

# Luke 2: 21-40

**Does our country  
have any national sense of certainty  
that God will deliver on a promise  
that He has previously made  
at an earlier point in our history?**

**Does our country  
have a national hope  
(=*guaranteed fulfilment of a promise*)  
in God?**

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***“Sovereign Lord ... you may now dismiss your servant in peace, for my eyes have seen your salvation ...”*** [Luke 2:39-40]