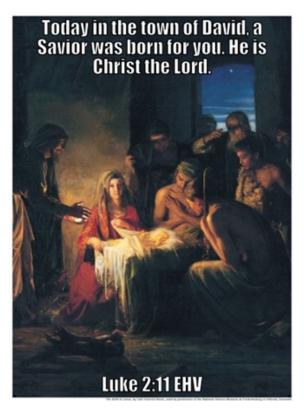


The Wartburg Project is a group of WELS and ELS pastors, professors, teachers, and laypeople who are working together to produce a new translation of the Bible called the *Evangelical Heritage Version*® or *EHV*®.

Grass withers, flowers fade, but the Word of our God endures forever. Translators come, translations go, but the Word of our God endures forever.

Happy Holidays!

Happy Holidays! The trio of holidays we are celebrating in the next month consists of Christmas, Jesus' Name Day on January 1, and Epiphany on January 6. Christmas tells us how he came into the world. The giving of his name Jesus on the day of his circumcision shows that his work is to be the Savior and that he came to keep the whole law for us. Epiphany shows us that he came for the whole world, for all the children of Shem, Ham, and Japheth.



Galatians 4:4-5 But when the set time had fully come, God sent his Son to be born of a woman, so that he would be born under the law, ⁵in order to redeem those under the law, so that we would be adopted as sons.

Acts 4:12 There is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to people by which we must be saved.

Psalm 72:15, 17

May the King live!
May gold from Sheba be offered to him.
May people always pray for him.
May they bless him all day long.

¹⁷May his name endure forever.
May his name flourish as long as the sun.
They will be blessed through him.
All nations will call him blessed.

Because the January report will have the nature of an annual report that looks back over 2017 and ahead to 2018 we will hold the regular news until then. As studies for the month we will go back to some studies that apply to the season.

Christmas Studies

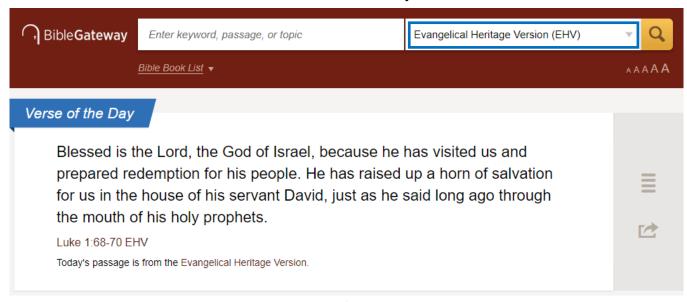
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- 1. The Christmas Story in Five Versions 💋
- 2. FAQ 4: "The star rising" 🕜
- 3. FAQ 9: "Christ or Messiah?"
- 4. FAQ 14: "Manger, Swaddling Cloths, and Inn"
- 5. EHV Christmas Story in Song 🕜

Christmas Is Coming

Because of strong offerings, we are in good financial shape for the end of the year. If you were thinking of a Christmas or end-of-the year offering to WP, you might instead wish to give gift copies of the EHV to family, friends, or called workers. It is the perfect stocking stuffer.

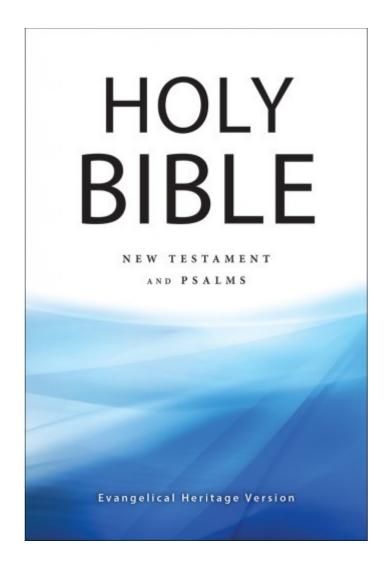
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Sign up on the "Contact" page to receive free e-reports. Like us on Facebook to receive the latest updates posted there. (The purpose of our Facebook posting is not debate, but we've been able to share information with many people very quickly that way (sometimes close to 14,000)).

We continue to be a "purely positive" effort, avoiding debates and controversy. We are just quietly trying our best to translate the Bible "to spread its light from age to age." So far, so good! God has richly blessed us. To God be the glory and praise for all of his blessings!

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