

Strange Things Heard at Christmas

- Hark the Herald
- Round Yon Virgin
- · O Bring Us Some Figgy Pudding.
- What the Gladsome Tidings Be?

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¹ In those days a decree went out from Caesar Augustus that all the world should be registered. ² This was the first registration when Quirinius was governor of Syria. ³ And all went to be registered, each to his own town.

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⁴ And Joseph also went up from Galilee, from the town of Nazareth, to	
Judea, to the city of David, which is called Bethlehem, because he was of	
the house and lineage of David, ⁵ to be registered with Mary, his betrothed,	
who was with child.	·
⁶ And while they were there, the time	
came for her to give birth. ⁷ And she	
gave birth to her firstborn son and wrapped him in swaddling cloths	
and laid him in a manger, because there was no place for them in the inn.	
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8 And in the same region there were	

shepherds out in the field, keeping watch

over their flock by night. 9 And an angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the

glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were filled with great fear.

¹⁰ And the angel said to them, "Fear not, for behold, I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. ¹¹ For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord.	
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¹² And this will be a sign for you: you will find a baby wrapped in swaddling	
cloths and lying in a manger."	
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¹³ And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host	
praising God and saying, ¹⁴ "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace	
among those with whom he is pleased!"	

15 When the angels went away from	
them into heaven, the shepherds said	
to one another, "Let us go over to	
Bethlehem and see this thing that has	
happened, which the Lord has made	
known to us."	

¹⁶ And they went with haste and found Mary and Joseph, and the baby lying in a manger. ¹⁷ And when they saw it, they made known the saying that had been told them concerning this child.

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And all who heard it wondered at what the shepherds told them
But Mary treasured up all these things, pondering them in her heart.

²⁰ And the shepherds returned glorifying and praising God for all they had heard and seen, as it had been told them.

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JESUS' LORDSHIP IS ALL OVER THE CHRISTMAS STORY.

HOW DO WE SEE IT?

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LORD OVER THE POWERS

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LORD OVER THE PEACE

¹⁴ "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among those with whom he is pleased!"

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JESUS IS NOT JUST LORD AT CHRISTMAS.

HE'S LORD OF ALL.

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