



# The King Has Come

## Christmas Eve Candlelight Family Service

Senior Teaching Pastor Jim Supp - Reston Bible Church - Sunday, December 24th, 2023







**And Mary said, “Behold, I am the servant of the Lord; let it be to me according to your word.”**

*Luke 1:38 ESV*





But you, O Bethlehem Ephrathah, who are too little to be among the clans of Judah, from you shall come forth for me one who is to be **ruler** in Israel, whose coming forth is from of old, from ancient days.

*Micah 5:2 ESV*

**Ruler**



And the angel said to them, “Fear not, for behold, I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a **Savior**, who is Christ the Lord.

**And this will be a sign for you: you will find a baby wrapped in swaddling cloths and lying in a manger.” And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying, “Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among those with whom he is pleased!”**

*Luke 2:10-14 ESV*

**Savior**



**Savior - one who rescues another  
from Danger**



**Now there was a man in Jerusalem, whose name was Simeon, and this man was righteous and devout, waiting for the consolation of Israel, and the Holy Spirit was upon him. And it had been revealed to him by the Holy Spirit that he would not see death before he had seen the Lord's Christ. And he came in the Spirit into the temple, and when the parents brought in the child Jesus, to do for him according to the custom of the Law,**

he took him up in his arms and blessed God and said, “Lord, now you are letting your servant depart in peace, according to your word; for my eyes have seen your **salvation** that you have prepared in the presence of all peoples, a light for revelation to the Gentiles, and for glory to your people Israel.”

*Luke 2:25-32 ESV*

**Salvation**



**Salvation** - An Instrument that produces a state of being preserved from danger of judgment.

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*Matthew 2:1-2 ESV*



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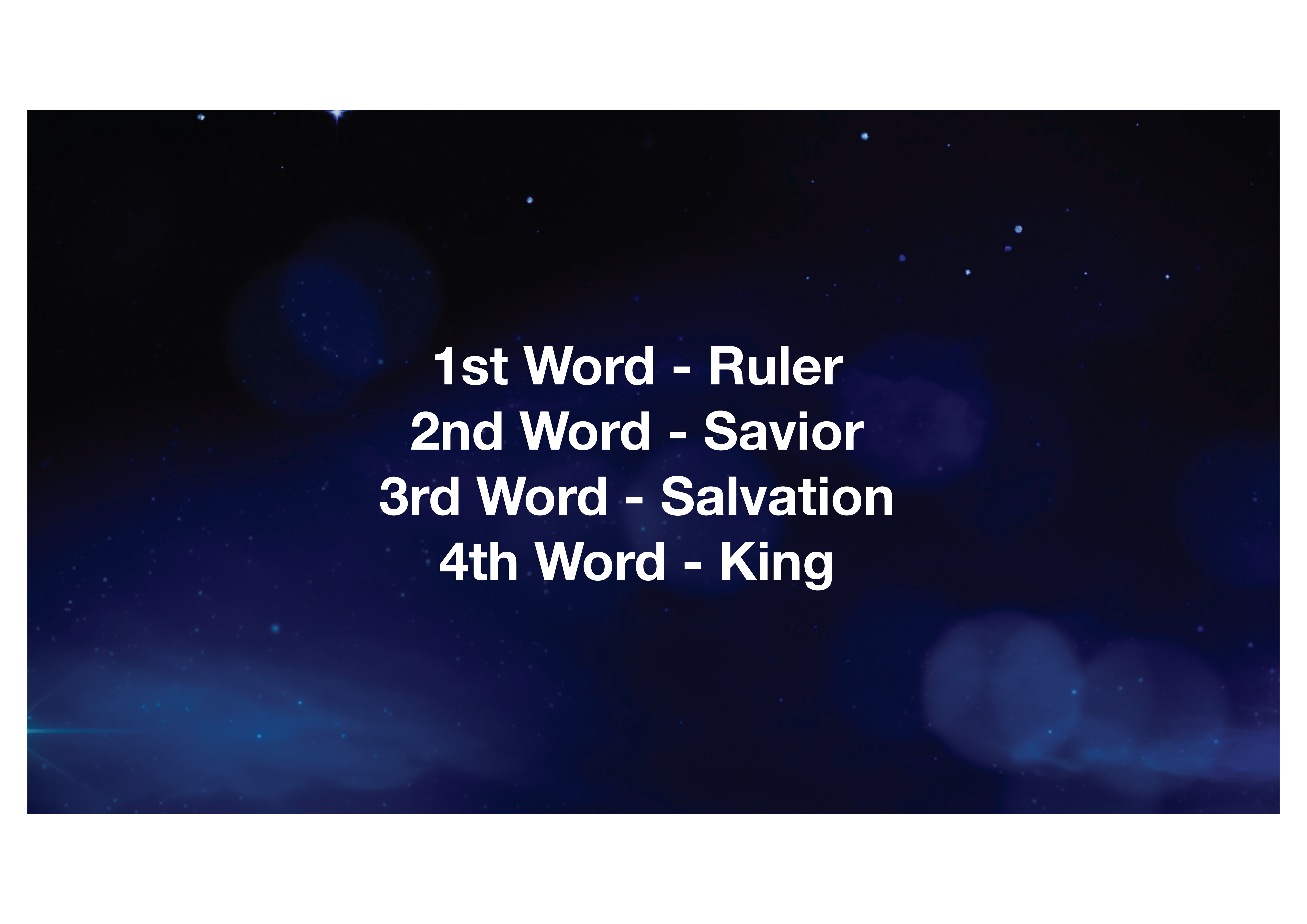
*Matthew 2:1-2 ESV*

Where is he who has been born **king** of  
the Jews?

*Matthew 2:2 ESV*

**King**





**1st Word - Ruler**  
**2nd Word - Savior**  
**3rd Word - Salvation**  
**4th Word - King**

**Joseph, son of David, do not fear to take Mary as your wife, for that which is conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit. She will bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins.**

*Matthew 1:20-21 ESV*