

The Family Table Devos

"Families practicing the presence of God with the Word of God on the week of December 20"

Bible Focus Luke 1:39-45 [46-55]

³⁹At that time Mary got ready and hurried to a town in the hill country of Judea,
⁴⁰where she entered Zechariah's home and greeted Elizabeth. ⁴¹When Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the baby leaped in her womb, and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit. ⁴²In a loud voice she exclaimed: "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the child you will bear! ⁴³But why am I so favored, that the mother of my Lord should come to me? ⁴⁴As soon as the sound of your greeting reached my ears, the baby in my womb leaped for joy. ⁴⁵Blessed is she who has believed that what the Lord has said to her will be accomplished!"

⁴⁶And Mary said:

"My soul glorifies the Lord

⁴⁷and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,

⁴⁸for he has been mindful

of the humble state of his servant.

From now on all generations will call me blessed,

⁴⁹for the Mighty One has done great things for me—
holy is his name.

⁵⁰His mercy extends to those who fear him,
from generation to generation.

⁵¹He has performed mighty deeds with his arm;
he has scattered those who are proud in their inmost thoughts.

⁵²He has brought down rulers from their thrones
but has lifted up the humble.

⁵³He has filled the hungry with good things
but has sent the rich away empty.

⁵⁴He has helped his servant Israel,
remembering to be merciful

⁵⁵to Abraham and his descendants forever,
even as he said to our fathers."

THE WORD OF THE LORD! THANKS BE TO GOD!



Think of one of your favorite songs & how it can be used to praise God



Share your **HIGHS** and **LOWS**
from the day!

1. How many different ways does Mary praise God in her song?
2. These two women are being faithful servants of God. How can you be a faithful servant of God this week?
3. God blessed these two women, think of as many ways that God has blessed you as you can and write them down as you share them with your family.



Make plans to invite a friend or even an entire family to church with you in the next few weeks. Who will you invite? Which service will you go to? What can you do to make them feel welcome?