

# A Christmas Collision

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*The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.*

John 1:14

## Three Great Collisions At Christmas

### 1. A Collision of God and \_\_\_\_\_

*The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us.*

John 1:14

Amplified Version:

*And the Word became flesh and tabernacled among us;*

### 2. A Collision of God and \_\_\_\_\_

*“We have seen his glory, the glory of the One and Only...”*

John 1:14:

*A great sign appeared in heaven: a woman clothed with the sun, with the moon under her feet and a crown of twelve stars on her head. She was pregnant and cried out in pain as she was about to give birth. Then another sign appeared in heaven: an enormous red dragon with seven heads and ten horns and seven crowns on its heads. Its tail swept a third of the stars out of the sky and flung them to the earth. The dragon stood in front of the woman who was about to give birth, so that it might devour her child the moment he was born. She gave birth to a son, a male child, who “will rule all the nations with an iron scepter.” And her child was snatched up to God and to his throne. The woman fled into the wilderness to a place prepared for her by God...*

Revelation 12:1-6

*When Herod realized that he had been outwitted by the Magi, he was furious, and he gave orders to kill all the boys in Bethlehem and its vicinity who were two years old and under...*

Matthew 2:16

### 3. A Collision of Grace and \_\_\_\_\_

*...who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.*

John 1:14

*For the law was given through Moses; grace and truth came through Jesus Christ.*

John 1:17

**change = grace + truth + time**