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December 1:

When my heart is overwhelmed, lead me to the rock that is higher than I.

Psalm 51:2

December 2:

The name of the Lord is a strong tower; the righteous runneth into it, and is safe.

Proverbs 18:10

December 3:

I stretch forth my hands unto thee: my soul thirsteth after thee, as a thirsty land.

Psalm 143:6

December 4:

I will pour water upon him that is thirsty, and floods upon the dry ground; I will pour my Spirit upon thy seed, and my blessing upon thine offspring.

Isaiah 44:3

December 5:

Deliver me from mine enemies, O my God.

Psalm 59:1

December 6:

I am with thee to deliver thee, said the Lord.

Jeremiah 1:8

December 7:

Turn thee unto me, and have mercy upon me; for I am desolate and afflicted.

Psalm 25:16

December 8:

Behold, I am for you, and I will turn unto you.

Ezekiel 36:9

December 9:

With thy blessings let the house of thy servant be blessed.

2 Samuel 7:29

December 10:

I will command my blessings upon you.

Leviticus 25:21

December 11:

Look thou upon me, and be merciful unto me, as thou usest to do unto those that love thy name.

Psalm 119:132

December 12:

Thus said the Lord, to this man will I look even to him that is poor and of a contrite spirit, and trembleth at my word.

Psalm 66:2

December 13:

Lord, thou knowest all things; thou knowest that I love thee.

John 21:17

December 14:

He that loveth me shall be loved of my father, and I will love him, and will manifest myself to him.

John 14:21

December 15:

Lord, increase our faith.

Luke 17:5

December 16:

Believe in the Lord your God, so shall ye be established; believe his prophets, so shall ye prosper.

2 Chronicles 20:20

December 17:

God be merciful unto us, and bless us: and cause his face to shine upon us.

Psalm 67:1

December 18:

The Lord shall arise upon thee, and his glory shall be seen upon thee.

Isaiah 60:2

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December 19:

Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace.

Luke 2:29

December 20:

The righteous is taken away from the evil to come, He shall enter into peace.

Isaiah 57: 1,2

December 21:

Lord, teach to pray.

Luke 11:1

December 22:

I will pour upon the house of David, and upon the inhabitants of Jerusalem, the spirit of grace and of supplications.

Zechariah 12:10

December 23:

Give thy servant an understanding heart.

I Kings 3:9

December 24:

An angel of the Lord stood before them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them.

Luke 2:9

December 25:

And she brought forth her firstborn son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.

Luke 2:7

December 26:

But Mary kept all these things, and pondered them in her heart.

Luke 2:19

December 27:

Be doers of the Word, and not hearers only.

James 1:22

December 28:

Humble yourselves under the mighty hands of God, that He may exalt you in due time.

1 Peter 5:6

December 29:

He who has mercy on the poor, happy is he.

Proverbs. 14:21

December 30:

This Book of Law shall not depart from your mouth, but you shall meditate in it day and night....Then you will have good success.

Joshua 1:8

December 31:

A land which the Lord thy God careth for: the eyes of the Lord thy God are always upon it, from the beginning of theyear unto theend of the year.

Deuteronomy 11:12

The Meaning of the Candy Cane

Many years ago a candy maker wanted to make a candy that would symbolize the True Meaning of

Christmas – Jesus.

The hard candy was shaped like a "J" to represent that Jesus is Our Rock of all ages. The candy was made of white to stand for the pureness of Jesus. The Red represents the Blood that Jesus shed to save us from our sins.

So next time you see a candy cane, take a minute to remember the real meaning of **Christmas.**