



READING PLAN

Let's take a look at the well-known list of Christmas characters: Joseph, Mary and Baby Jesus, of course. Throw in some shepherds and wisemen, and you've got the basics. But what if I told you there's more...a lot more? Meet Zechariah and Elizabeth, Simon and Anna. Never heard of them? They're part of the Christmas story too, though they rarely make it into the spotlight. Yet, they have their own amazing, compelling stories to tell and their stories are relevant even today. So this Christmas, expand your view and discover a fuller, richer story—one so profound even the angels are longing to know more.

**December 1:
Zechariah & Elizabeth**

Luke 1:5-25, 57-80

**December 15:
Simeon & Anna**

Luke 2:21-40

**December 8:
Elizabeth & Mary**

Luke 1:35-38, 39-56

**December 22:
John the Baptist**

Luke 3:1-22