

**“FOR TO US A CHILD IS BORN,  
TO US A SON IS GIVEN....”**

**ISAIAH 9:6**



***All of the men pictured above found themselves in a pretty bleak spot recently. They were lost and their lives were broken. If there was one word to describe their condition, it would be ‘darkness.’ 732 years prior to the birth of Christ, a prophet by the name of Isaiah spoke to the Israelites as they were living in a place of gloom, despair, and darkness as well.***

***Isaiah 9:1-6 says: “Nevertheless, there will be no more gloom for those who were in distress...The people walking in darkness have seen a great light: on those living in the land of deep darkness a light has dawned... For to us a child is born, to us a son is given...”***

***This is cause for us to celebrate. May all of you have a blessed Christmas as your heart and mind focus on a baby boy, who is the King. He is the only One who can bring light where there is darkness, joy where there is sadness, and victory where there is defeat. He is the answer for every man, woman, and child – Immanuel – “God with us.”***