

# The Meaning of Christmas

## John 1:1-18

Advent \_\_\_\_\_

The meaning tends to be  
obscured by \_\_\_\_\_

“You have a fine way of rejecting the  
commandment of God in order to establish  
your tradition.” Mk.7:9

To understand the meaning of Christmas we  
must look closely at  
The Incarnation.

In the beginning –  
God interacted with perfect man  
The \_\_\_\_\_ was with God  
The \_\_\_\_\_ was God Jn.1:1

In the Incarnation--  
the Word became \_\_\_\_\_ and  
dwelt among us Jn.1:14  
\_\_\_\_\_ Himself...” Phil.2:6,7  
\_\_\_\_\_ with sinful mankind  
“Son of Perez...” Lk.3:33

Insight into the Incarnation

"We have seen His \_\_\_\_\_" Jn.1:14

"He has made Him \_\_\_\_\_" Jn.1:18

Application:

- When you think about Christmas what is normally your focus?
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- How does the incarnation affect your understanding of God?
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- What thoughts and feelings impact you as you consider that Jesus limited Himself by taking on flesh?