

## “Hope: Past, Present, Future”

Luke 2:25-38

### I. Introduction – Proverbs 14:32; Psalm 42:5

### II. Hope in the Past - Gen. 3:15; Heb. 2:14; Deut. 18:15;

Isa. 7:14; Micah 5:2; Heb. 11:13; John 1:43-49; Num. 23:19

- A. Christian *hope* is to \_\_\_\_\_ with confidence
- B. The Messiah is \_\_\_\_\_
- C. God rewards those who \_\_\_\_\_ patiently.
- D. God kept His \_\_\_\_\_

### III. Hope in the Present - Rom. 10:9-10; 1 John 5:13; Acts 16:31;

Gal. 4:7; Rom. 8:15-17; James 1:5; Rom. 8:28; Micah 7:7

- A. You can be confident of having \_\_\_\_\_
- B. You can be confident you are a \_\_\_\_\_ of God
- C. You can be confident of God’s \_\_\_\_\_

### IV. Hope in the Future

Isa. 2:2-3; Matt. 24:44; 1 Thess. 4:16-18; Rev. 17:14

- A. Jesus is \_\_\_\_\_
- B. We will be \_\_\_\_\_

### V. Conclusion – Gal. 4:4; Matt. 28:19-20; Rev. 22:12

- A. God has kept His promises in the \_\_\_\_\_
- B. He will keep His promises in the \_\_\_\_\_  
and the \_\_\_\_\_
- C. God has given us a \_\_\_\_\_ to do