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Bible Reading Luke 2: 25-33 Simeon

²⁵ A man named Simeon lived in Jerusalem. He was a good man and very religious. He was waiting for the time when God would help Israel. The Holy Spirit was in him. ²⁶ The Holy Spirit told Simeon that he would not die before he saw the Christ promised by the Lord. ²⁷ The Spirit led Simeon to the Temple. Mary and Joseph brought the baby Jesus to the Temple to do what the law said they must do. ²⁸ Then Simeon took the baby in his arms and thanked God:

²⁹ "Now, Lord, you can let me, your servant,

die in peace as you said.

³⁰ I have seen your Salvation^[a] with my own eyes.

³¹ You prepared him before all people.

³² He is a light for the non-