



The Ideas Behind Christmas: **FAITH**

Luke 1:26-38

Introduction: Even a quick look at the Christmas story reveals that God was asking for a lot more than just HOPE from the main characters!

Idea #3: Christmas demands that we take an ACTIVE role in bringing light to the world.

⇒ What does a life of FAITH demand from me?

- SURRENDER to God's Plan. (Luke 1:34-38)

- Take IMMEDIATE ACTION. (Matthew 1:18-24, 2:13-14, 19-21)

- Pay the PRICE of obedience. (Philippians 2:5-11)

Conclusion: Whether or not you become a person of faith depends completely on how you answer this question: "Will it be WORTH it to obey?"