

"Coming Home to the Light"



Jeremiah 31:7-14,
John 1:1-9

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Coming home ...

- The PATH

→ Joy & Restoration



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This is what the Lord says: 'Sing with joy for Jacob; shout for the foremost of the nations. Make your praises heard,' and say, 'O Lord, save your people, the remnant of Israel.'

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*8 See, I will bring them
from the land of the
north and gather them
from the ends of the
earth. Among them will
be the blind and the
lame, expectant
mothers and women in
labor; a great throng
will return.*

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9 They will come with weeping; they will pray as I bring them back. I will lead them beside streams of water on a level path where they will not stumble, because I am Israel's father, and Ephraim is my firstborn son.

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10 "Hear the word of the Lord, O nations; proclaim it in distant coastlands: 'He who scattered Israel will gather them and will watch over his flock like a shepherd."

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*11 For the Lord will
ransom Jacob and
redeem them from the
hand of those stronger
than they.*

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12 They will come and shout for joy on the heights of Zion; they will rejoice in the Lord's bounty - the grain, the new wine and the oil, the young of the flocks and herds. They will be like a well-watered garden, and they will sorrow no more.

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*13 Then maidens will
dance and be glad,
young men and old as
well. I will turn their
mourning into gladness;
I will give them comfort
and joy instead of
sorrow.*

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*14 I will satisfy the
priests with abundance,
and my people will be
filled with my bounty,'
declares the Lord."*

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- The PATH
 - Joy & Restoration
- The PROMISE
 - Salvation & Hope
- The PLACE
 - Light & Warmth



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Christmas is about ...

Coming home
to Jesus!





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JESUS, LET US, COME TO, KNOW YOU;
LET US, SEE YOU, FACE TO FACE.
TOUCH US, HOLD US, USE US, MOLD
US, ONLY, LET US, LIVE IN YOU.

JESUS, DRAW US, EVER, NEARER;
HOLD US, IN YOUR, LOVING ARMS.
WRAP US, IN YOUR, GENTLE, PRESENCE,
AND WHEN WE, WANDER ... BRING US
HOME!