Mission Statement: To take as many people to Heaven as we can, before we die. Period.

### 1. Don't stop believing in God's promises.

All right then, the Lord himself will give you the sign. Look! The virgin will conceive a child! She will give birth to a son and will call him Immanuel (which means 'God is with us'). Isaiah 7:14 NLT

"Don't be afraid, Mary," the angel told her, "for you have found favor with God! You will conceive and give birth to a son, and you will name him Jesus. He will be very great and will be called the Son of the Most High. The Lord God will give him the throne of his ancestor David. And he will reign over Israel forever; his Kingdom will never end!" Mary asked the angel, "But how can this happen? I am a virgin." The angel replied, "The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you. So the baby to be born will be holy, and he will be called the Son of God. What's more, your relative Elizabeth has become pregnant in her old age! People used to say she was barren, but she has conceived a son and is now in her sixth month. For the word of God will never fail." Luke 1:30-37 NLT

#### 2. Don't stop believing in God's timing.

"Joseph, son of David," the angel said, "do not be afraid to take Mary as your wife. For the child within her was conceived by the Holy Spirit. And she will have a son, and you are to name him Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins." All of this occurred to fulfill the Lord's message through his prophet: "Look! The virgin will conceive a child! She will give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel, which means 'God is with us.'" Matthew 1:21-23 NLT

Wait patiently for the LORD. Be brave and courageous. Yes, wait patiently for the LORD. Psalm 27:14 NLT

... he who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion. Philippians 1:6a NIV

# 3. Don't stop believing in God's people.

Mary responded, "I am the Lord's servant. May everything you have said about me come true." Luke 1:38 NLT When Joseph woke up, he did as the angel of the Lord commanded and took Mary as his wife. Luke 1:24 NLT

Where there is no guidance the people fall, but in abundance of counselors there is victory. Prov. 11:14 NAS

# 4. Don't stop believing in God's <u>sovereignty</u>. (He's still in control).

And behold, even your relative Elizabeth has also conceived a son in her old age; and she who was called barren is now in her sixth month. Luke 1:36 NAS

And we know that God causes all things to work together for good to those who love God, to those who are called according to *His* purpose. Romans 8:28 NAS

#### Insert this belief into your current situation to be filled with His peace:

For nothing will be impossible with God. Luke 1:37 NAS