

Advent

Yakhal: Hope

The Christmas Movie



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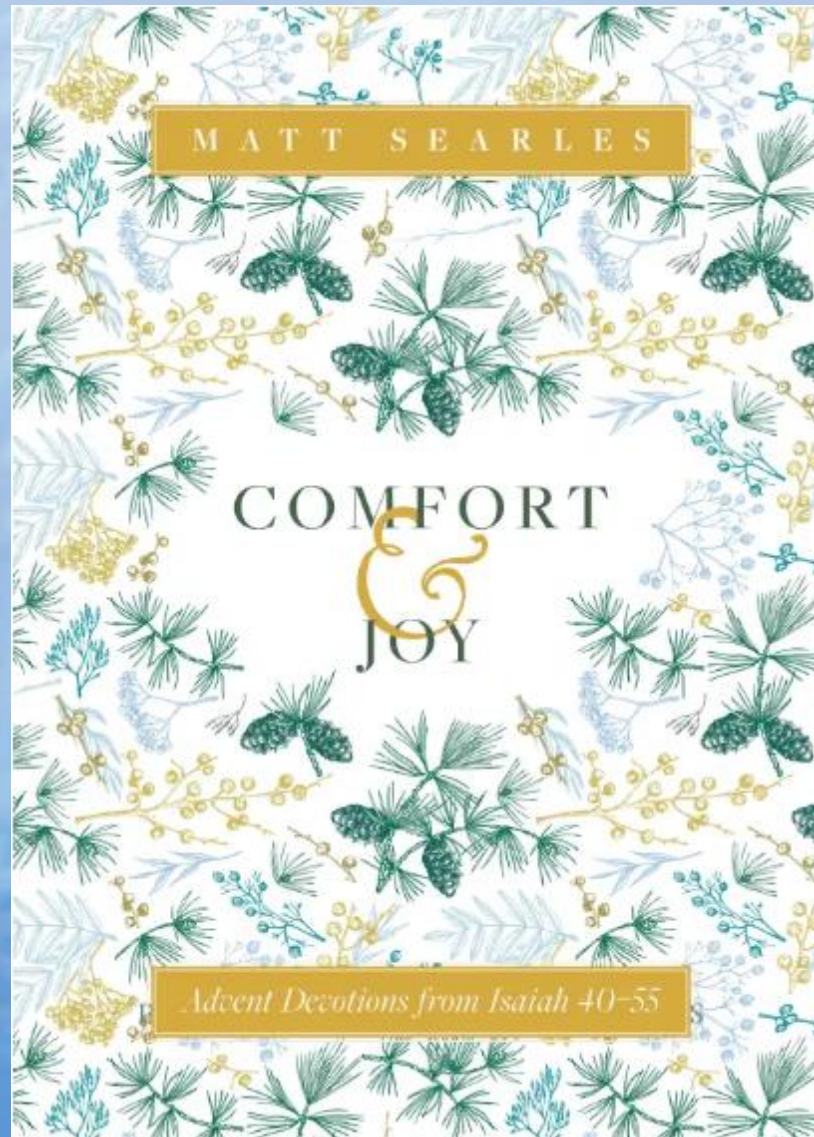


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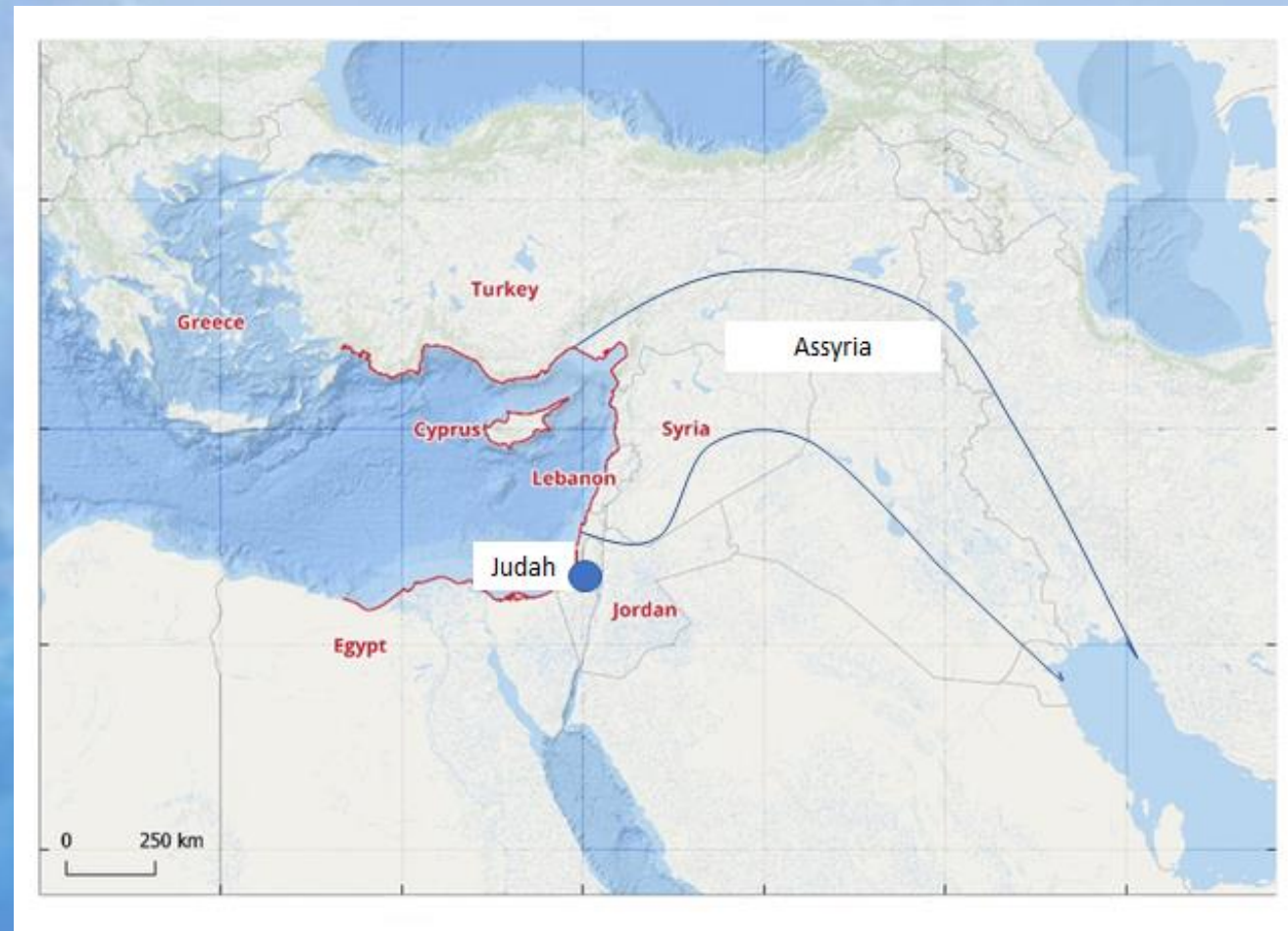
“For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given,
and the government shall be on his shoulder;
And his name shall be called Wonderful, Counselor.
The Mighty God, the Everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace.”

Isaiah 9:6

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Geography in Isaiah's time



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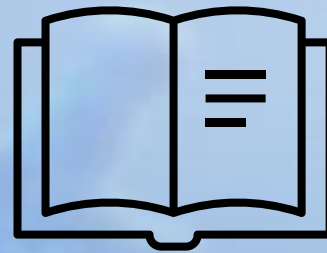
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If you ... know how to give good gifts to your children,
how much more will your Father in heaven give good
gifts to those who ask him!

Matthew 7:11

Isaiah 40 27-31



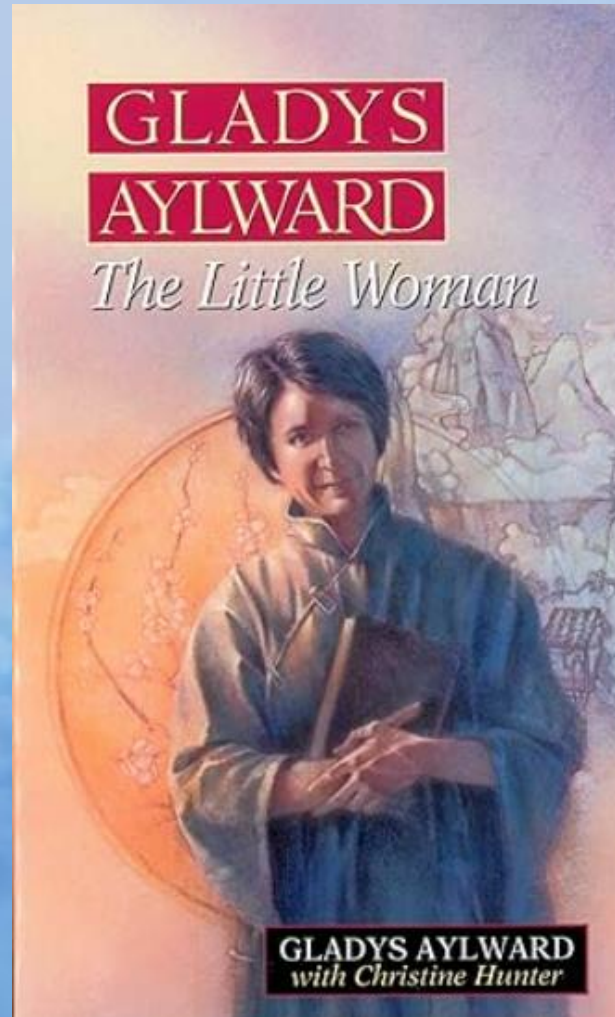
God's Credentials (from verses 28-29)

- Everlasting
- Creator of the earth
- He is tireless
- Wise beyond measure
- A giving God

Qavah



Receiving strength and power



Receiving

But those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength.
They will soar on wings like eagles;
they will run and not grow weary,
they will walk and not be faint.

Isaiah 40:31



Receiving

“Those whose hope is in the Lord will renew their strength.”

What a beautiful promise for weak and weary believers. Not a look within to our own resources but hope in Him!... The Christian life is not a trudge to the finish line.

The reality is that we are carried by the Lord as on eagles' wings, not because we are strong, but because of who God is. He is the everlasting God, who carries us on eagles wings.

Matt Searles

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