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4. In _____. 2:9-11

There was a _____ welcome awaiting Jesus as He arrived back in heaven. Because Jesus was willing to humble Himself, God highly _____ Him. Jesus did everything to glorify God. Likewise, the purpose of our lives should be to _____ God.

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