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### FIND and circle these 15 words

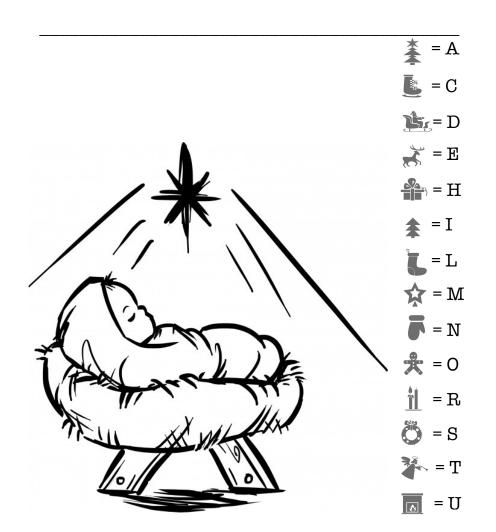
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The name Jesus means Savior! The Bible says for He (Jesus) will save people from their sins! What sins do you need to be forgive from?



### Decode some other NAMES of Jesus!

Use the code on the other page to help find the answers!



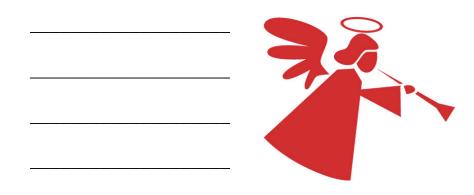


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If an angel visited you, what would you ask it?



### Christmas Song Matching Game

Many Christmas songs have been written about how great Jesus is! Match the first line of each Christmas song with the second line!

We three Kings of Orient Are	No Crib for a bed
Joy to the World!	Glory to the newborn king
Away in a manger	Bearing Gifts we traverse afar
O Come All Ye Faithful	for his bed a cattle stall
Infant Holy, Infant lowly	Joyful and triumphant
O Come O Come Emmanuel	How still we see thee lie
O Holy Night	Let Nothing you dismay
Hark the Herald Angels Sing	The Lord Has Come
God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen	And Ransom captive Israel
O Little Town of Bethlehem	The Stars are Brightly Shining



### Luke 1:32

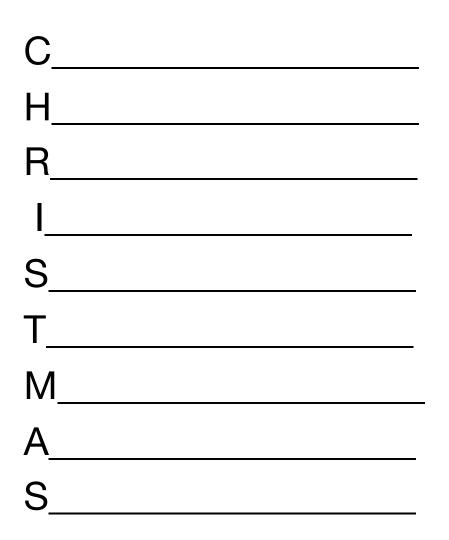
He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. And the Lord God will give to him the throne of his father David.

What was your favorite Christmas present that you have ever received?

What one thing can you do for someone this year as a gift during Christmas?



Use each letter below to start a word that reminds you of the birth of Jesus and the Christmas Season! Have fun!





### Luke 2:1

In those days a decree went out from Caesar Augustus that all the world should be registered.

Caesar was in charge of the Roman Empire. At the time that Jesus was born, the Romans controlled all the land of Judea. Caesar Augustus wasn't the name that he was born with! He changed his name. Why do you think he changed his name?



# Color Caleb the Camel!

In the spirt of Christmas, Caleb has put on a Christmas hat and a beard. Make him look festive!

We may not change our name, but when we give our lives to Christ, he changes our hearts! Is there something that you need to give to God?





### Luke 2:3

And all went to be registered, each to his own town.

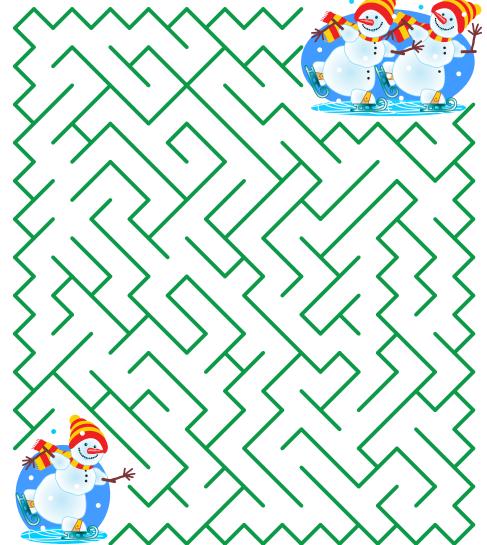


Remember, Ceasar wanted to know how many people were in his kingdom. So everyone went back to where they were born!

If this would happen today, what town would you have to go back to?

Mary and Joseph went back to the town of Bethlehem. Do you know why this was important?

# Help the snowman catch up to his friends!







### Luke 2:6-7

And while they were there, the time came for her to give birth. And she gave birth to her firstborn son and wrapped him in swaddling cloths and laid him in a manger, because there was no place for them in the inn.

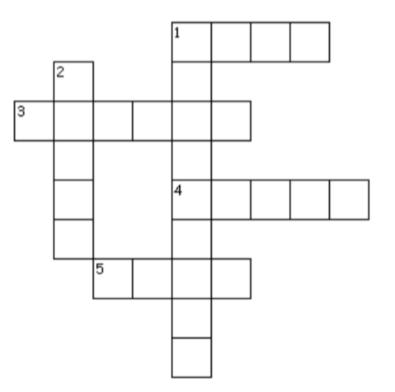
Jesus, the King of Kings, was about to be born. And there was no room for Him in the inn. While this is sad, it is exactly as God planned it, to show that Jesus was born in humble circumstances for us.

Even more sad, is if we don't have any room for Jesus in our hearts! If we say, God, I want to do what I want to do. There is no room for you in my heart.

Are there things that is keeping God out of your heart? If so, write them down, and give them to God.

# **Crossword Fun!**

Use the clues below to figure out what the answers are! Have fun!

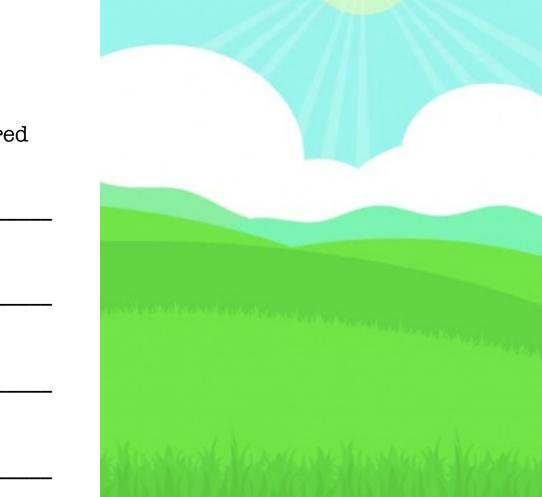


### Across

- 1. What pointed the wise men to Jesus?
- 3. Where did Mary put Jesus after He was born?
- 4. What was the name of the King that wanted baby Jesus gone?
- 5. Who was the mother of Jesus?
- Down
- 1. Who did the angels appear to announce the birth of Jesus?
- 2. What is the name of the Kids Bible Travels mascot?



What would you do if an angel appeared to you and started talking?



Draw an angel in the sky and shepherds and their sheep in the grass!



# Why do you think the birth of Jesus is important?

### Goday's verse

tells us that Jesus was born in the city of King David. King David lived there almost a thousand years before Jesus was born! Ghis is the same David who killed the giant Goliath. In fact, Jesus was from the same family that King David was part of too!







### Jesus loves us so much,

that he was willing to be come from heaven, be born as a baby, and die on the cross for what we have done wrong!

Wow! That is so amazing! For the activity for today, write a letter to Jesus, and thank Him for what He did for us!

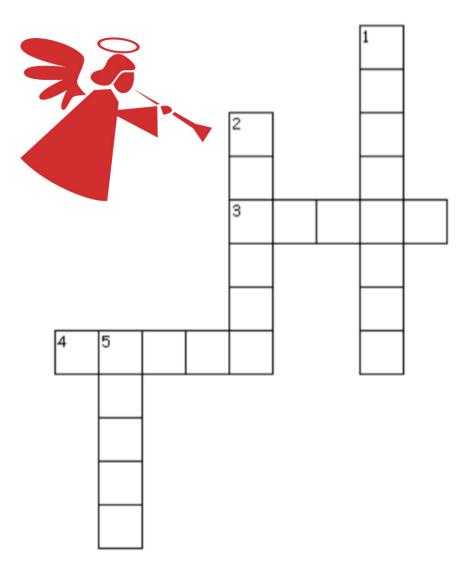


### Luke 2:13-14

And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying, "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among those with whom he is pleased!"

### Why is it important to praise God?





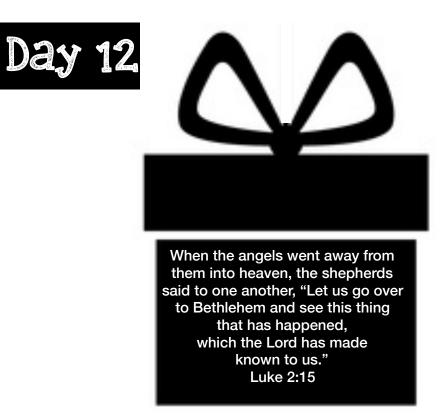
### Across

3. Sent from God to announce birth

4. - The opposite of chaos

### Down

- 1. Another word for quickly
- 2. Something we do to thank God
- 5. Where we live



When God changes your life, what are some things that change?



Write a Christmas song from today's verse!





Matthew 2:11a And going into the house they saw the child with Mary his mother, and they fell down and worshiped him.

How did the wisemen know that they were bowing down to Jesus?

What where they doing when they bowed down?

According to today's verse, the wisemen worshipped Jesus as soon as they saw Him. Even though you are young, it is always good and important to worship Jesus. What are some ways that you can worship Jesus?



Matthew 2:11b Then, opening their treasures, they offered him gifts, gold and frankincense and myrrh. **Today's verse** tells us that the wisemen brought gifts to Jesus! The best gift that we could ever give to Jesus is ourself! What do you think it means to give yourself to God? Write it down and then talk about it with a parent or an adult from your church.





# Light of the World

One of the many beautiful things about Christmas are candles. Candles represent light breaking through darkness.

### Here is what Jesus said in John 8:12

Again Jesus spoke to them, saying, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."

What do you think Jesus meant when He said that He was the light of the world?

# Artwork by Kalena Booth

### Using the example above done by Kalena, draw your own candle!

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### Memorize Isaiah 9:6 over the Next few days! Isaiah 9:6 For unto to us a child is born,

unto us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his shoulder, and his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

# Why do you think God sent His son to earth?

### Why do you think it means that the government was on His shoulder?

### Christmas word search!

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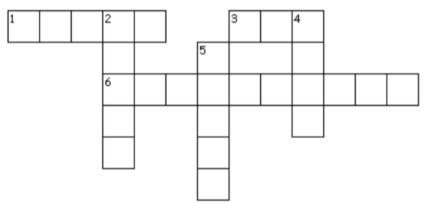


### Continue to memorize this verse over the next few days! Isaiah 9:6

For unto to us a child is born, unto us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his shoulder, and his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

Why do you think God is wonderful?

Why do you think it means that God is mighty? Use Isaiah 9:2 and Isaiah 9:6 to help you find the words to complete this crossword puzzle!



### Across:

- 1. A \_\_\_\_\_\_ is born.
- 3. Unto us a \_\_\_\_\_ is given.
- 6. And the \_\_\_\_\_ will be ...

### Down:

- 2. Have seen a great \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. And His \_\_\_\_\_ will be called.
- 5. Prince of \_\_\_\_\_\_.



### Decode the secret message!

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### Last day to memorize this verse Isaiah 9:6

For unto to us a child is born, unto us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his shoulder, and his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

As we have learned over the past few days, God has many names! Isaiah 9:6 calls him Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father and the Prince of Peace! These are just four of the names of God and All of these names are important.

How many names do you have?

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Today, list a few words that describe Jesus. Two are already listed to give you an idea. See if you can list five more!



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# Connect the dots, then color the picture

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### 2 Corinthians 9:15

Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!

The greatest gift ever given to us was Jesus! And the greatest gift we can ever give to Jesus is ourselves!

If you haven't given yourself to God, then today is the perfect day! Talk to your parents about this today!

What are some things that Jesus wants you to give to Him?



Oh come, let us **worship** and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker! **Psalm 95:6** 

Christmas is a special time to help us remember to worship God! What are some ways that you can worship God?

# **Color the picture**

Did you know that when you go to bed, and when you get up, you can worship and praise God even before you go to sleep and when you wake up!







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# Words in a Word!

	Use only the letters in <b>MERRY CHRISTMAS</b> to find a word for each definition.					
1.	Twelve months					
2.	Alike					
3.	Large town					
4.	Warmth					
5.	Grows on your head					
6.	Part of a flower					
7.	A seat					



# Color the Nativity

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What can you do to show God that you love Him?





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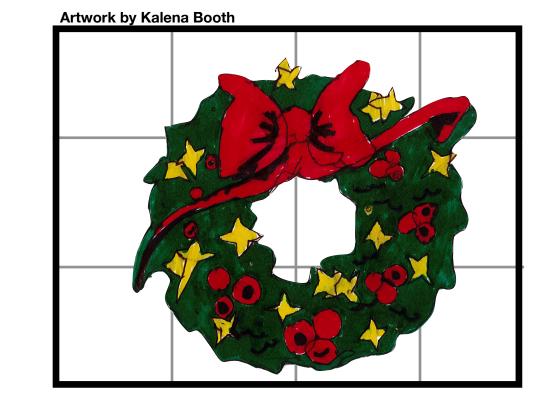
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### Using the example above done by Kalena, draw your own wreath!

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# Day 25

### Luke 1:32

He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. And the Lord God will give to him the throne of his father David.

What was your favorite Christmas present that you have ever received?

What one thing can you do for someone this year as a gift during Christmas?

What one thing can you do for Jesus this year during Christmas?

## Find these words

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### Color the Christmas Donkey!



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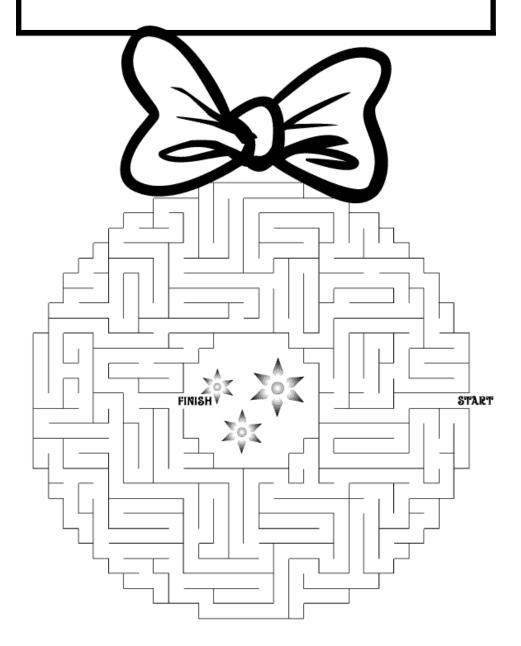
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### Solve the Christmas Wreath Maze!





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### Trace and decorate the tree!

