

5. How can Christmas traditions be beneficial for Christian living?

6. How can some Christmas traditions be potentially detrimental to Christian living?

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Why Do We Do This?

I. Why the _____?

A. It is _____ in _____ history. EXODUS 12:1-14

B. The _____ of the _____ has been _____ through the ages. 2 KINGS 23:22-23

C. The _____ is the _____ . EXODUS 12:24-27

II. Why the _____ _____?

A. It was _____ by _____ . MATTHEW 26:18-19, 26-29; 1 CORINTHIANS 5:7

B. The _____ of the _____ has become _____ by many.

C. The _____ is the _____ .

1 CORINTHIANS 11:23-25; MATTHEW 26:28

PERSONAL APPLICATION

- What Christmas traditions are most meaningful to you in your worship of Christ?

If you have never been *born again*, contact Pastor Keith or a trusted Christian friend this week to find out how.

III. Why _____?

A. It is _____ to _____
_____. LUKE 2:8-14

B. The _____ of a _____
_____ is often lost.

C. _____ is the _____
_____.

ISAIAH 9:6; LUKE 1:30-33; MATTHEW 1:19-23;

GALATIANS 4:4-5; JOHN 1:14; LUKE 2:11-14

STUDY & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. How can it be helpful for a non-Jew to understand the reasons for the Passover?

2. Should a Christian still commemorate the Passover today?

Explain your answer.

3. Is there a right or wrong way to commemorate the Lord's Supper?

Defend your answer.

4. Some argue that the majority of Christmas traditions have arisen out of non-Biblical roots and therefore should not be embraced. How might a Christian respond?