

Fleeing to Bethlehem

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An Advent journey of separation and loss, and the promise of a shared reliance on God's natal presence.

1. What Christmas traditions did your family observe when you were growing up?
2. Does the holiday season bring up any difficult memories for you?
3. Do you agree with Helen Lee when she suggests that the Christian church would grow in strength if it remembered the suffering of the Christmas story? Why or why not?
4. What aspects of Lee's story touched you the deepest?
5. Lee describes a deep connection to her Korean heritage using the word *han*. What difficulties in your history have enhanced your own current relationships?