



The Stories of
CHRISTMAS

Allowing My Story to Speak

Luke 1:11-20; 23-25





Story ...

**A series of related
past events; a
narrative.**



1. We let our losses *drown* out our hope in God.



**... For he makes
his sun rise on the
evil and on the
good, and sends
rain on the just
and on the unjust.
(Matt. 5:45 ESV)**



2. We were going through the motions of religion; and, lost sight of knowing God.



I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing. (Jn. 15:5)



3. We abandoned our belief in the unseen promises and purposes of a loving God.



4. We were reminded that even delays bring blessings from our loving Father.



NEXT STEPS.

- 1. What is your “story”?
When did you last tell
your story to help
someone come to
Jesus?**
- 2. Ask God to send you
someone this season.**