

A SONG OF EXALTATION

INTRODUCTION

- Mary's song is called the Magnificat which means to magnify or exalt.

OVERTURE OF BLESSING

- Any encounter of Jesus, of knowing him as Lord and Savior brings f____ in your heart.
- By the power of the Holy Spirit comes faith in Christ Jesus.

FIRST STANZA – GLORIFY AND REJOICE

- To exalt means to glo____, or to give pr_____ to the LORD. Psalm 69:30; 103
- Mary exalts the LORD for what H__ has done. The LORD shows favor on the hu_____.
- Because of what G__ has done, all generations will call Mary blessed.
- The focus of the song is n____ how great Mary is, but how great the L_____ is.

SECOND STANZA – MIGHTY, HOLY & MERCIFUL

- How is God Mighty? _____
- How is God Holy? _____
- How is God Merciful? _____
- The story of Christmas is a story of mer_____ and gr_____.

THIRD STANZA – THE WORK OF GOD

- God uses his power to hum_____ the proud and to ra_____ the humble.
 - P_____ goes before destruction, and a haughty spirit before a f____. Pro 16:18
 - What are some of the good things in which God has filled the hungry? _____
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FOURTH STANZA – ETERNAL PROMISE OF GOD

- This stanza speaks the etern_____ pro_____
- The promises of God are made complete in J_____. (see Revelation 5:12-13)
- My soul mag_____ the Lord. In His mer_____ he brings the promise of eternal life!

HEAR & APPLY THE WORD

- Think upon the blessings that God has given you, the favor that He has showed you in Jesus.
- Ponder anew His Might, Holiness, and Mercy.
- Hunger to be filled by the good things of God.
- Be comforted by His promise of eternal life for you in Christ Jesus

Then, sing! Let your soul magnify the LORD.

