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## Love Beyond Your Wildest Dreams. By Angela Roth

As December rushes past us, Winter nights are drawing in; Still, uncertainty pursues us, Causing doubt that we can win.

For there's been so many problems, More, I'm sure, than we had hoped, Yet with bravery and courage, We have battled on; we've coped.

One by one, lights are appearing,
We see candles start to glow,
Christmas Trees, bedecked, and sparkling,
Each, like beacons in the snow.

For we cannot stay despondent, Living full of fear and gloom; Lifting hearts in celebration, Will give joy, the space to bloom.

You see Love appeared at Christmas, Love that cannot be compared, Love that cancels out the darkness; Love that simply must be shared! In a stable, born to Mary,

Jesus took His place on Earth,

Though simplicity surrounded,

This miraculous new birth.

Joseph watched o'er Babe and Mother.

Knowing well the role he played,
In his heart, perhaps he wondered,
How this child might end His days?

For before their journey started,
Joseph had to make a choice,
Would he serve his God and Father?
Would he listen to His voice?

Would he take the Virgin Mary, Now with child, to be his wife? Would he faithfully protect her, As she nurtured this new life?

Once in Bethlehem, this calling, Must have seemed so very strange, As the King, God's Son, was born Upon this poor and lowly stage.

Yet the story still unfolded, Shepherds came, the Babe to see, Hurried down the hillside swiftly, Praising God, they bowed their knee.

Then, came Kings, from far off lands
Who also knelt before their Lord,
Bearing gifts, that told a story,
Prophesying to the World.

How did Joseph understand this? How do humans comprehend? That Our God was born a baby, So, our lives, He could defend.

Left behind His Heavenly Kingdom, Knowing well the story's close, Giving up His life to save us, This the outcome that He chose.

Have you heard His message calling, Spoken out through all the years? Do you know your name's included? Bringing freedom from your fears.

Are you open to receiving Love, Beyond your wildest dreams? Are you willing to step out in faith, To Jesus, who redeems?

His compassion has no equal,
He will comfort you with peace,
He'll show grace and understanding,
Filled with hope that cannot cease.

All He asks, is that you listen,
As He calls your precious name'
Be assured, that as you trust Him,
Life will never be the same.

He will fill your heart with singing, He will touch your deepest fear, He will cancel out the darkness. By His presence, ever near. For the moment that you give Him, All your secrets, held within, Is the moment He forgives you, And He cancels out your sin.

Then, you'll walk this life together, Stronger, bolder, living free, Filled with joyful expectation, Touched by Love eternally.

With my love this Christmas 2021, Angela xx