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## **MESSAGE NOTES - NOVEMBER 30th, 2025**

### **Brought to the Light**

### **HOPE**

We can cloud hope with wishful thinking. HOPE is confident expectation, it is security in knowing, it is expecting an awaited outcome.

### **Zechariah and Elizabeth**

**Luke 1:6** “Zechariah and Elizabeth were righteous in God’s eyes, careful to obey all of the Lord’s commandments and regulations.”

**Luke 1:7** “They had no children because Elizabeth was unable to conceive, and they were both very old.”

Holiness and Faithfulness do not protect us from disappointment or even suffering. Unmet longings can become places to encounter HOPE.

### **Psalm 42**

God’s answers often look different than our expectations. Jesus at one time was the future hope who became, and still is, the present hope and continues to be the future hope.

Jesus is our confident expectation, Jesus is our security in knowing, Jesus is our expected awaited outcome.

“When/Where do I need HOPE (Jesus) to meet me?”

“What might He (Jesus) be doing in the waiting?”

**Isaiah 9:2, 6-7** The people walking in darkness have seen a great light; on those living in the land of deep darkness a light has dawned. For to us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

7 Of the greatness of his government and peace there will be no end. He will reign on David’s throne and over his kingdom, establishing and upholding it with justice and righteousness from that time on and forever. The zeal of the Lord Almighty will accomplish this.