



GOD

With Us



Pastor Greg Mansur
December 8-9, 2018

Advent Series #2:
God With Us Brings Love

Worship Center

Kids

MP/Office/Youth

Adventure Future Vision

PLEASE PRAY!



MIDWEEK

Huddle

WEDNESDAYS
6:30-8:00 PM



And in His name, all oppression shall cease...



THE SHEPHERD

a story of the first Christmas

A VERTICAL CHURCH FILMS PRESENTS AARON HIMELSTEIN'S "THE SHEPHERD" WRITTEN BY PEMBERICK & FRONK, C.S.A. DIRECTED BY EDDIE HOAGLAND PRODUCED BY JONATHAN OLIVE AND WILLIAM MATTHEWS
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Advent

Hope · Love · Joy · Peace





**“Advent” looks back
in celebration and
forward in anticipation.**

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MARY AND JOSEPH: A LOVE STORY



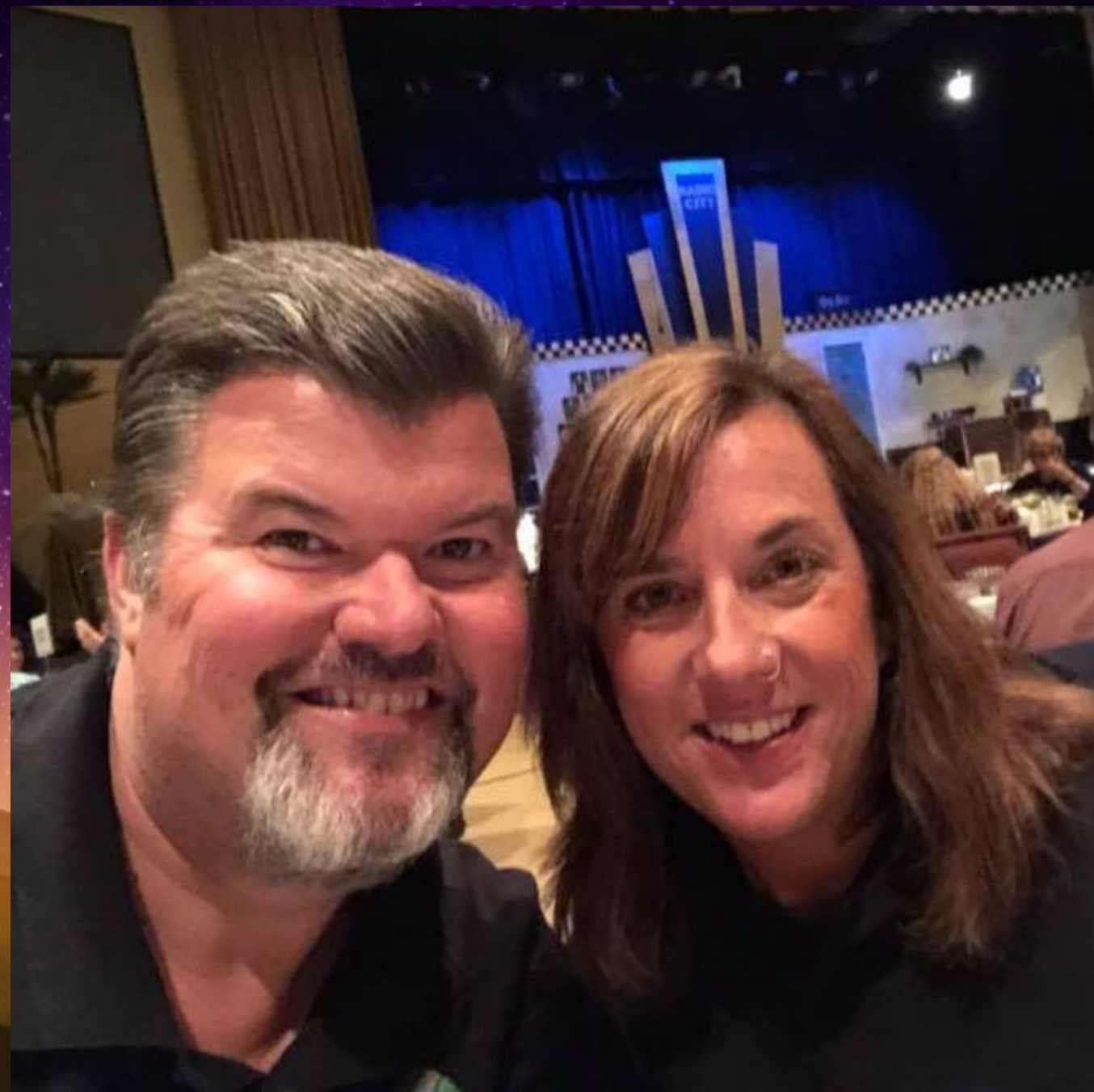














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- Joseph's choice to NOT put her away

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UNDERSTANDING TRUE LOVE AT ADVENT

- God is Love



For I am convinced that neither death nor life,
neither angels nor demons,
neither the present nor the future,
nor any powers, neither height nor depth,
nor anything else in all creation,
will be able to separate us
from the love of God
that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

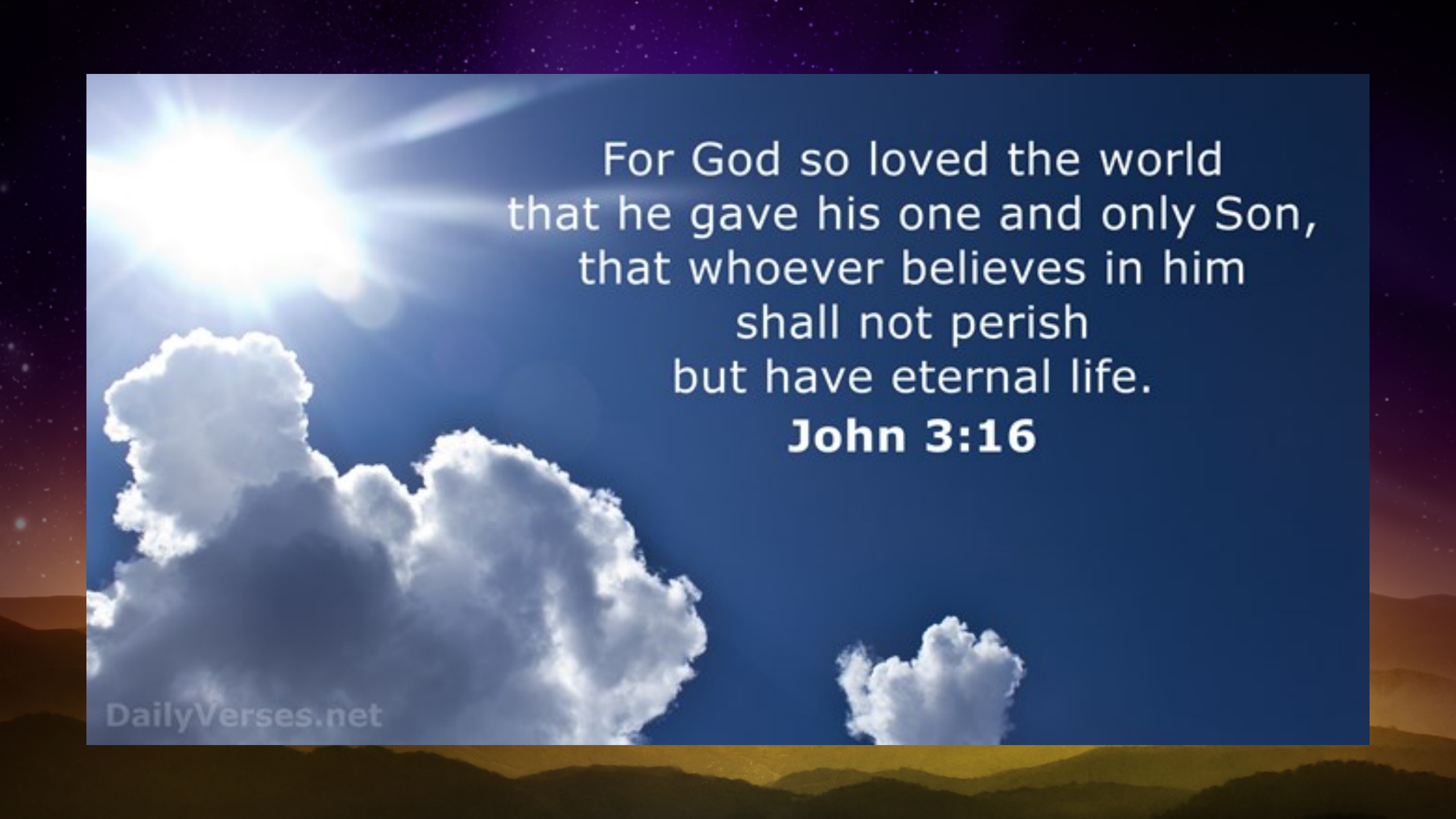
Romans 8:38-39

UNDERSTANDING TRUE LOVE AT ADVENT

- God is Love

- God gives Love





For God so loved the world
that he gave his one and only Son,
that whoever believes in him
shall not perish
but have eternal life.

John 3:16



MANGER TO THE CROSS

UNDERSTANDING TRUE LOVE AT ADVENT

- God is Love

- God gives Love

- God's Love flows through US





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LOVE

IT IS THE HOLY
SPIRIT'S JOB
TO CONVICT,
GOD'S JOB TO
JUDGE AND
MY JOB
TO LOVE.

BILLY GRAHAM





“

So that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith—that you, being rooted and grounded in love, may have strength to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.

(EPHESIANS 3:17-19, ESV)