

Off to the Side

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In a quiet corner of the shopping mall, there is a tiny baby in the
stable's stall. With the passing shoppers in the rush of Christmas-tide,
who will notice Jesus off to the side?
In a quiet corner of the ancient East, God came to us as a baby, and he
came to the least. In the crushing throngs of each passing Christmas-tide,
who will notice Jesus off to the side.
God uses foolish things to confound the wise. Will we look with our hearts, not
just our eyes? He showed us how to live in the way he died. God
came to change the world off to the side.

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