**Verse**

**Bible Drill Devotions**

***Green Cycle***

**7. Isaiah 9:6**

**KJV** For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counseller, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace.

**CSB** **For a child will be born for us, a son will be given to us, and the government will be on his shoulders. He will be named Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Eternal Father, Prince of Peace.**

**ESV** For to us a child is born, to us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his shoulder, and his name shall be calledWonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

Who does not love Christmas? It is my favorite time of the year. I like it more than I like my own Birthday. I like all the presents I get and I like all the presents that I give.

Sometimes the birth of Jesus gets lost in all the giving and receiving of presents. Christmas is not about lights, trees, giving and receiving presents. It is about God sending His one and only Son to be the Savior of the world. God was sending His only Son to earth, knowing that Jesus would have to die on the cross for our sins.

Do you think it was a happy time or a sad time for God? Why or why not?

Seven hundred years before Jesus was born, God told us what Jesus would be like.

What do you think makes Jesus “Wonderful?”

The Bible calls Jesus the Counselor. What does a counselor do? How is Jesus like a counselor?

“The Mighty God” – This is a good bit of theology here. Jesus is in the Trinity. He is God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit. Three in one. Can you think of ways that Jesus is like God?

“The Everlasting Father” – What are some things that a father does? What are some of those fatherly things that Jesus does for us?

“The Prince of Peace” – Jesus came to earth to bring peace between God and people. Someone had to pay for our sins. Jesus chose to come to earth as a Baby to die for our sins. Jesus took the punishment that was meant for us so we could have peace with God. Jesus also came to show us how to have peace with each other. Can you think of 3 things that Jesus told us to do to help us have peace with others?

I am glad that Jesus is all we need.