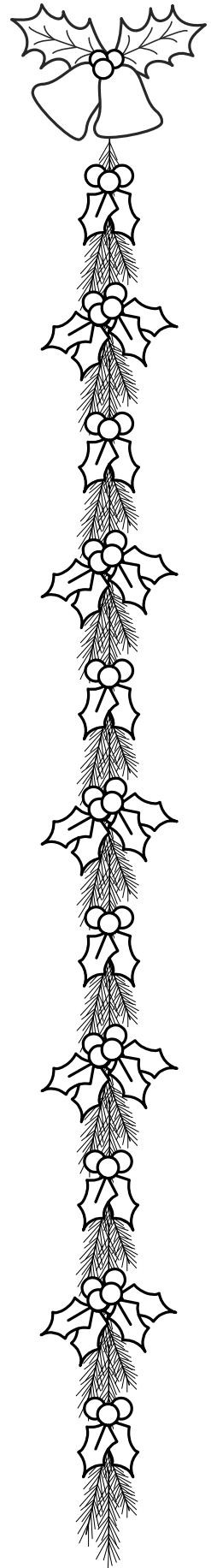


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# INTRODUCTION



CHRISTMAS IS one of the best times of the year. A time when families and friends gather. A time when people remember hope being born in a manger. But lately the world has attempted to change Christmas. Materialism has become the theme over the message of Jesus. *Christmas Eve Stories* seeks to capture the wonder of Christmas time and direct people back to the amazing truth that God has worked and is still working in our world.

*Christmas Eve Stories* combines story with music to bring the reader/hearer closer to the heart of God at Christmas time. Many Christmas books for children are focused on Santa and elves. This book provides families with fun, exciting, and touching fiction stories to rediscover the joy and wonder of the real reason for Christmas—Jesus. The stories are fiction but they tackle real life situations and share spiritual truths. Parents can read the stories with their children while listening to the listed Christmas songs that help tell the story.

*Christmas Eve Stories* can also be used by pastors and churches. The author has presented these stories at Christmas time at church services using musicians to perform the songs live in between the reading. The result has been unique worship experiences that church members have loved.

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