

“More Than Just a Cute Baby”

The Babe in the Manger

part 2
Lk. 2:8-18; Isa. 9:2-7

INTRODUCTION

- was Jesus a cute baby?
- no ordinary baby...not even an *extraordinary* baby

Gal. 4:4-5; Col 2:9

1. The angelic description (Lk. 2:11)

- unintended terror
- a message of good news...for some
+ the *Savior* has come

+ the *Messiah* has come

2. The prophetic description (Isa. 9:6)

- “Wonderful Counselor”

- “Mighty God”

1 Sam. 18:7

- “Eternal Father”

Heb. 1:3

- “Prince of Peace”

CONCLUSION

A baby's hands in Bethlehem
Were small and softly curled.
But held within their dimpled grasp
The hope of all the world.

– Leslie Savage