



God Saves Sinners on Christmas!

Matthew 1:18-25

Well known

Christmas story characters . . .

Shear-jashub

Maher-shalal-hash-baz

Immanuel

'God with us' shows up in your life
in real and measurable ways.

1. God is with us in the trustworthiness of his
words. 7:1-17

Shear-Jashub - 'a remnant will return'

Faith is always directly connected to God's promises.

Trusting God typically appears weak and foolish.
Not trusting God can be made to appear as being
spiritual rather than foolish.

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Trustworthy

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in real and measurable ways.

2. God is with us in the consequences of our
self sufficiency. I 8:1-10

Maher-shalal-hash-baz

'speeding to the spoil, hurrying to the plunder.'

God provides opportunity to trust him when:

your fears are exposed as groundless.

your dissatisfaction and despair is exposed.

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3. God is with us in the perfections of his Son .
I 9:1-7

Immanuel

God with us

God saves and transforms our lives
by entering into our lives.

God releases us from our burden
by taking the burden on himself.

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