

LET
EVERY HEART

CHRISTMAS
AT HARVEST

PREPARE
HIM ROOM

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APPLICATION

Ice Breaker Question: What is a funny story you have of shopping at Christmastime? Maybe it was your own run to the mall or getting the wrong gift shipped from Amazon! It's always fun to share stories and see what we have in common from this time of year.

In Mark 7:8, Jesus says to the Pharisees: "You leave the commandment of God and hold to the tradition of men." What are some traditions you have experienced or have observed that can lead us away from God's commands? What are things that can entangle us in legalism instead of the heart of God in His commands?

We were reminded in the sermon that as Christians we don't do good things "to" get saved, but rather we do good things "because" we are saved and they're an overflow of our relationship with God. Share an example of a time the Lord gave you an opportunity to love on others or the Holy Spirit nudged you toward an act of obedience as a testimony to God's work in your life for His glory.

What are ways that we can be like the humble manger Jesus was born in? What does Scripture have to say about humility and ways we can continue to make room for the Lord?
