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Merry Christmas
and a Happy 1996


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from "Nativity: An Altarpiece"
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The wise men
are still far off, alone on the road with a star.
But the ox and the ass
are kneeling already, the Family's oldest friends,
in the glow of light that illumines the byre, the straw,
their eyes and the human eyes--a glow
shed from no source but the living Child Himself.



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in the Church of St. Pierre de Chartres