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God Is With Us! Confidence in Christ

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God Is With Us! God was with us from the beginning

Matthew 1:18-25 The Message (MSG)

18-19 The birth of Jesus took place like this. His mother, Mary, was engaged to be married to Joseph. Before they came to the marriage bed, Joseph discovered she was pregnant. (It was by the Holy Spirit, but he didn't know that.) Joseph, chagrined but noble, determined to take care of things quietly so Mary would not be disgraced. 20-23 While he was trying to figure a way out, he had a dream. God's angel spoke in the dream: "Joseph, son of David, don't hesitate to get married. Mary's pregnancy is Spirit-conceived. God's Holy Spirit has made her pregnant. She will bring a son to birth, and when she does, you, Joseph, will name him Jesus—'God saves'—because he will save his people from their sins." This would bring the prophet's embryonic sermon to full term: Watch for this—a virgin will get pregnant and bear a son; They will name him **Immanuel** (Hebrew for "**God is with us**"). 24-25 Then Joseph woke up. He did exactly what God's angel commanded in the dream: He married Mary. But he did not consummate the marriage until she had the baby. He named the baby Jesus.

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Psalms 139:13-14 Living Bible (TLB)

13 You made all the delicate, inner parts of my body and knit them together in my mother's womb.
14 Thank you for making me so wonderfully complex! It is amazing to think about. Your workmanship is marvelous—and how well I know it.

Jeremiah 1:5 Amplified Bible (AMP)

"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you [and approved of you as My chosen instrument], And before you were born I consecrated you [to Myself as My own]; I have appointed you as a prophet to the nations."

The truth is...Jesus was born so we could be united with God again

John 3:16-18 The Message (MSG)

16-18 "This is how much God loved the world: **He gave his Son, his one and only Son. And this**

is why: so that no one need be destroyed; by believing in him, anyone can have a whole and lasting life. God didn't go to all the trouble of sending his Son merely to point an accusing finger, telling the world how bad it was. He came to help, to put the world right again. Anyone who trusts in him is acquitted; anyone who refuses to trust him has long since been under the death sentence without knowing it. And why? Because of that person's failure to believe in the one-of-a-kind Son of God when introduced to him.

God made a way!

1 Corinthians 3:16 New King James Version (NKJV)

Do you not know that you are the temple of God and that the Spirit of God dwells in you?

1 Corinthians 3:16 Amplified Bible (AMP)

Do you not know and understand that you [the church] are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwells [permanently] in you [collectively and individually]?

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Hebrews 13:5-6 New Life Version (NLV)

5 Keep your lives free from the love of money. Be happy with what you have. **God has said, "I will never leave you or let you be alone."** 6 So we can say for sure, "The Lord is my Helper. I am not afraid of anything man can do to me."

Matthew 28:20 Amplified Bible (AMP)

teaching them to observe everything that I have commanded you; and lo, **I am with you always [remaining with you perpetually—regardless of circumstance, and on every occasion], even to the end of the age."**

Romans 8:31-39 The Message (MSG)

31-39 So, what do you think? With God on our side like this, how can we lose? If God didn't hesitate to put everything on the line for us, embracing our condition and exposing himself to the worst by sending his own Son, is there anything else he wouldn't gladly and freely do for us? And who would dare tangle with God by messing with one of God's chosen? Who would dare even to point a finger? The One who died for us—who was raised to life for us!—is in the presence of God at this very moment sticking up for us. Do you think anyone is going to be able to drive a wedge between us and Christ's love for us? There is no way! Not trouble, not hard times, not hatred, not hunger, not homelessness, not bullying threats, not backstabbing, not even the worst sins listed in Scripture: They kill us in cold blood because they hate you. We're sitting ducks; they pick us off one by one. None of this fazes us because Jesus loves us. **I'm absolutely convinced** that nothing—nothing living or dead, angelic or demonic, today or tomorrow, high or low, thinkable or unthinkable—**absolutely nothing can get between us and God's love** because of the way that Jesus our Master has embraced us.