THIS is JOY ____

A Place to Belong

Luke 2:8-20

This amazing news that produces the	is for
Great Joy for All Peoples	
Shepherds	Wise Men
• of the poor	•of the rich
Young and	Old and very
Lived "right next door"	 Lived halfway around the world
 Followed by the 	Followed the
Probably illiterate	Most brilliant men alive
A family unlike any other	be earth will be blossed." Conscis 12.7
The story of the Bible – "In you all the families of t The Magnetism of Jesus	ne earth will be blessed. Genesis 12.5
 Mark 1:33 - "The whole city was gathered t 	ogether"
 Mark 1:37 - "And they found him and said t 	o him, 'Everyone is'"
 Mark 1:45 - "Jesus was out in desolate planter." 	aces, and people were from every
Mark 2:2 - "And many weredoor."	, so that there was no more room, not even at the
 Mark 3:7 - "Jesus withdrew with his discipled Judea." 	es to the sea, and from Galilee and
A family unlike any other:	
Jesus calls his followers	
 Definitive metaphor for what Jesus is up to 	>
 Most frequent way Jesus refers to God 	

"And a crowd was sitting around him, and they said to him, 'Your mother and your brothers are outside, seeking you.' And he answered them, 'Who are my mother and my brothers?' And looking about at those who sat around him, he said, 'Here are my mother and my brothers! For whoever does the will of God, he is my brother and sister and mother."