

**GOING FORWARD
*IN FAVOR***

Luke 1:26-28

LUKE 1:26-27 Now in the sixth month *the angel Gabriel* was sent by God to a city of Galilee named Nazareth, to a virgin betrothed to a man whose name was Joseph, of the house of David. The virgin's name *was* Mary.

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**1. CAN I BE HIGHLY
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ABRAHAM: GEN 18:3 and

**said, “My Lord, *if I have
now found favor* in Your
sight, do not pass on by
Your servant.**

JACOB: GEN 33:10 And
Jacob said, “No, please, *if I
have now found favor in
your sight,* then receive my
present from my hand,

MOSES: EXODUS 33:17 So
the LORD said to Moses, “I will
also do this thing that you have
spoken; *for you have found
grace in My sight,* and I know
you by name.”

DANIEL 1:9 Now God had
brought Daniel *into the*
favor and goodwill of the
chief of the eunuchs.

RUTH 2:2 So Ruth the Moabite said to Naomi,
“Please let me go to the field, and glean heads of grain after *him in whose sight I may find favor.*”

ESTHER 2:15 And *Esther*
obtained favor in the sight
of all who saw her.

HANNAH: 1 SAMUEL 1:18

And she said, “*Let your
maidservant find favor in your
sight.*”

**2. MARY FOUND
FAVOR...**

Luke 1:30

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said to her, “Do not be
afraid, Mary, *for you have
found favor* with God.

GENESIS 6:8 But
Noah *found grace* in the
eyes of the LORD.

JOHN 1:17 For the law was
given through Moses,
but grace [favor] and truth
[The Word] came through
Jesus Christ.

EPHESIANS 2:8-9 For *by grace*

you have been saved

through faith, and *that not of*

yourselves; it is the gift of

God, ⁹ *not of works,* lest

anyone should boast.

**3. WE MUST CONTINUE
TO BELIEVE...**

1 John 5:13

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have written to you who
believe in the name of the Son
of God, that you may know
that you have eternal life, and
that *you may continue*
to believe in the name of the
Son of God.

Luke 1:38 Then Mary said,
“Behold the maidservant of
the Lord! *Let it be to me
according to your word.*” And
the angel departed from her.

CLOSING...

