

## HOPE HAS A NAME

Luke 1:26-38

**Big Idea:** *True hope resides in Christ, who passionately seeks to liberate you from the clutches of fear.*

<sup>26</sup> “Now in the sixth month the angel Gabriel was sent from God to a city in Galilee called Nazareth, <sup>27</sup> to a virgin engaged to a man whose name was Joseph, of the descendants of David; and the virgin’s name was Mary.<sup>28</sup> And coming in, he said to her, ‘Greetings, favored one! The Lord is with you.’ <sup>29</sup> But she was very perplexed at this statement, and kept pondering what kind of salutation this was. <sup>30</sup> The angel said to her, ‘Do not be afraid, Mary; for you have found favor with God. <sup>31</sup> And behold, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you shall name Him Jesus.<sup>32</sup> He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High; and the Lord God will give Him the throne of His father David; <sup>33</sup> and He will reign over the house of Jacob forever, and His kingdom will have no end.’ <sup>34</sup> Mary said to the angel, ‘How can this be, since I am a virgin?’ <sup>35</sup> The angel answered and said to her, ‘The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you; and for that reason the holy Child shall be called the Son of God. <sup>36</sup> And behold, even your relative Elizabeth has also conceived a son in her old age; and she who was called barren is now in her sixth month. <sup>37</sup> For nothing will be impossible with God.’ <sup>38</sup> And Mary said, ‘Behold, the bondservant of the Lord; may it be done to me according to your word.’ And the angel departed from her.”

### 1. True hope is \_\_\_\_\_ .

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Luke 1:47 “And my spirit has rejoiced in God my Savior.”

Titus 3:4-7 “But when the kindness of God our Savior and His love for mankind appeared, <sup>5</sup> He saved us, not on the basis of deeds which we have done in righteousness, but according to His mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewing by the Holy Spirit, <sup>6</sup> whom He poured out upon us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, <sup>7</sup> so that being justified by His grace we would be made heirs according to the hope of eternal life.”

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Exodus 14:13-14 “But Moses said to the people, ‘Do not fear! Stand by and see the salvation of the Lord which He will accomplish for you today; for the Egyptians whom you have seen today, you will never see them again forever. <sup>14</sup> The Lord will fight for you while you keep silent.’”

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