

# He Will Hold You

## *A Monologue to Mary From Her Mother*

*Selected from the collection  
"VOICES OF THE NATIVITY"*

By Jill Lamkin

**Length:** *1 page of dialogue (601 words)*

**Performance time:** *About 3 minutes*

### **The Story**

As young Mary prepares for her uncertain future as the Mother of Jesus, her own mother reassures her. The older mother says she wants to hold on to Mary but cannot. "I am letting you go to God, and to Joseph, and to your expected son. Each will ask for your heart in his own way."

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