

ICONS OF Christmas

"... the people dwelling in darkness have seen a great ______, and for those dwelling in the region and shadow of death, on them a light has dawned." Matthew 4:16

I AM THE Light OF THE WORLD

Again Jesus spoke to them, saying, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life." John 8:12

Why would Jesus speak about being "the light of the world" at this point in the story?

"In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God... In him was life, and the life was the light of men. The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it." John 1:1-5

Why would the Light of the World choose to be born in a stable?

Something to think about:

"The true light, which gives light to everyone, was coming into the world."

John 1:9

The Light is _____.

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