## The Christmas Story Remembering that it is REAL

The lyrics of a song by Nicole Nordeman remind me to peel away the layers of gloss and tradition. And look at Jesus' coming and birth as the incredible, gritty, amazing, uncomfortable, earth-shattering and REAL event that it is.

"'Cause you believe a baby came, not in paintings or in plays But every minute, every hour, every day To be real...

More than a memory More than a story Real"

**Credits**: The Good Lord Himself **Binder tab**: December **School size:** All