

A night landscape featuring rolling hills in the foreground, illuminated by a soft, warm light. The sky is a deep, dark blue, filled with numerous stars. A prominent, bright star with a four-pointed diffraction pattern is located in the upper left quadrant. The overall mood is serene and contemplative.

The Journey...



Matthew 1:18-25

¹⁸ Now the birth of Jesus Christ took place in this way. When his mother Mary had been betrothed to Joseph, before they came together she was found to be with child from the Holy Spirit. ¹⁹ And her husband Joseph, being a just man and unwilling to put her to shame, resolved to divorce her quietly.

²⁰ But as he considered these things, behold, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream, saying, “Joseph, son of David, do not fear to take Mary as your wife, for that which is conceived in her

Matthew 1:18-25

is from the Holy Spirit. ²¹ She will bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins.” ²² All this took place to fulfill what the Lord had spoken by the prophet:

²³ “Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and they shall call his name Immanuel” (which means, God with us).

A night sky with a star and a landscape. The sky is dark blue with many small stars. A bright star in the upper left has a white crosshair. The lower part of the image shows a landscape of rolling hills or mountains under a twilight sky.

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“Mystery” - Selah

**Mystery, how He came to be a man,
but greater still,
How His death was in His plan.**

**God predestined that His Son would die,
and still He created man.**

**Oh, what love is this,
that His death was in His hands.**

A night sky with a star and a landscape with hills. The sky is dark blue with many small stars. A bright star in the upper left has a white crosshair. The landscape below is dark brown and hilly, with a prominent peak in the center. The text "The Journey..." is written in white cursive in the upper right.

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Philippians 2:6-8

- 6 Who, being in very nature God,
did not consider equality with God something
to be used to his own advantage;**
- 7 rather, he made himself nothing
by taking the very nature of a servant,
being made in human likeness.**
- 8 And being found in appearance as a man,
he humbled himself
by becoming obedient to death—
even death on a cross!**

Leviticus 17:11

¹¹ For the life of a creature is in the blood, and I have given it to you to make atonement for yourselves on the altar; it is the blood that makes atonement for one's life.





A night sky with a star and a desert landscape. The sky is dark blue with many small stars. A bright star in the upper left has a white crosshair. The foreground shows rolling hills in a desert landscape, illuminated by a warm, orange light from the horizon.

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