joseph. And there was the baby, lying in the manger.<sup>17</sup> After seeing him, the shepherds told everyone what had happened and what the angel had said to them about this child."

Luke 2:16-17 (NLT)

"Jesus was born in Bethlehem in Judea, during the reign of King Herod. About that time some wise men from eastern lands arrived in Jerusalem, asking,<sup>2</sup> "Where is the newborn king of the Jews? We saw his star as it rose, and we have come to worship him."

Matthew 2:1-2 (NLT)

#### 2. We Can \_\_\_\_\_ Part of the Nativity Story.

##### A. God Comes \_\_\_\_\_.

"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.<sup>17</sup> For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him."

John 3:16-17 (NIV)

##### B. We Say \_\_\_\_\_.

"For it is by believing in your heart that you are made right with God, and it is by openly declaring your faith that you are saved.<sup>11</sup> As the Scriptures tell us, "Anyone who trusts in him will never be disgraced."<sup>13</sup> For "Everyone who calls on the name of the LORD will be saved."

Romans 10:10-11, 13 (NLT)

#### 3. We Share the \_\_\_\_\_.

##### A. The \_\_\_\_\_ is Defined.

"But how can they call on him to save them unless they believe in him? And how can they believe in him if they have never heard about him? And how can they hear about him unless someone tells them?<sup>15</sup> And how will anyone go and tell them without being sent? That is why the Scriptures say, "How beautiful are the feet of messengers who bring good news!"

Romans 10:14-15 (NLT)

##### B. Sharing is \_\_\_\_\_.

"But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you. And you will be my witnesses, telling people about me everywhere—in Jerusalem, throughout Judea, in Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

Acts 1:8 (NLT)

##### C. The \_\_\_\_\_ is Given.

"Therefore, go and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit."

Matthew 28:19 (NLT)

#### 4. \_\_\_\_\_ can I share?

"...Use your freedom to serve one another in love.<sup>14</sup> For the whole law can be summed up in this one command: "Love your neighbor as yourself."

Galatians 5:13b-14 (NLT)

##### A. \_\_\_\_\_ of Serving: \_\_\_\_\_.

##### B. \_\_\_\_\_ Serving: \_\_\_\_\_.

##### C. \_\_\_\_\_ Serving: \_\_\_\_\_.

##### D. \_\_\_\_\_ Serving: \_\_\_\_\_.

Who Needs to be Loved? \_\_\_\_\_

How Can I Love Them? \_\_\_\_\_

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