


A bright star with a vertical beam of light shining down on silhouettes of people. The background is a dark blue, textured surface. The star is at the top center, and the beam of light extends downwards, illuminating the silhouettes of people at the bottom. The silhouettes include a man on the left, a group of people in the center, and a woman on the right.

Wonderful Counselor

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“...And he will be called Wonderful Counselor... The Spirit of the Lord will rest on him— the Spirit of wisdom and of understanding, the Spirit of counsel and of might, the Spirit of the knowledge and fear of the Lord”

Isaiah 9:6; 11:2



A silhouette of a nativity scene is shown against a dark blue, starry night sky. A bright, multi-pointed star is positioned at the top center, with a vertical beam of light shining down from it. The silhouettes of the figures are dark against the lighter background of the star and the sky. The word "Wonderful" is written in white, bold, sans-serif font across the middle of the image.

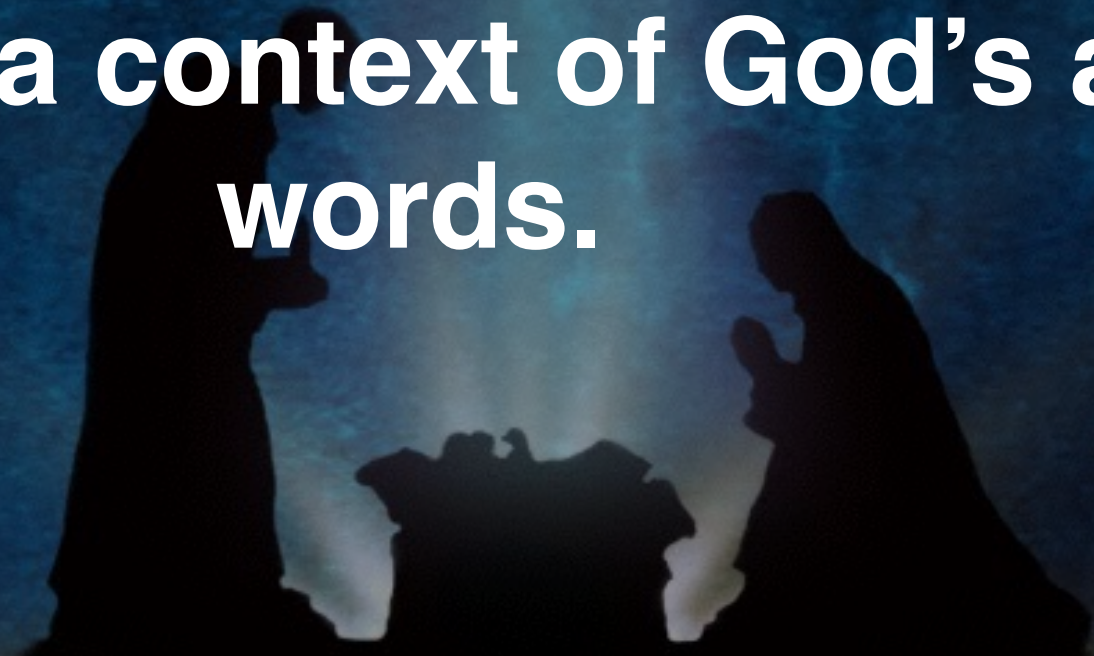
“Wonderful”



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Pele’ (Heb.) –

It is a miracle, a wonder, a wonderful thing, a wonderful deed. Pele’ always appears in a context of God’s acts or words.



A dark blue, textured background featuring a bright, multi-pointed star in the upper center. A vertical beam of light descends from the star. In the lower foreground, the silhouettes of several figures are visible, including a man on the left and a woman on the right, both appearing to be in prayer or adoration. The overall scene is reminiscent of the Nativity story.

“Counselor”



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Yā’ats (Heb.) –

To advise, counsel, admonish; to direct; to resolve, decide; to devise, plan, purpose; to consult with one another, counsel together, to be advised. Psalm 33:10-11 contrasts God’s counsel and that of man. His way overrides all human plans.



Counselor for Eternity



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John 6:68; 14:6

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18





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Simon Peter answered him, “Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life.”

John 6:68





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Jesus answered, “I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.”

John 14:6



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Brothers, we do not want you to be ignorant about those who fall asleep, or to grieve like the rest of men, who have no hope. We believe that Jesus died and rose again and so we believe that God will bring with Jesus those who have fallen asleep in him. According to the Lord's own word, we tell you that we who are still alive, who are left till the coming of the Lord, will certainly not precede those who have fallen asleep.

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18



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For the Lord himself will come down from heaven, with a loud command, with the voice of the archangel and with the trumpet call of God, and the dead in Christ will rise first. After that, we who are still alive and are left will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And so we will be with the Lord forever. Therefore encourage each other with these words.

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18



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**Hebrews 2:18, 5:8, 7:25; Romans 12:1-2;
Colossians 3:16; Proverbs 3:5-6**





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**Because he himself suffered when he
was tempted, he is able to help those
who are being tempted.**

Hebrews 2:18





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**Although he was a son, he learned
obedience from what he suffered.**

Hebrews 5:8





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**Therefore he is able to save completely
those who come to God through him,
because he always lives to intercede for
them.**

Hebrews 7:25

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Therefore, I urge you, brothers, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God—this is your spiritual act of worship. Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will.

Romans 12:1-2



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**Let the word of Christ dwell in you
richly as you teach and admonish one
another with all wisdom, and as you
sing psalms, hymns and spiritual songs
with gratitude in your hearts to God.**



Colossians 3:16



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**Trust in the LORD with all your heart
and lean not on your own understanding;
6 in all your ways acknowledge him,
and he will make your paths straight.**

Proverbs 3:5-6

