



## SERMON NOTES

# Christmas at the Movies

The Grinch

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### 1. You're A \_\_\_\_\_ One Mr. Grinch

*Acts 9:11-15 (NLT)*

*11 The Lord said, "Go over to Straight Street, to the house of Judas. When you get there, ask for a man from Tarsus named Saul. He is praying to me right now. 12 I have shown him a vision of a man named Ananias coming in and laying hands on him so he can see again." 13 "But Lord," exclaimed Ananias, "I've heard many people talk about the terrible things this man has done to the believers in Jerusalem! 14 And he is authorized by the leading priests to arrest everyone who calls upon your name." 15 But the Lord said, "Go, for Saul is my chosen instrument to take my message to the Gentiles and to kings, as well as to the people of Israel.*

Jesus Christ never trusted human nature, yet he was never cynical, never in despair about any man, because he trusted absolutely in what the grace of God could do in human nature.

—Oswald Chambers (1874-1917)

### 2. \_\_\_\_\_ to Fortune

*Matthew 2:16 (NKJV)*

*16 Then Herod, when he saw that he was deceived by the wise men, was exceedingly angry; and he sent forth and put to death all the male children who were in Bethlehem and in all its districts, from two years old and under, according to the time which he had determined from the wise men.*

### 3. The \_\_\_\_\_ of Christmas

*1 Samuel 10:9 (BBE)*

*9 And it came about, that when he went away from Samuel, God gave him a changed heart: and all those signs took place that day.*

ANSWERS:

1. MEAN

2. MISFORTUNE

3. MIRACLE