



## *Merry 1<sup>st</sup> Christmas!*

*God bless you, little one! I am the Christmas Angel, Ariel, and when you were born, a new star shone bright in the night sky, here in Heaven. Welcome to the world!*

*On Christmas Day, we celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ. For God so loved the world, He gave us the most precious present of all, his only Son, Jesus.*

*Just as we celebrate Christmas today by giving presents to our family and friends, the three wise men travelled long and far to bring the baby Jesus gifts of gold, myrrh, and frankincense. That's what the Nativity story tells us. But what they really brought the baby Jesus was their love. Love is the most powerful gift. Presents are fun to receive, but the best gift is a baby. And you are such a blessing! Jesus is the greatest gift God could give us, but you are a gift from God too. And this Christmas, I want to celebrate you! For whenever a baby is born, the angels in Heaven all sing for joy!*

*Like the baby Jesus, you are the hope and promise for the future. Not only for your family, but the world. Just by being born, you have given the world a great gift. And I know you will grow up to do astonishing things in His name. And all the while, I will be watching over you from Heaven.*

*So as you and your family celebrate Christmas and the arrival of our Savior, enjoy the traditions of the holiday. But never forget how blessed we are to have Jesus Christ in our lives, and in our hearts. And never forget what a blessing you are, little one. And never forget how much Jesus loves you.*

*Have a very Merry Christmas, and a blessed and joyous holiday season.*

*Love, Ariel*

## *The Christmas Angel*

