

# Christmas To Do-ers List, Day 1: Believe Him



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*"Blessed is she who believed, for there will be a fulfillment of those things which were told her from the Lord." Luke 1:45*

## Blessed is she who believes.

It was an ordinary day for Mary, one like any other. Chores to accomplish, tasks to finish, water to fetch, meals to cook and a wedding to plan. But, God interrupted the ordinary and asked Mary to do something extraordinary ... *believe* Him. We might scoff and think how hard is that? Anyone can *believe* God.

But do we?

Do we *believe* God for anything beyond salvation?

## Believe Him.

When Mary chose to *believe* God, it changed everything, her past, her present and certainly her future. Mary's choice to *believe* God was a true test of faith. In order to accept God's plan for her life, Mary needed two miracles. One miracle to start a life (she knew not a man), and another miracle to save a life – hers. Despite the seemingly impossible circumstances, Mary *believed* Him.

## To believe or not to believe.



God, in His infinite wisdom, does not force us to act. The choice is ours—we can *believe* or not. But for some reason, God will not implement certain actions unless we choose to *believe* Him.

## Believe like Mary.

Live Mary, *believing* God changes everything about our past, present and future. What do you need to *believe* God for today? Your marriage ... your health ... a job ... a child ... forgiveness? Because of the cradle and the cross, you can *believe*.

What if you live today as is if you believe what God says? What if you live today as one truly forgiven? What if you dare to live as a person who is called by God? What would it look

like to *believe* Him today? What actions would you take? What words would you say? What decisions would you make?

## Action Points:

1. What has God said that you need to *believe*? Choose something from the list below.

- a. You are beautiful.
- b. You are chosen.
- c. You are gifted.
- d. You are loved.
- e. You are forgiven.
- f. You have purpose.
- g. \_\_\_\_\_ (other).

Today, choose to *believe* God over the wisdom of the world, the advice of friends, the counsel of your own heart and the lies of the enemy.

**What are you believing God for today? Please record your goal in the Comment section below.**

Believe Him.

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