



## The Meaning of Christmas

For Christ is born!  
And Paradise has been opened.  
Christ is born!  
And the angels sing  
Glory to God in the highest  
On earth, peace and goodwill to all.  
Christ is born!  
And God has become our Emanuel.  
He is with us.  
Christ is born!  
And courage became the mark of the Shepherds.  
Christ is born!  
And the Wise Men sought Him first.  
Christ is born!  
And our Holy Church became a living Manger.  
Christ is born!  
And for those who walked in darkness  
It is now possible to walk in light.  
Christ is born!  
And redemption and forgiveness  
Is available to all those who seek Him.  
Christ is born!  
And we are able to touch the Father of Mercy  
And behold the Prince of Peace.  
Christ is born!  
And we are saved through Him.  
Christ is born!  
And to those who receive Him  
He gives them the right to become children of God.  
Christ is born!  
And truth and grace have come to life.  
Christ is born!  
And the Resurrection of our loved ones  
Is one of our greatest assurances.