## CHRISTMAS FRIEND FOREVER

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JESUS READING one PROPHECY of HIMSELF in the Temple as He began His ministry:

"The Spirit of the Lord GOD is upon Me, Because the LORD has anointed Me To preach good tidings to the poor; He has sent Me to heal the **brokenhearted** ... " [Isaiah 61:1]

"Sing and rejoice,... I am coming and I will dwell in your midst," says the LORD. (Zechariah 2:10).... "And the Word became flesh and DWELT among us, and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth." (John 1:14) ... The Hebrew word used for "Dwell" in the prophecy of YHWH thru Zechariah 2:10 is....to TABERNACLE.

GOD thru Jeremiah 31: 33, "But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the LORD: I will put My law in their minds, and write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be My people."

## VERSE 1

I thought I had it all together --- whatever "It" may be. I thought I had found "Christmas Peace" to last me through next Year. I thought I finally understood what would make me happy.

Then my "Christmas World" fell apart ...... Whatever happened to my happy Heart? (God help me!) Yet I WILL trust my Christmas Friend Jesus -- forever!

## VERSE 2

I choose to keep my faith in Jesus --- despite my sad feelings.

Jesus the Christmas baby STILL came to bring true Peace to me. I've come to finally understand feelings come back and forth. But through God's Son Jesus, our Worlds CAN'T fall apart. Whatever happens in your life, God answers prayers from all who Honor their Savior Friend, Jesus! See John 14.

## VERSE 3

I choose to ignore all my <u>feelings</u> that "tell" me "God has lied".

Jesus the Christmas baby grew up to suffer for each of us: To
write God's Laws on our hearts so we yearn to obey Him -- with LOVE. What a
JOY! Through Jesus, our Worlds CAN'T fall apart ---because He is our Friend **when** we Honor Him.

Jesus is our True Christmas Friend FOREVER --- if we ask: See John 15.

INTERLUDE (=Hymn Vs 2) Good Christian men rejoice, With heart and soul and voice.

Now ye hear of endless bliss: JOY! JOY! Jesus Christ was born for this!

He has opened heaven's door, and man is blessed forevermore.

Christ was born for this...... (=Hymn Vs 3) Christ was born to Save >> YOU!

Jesus: John 14:1, "Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in Me.
...14 -16 If ye shall ask any thing in my name, I will do [it]. .. If ye love me, keep my
commandments. And I will pray the Father, & He shall give you another Comforter, that He may abide with you for ever." Jesus: John 15:10, "If you keep My commandments, you will abide in My love, just as I HAVE KEPT My Father's commandments...

You are My friends if you do whatever I command you... 15 FRIENDS... Forever......