


JESUS' BIRTH

Bible Reading Pages

1 Week Bible Reading Plan

 **THE STORY OF Jesus' Birth**

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What happened to Elizabeth's baby John when Mary went to visit her?
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What does Elizabeth call Mary's baby in verse 43?
☆ my Lord ☆ the Child ☆ Joseph's baby ☆ that kid

What did Elizabeth and Zechariah's relatives want to name their son? _____ What did Elizabeth and Zechariah say? _____

PRAY THE WORD: LUKE 1:68, 74-75

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Help your kids learn
the story of Jesus' birth
- straight from the
pages of the Bible!

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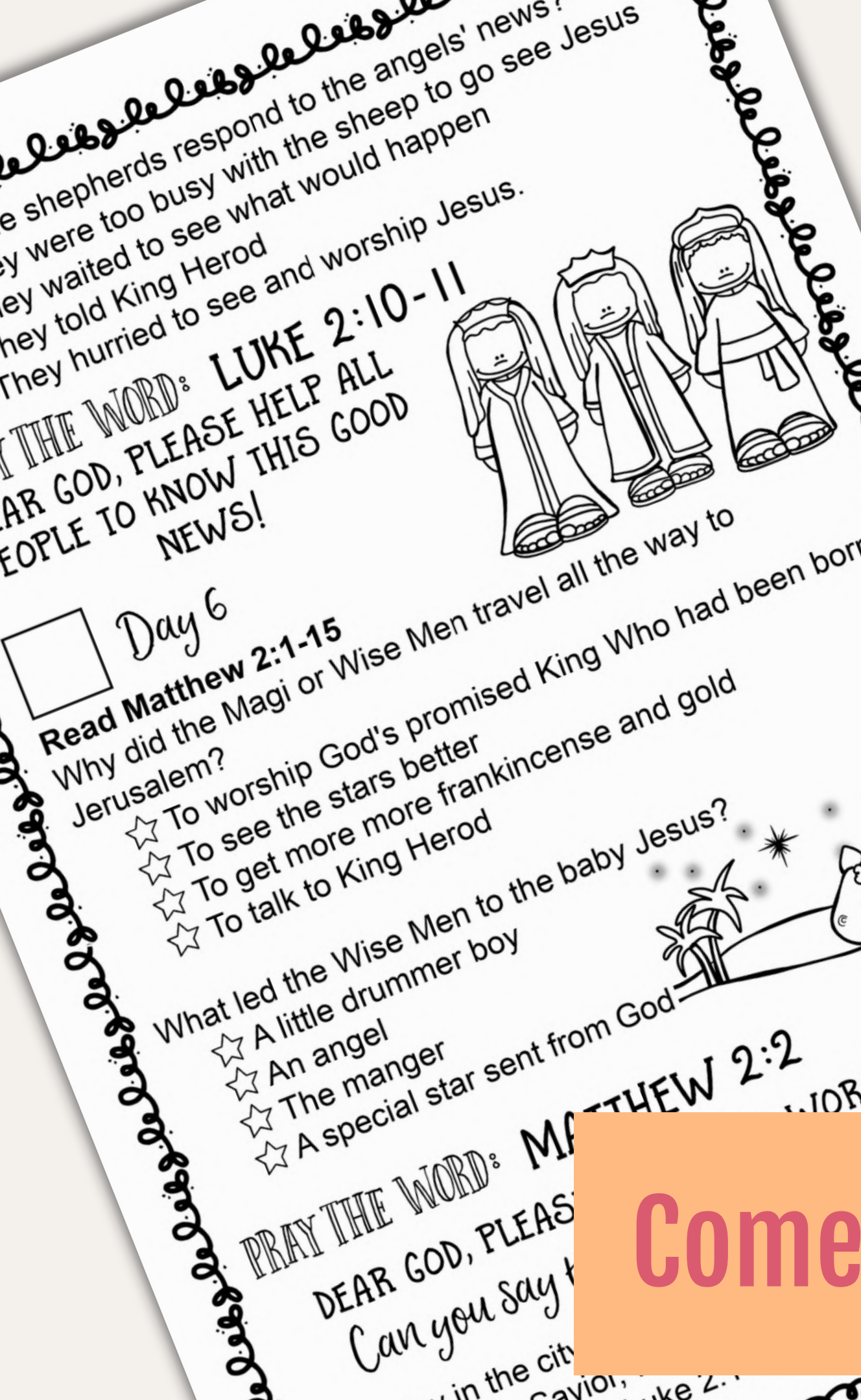
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A step-by-step guide to get your students reading the Bible, thinking, and talking for about ten minutes each day - no preparation needed!

Real Conversation Starters to help kids dive deeper into the story of Jesus' birth!

The Opportunity to help your kids get to know Jesus better!





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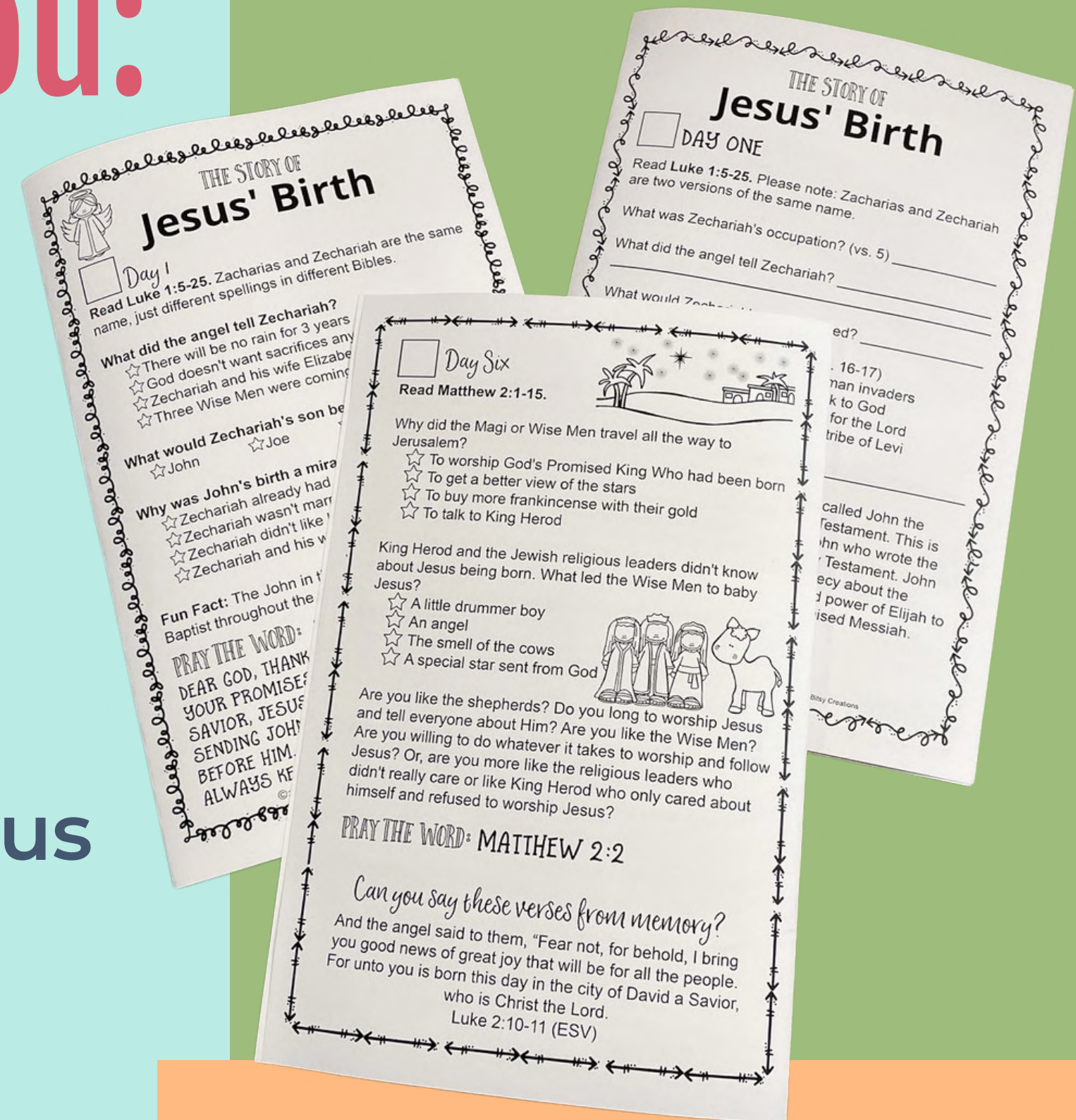
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✓ Read what the Bible really says about Jesus' birth

✓ Invite your kids to get know Jesus better

✓ Lead Kids through deeper prayers of worship



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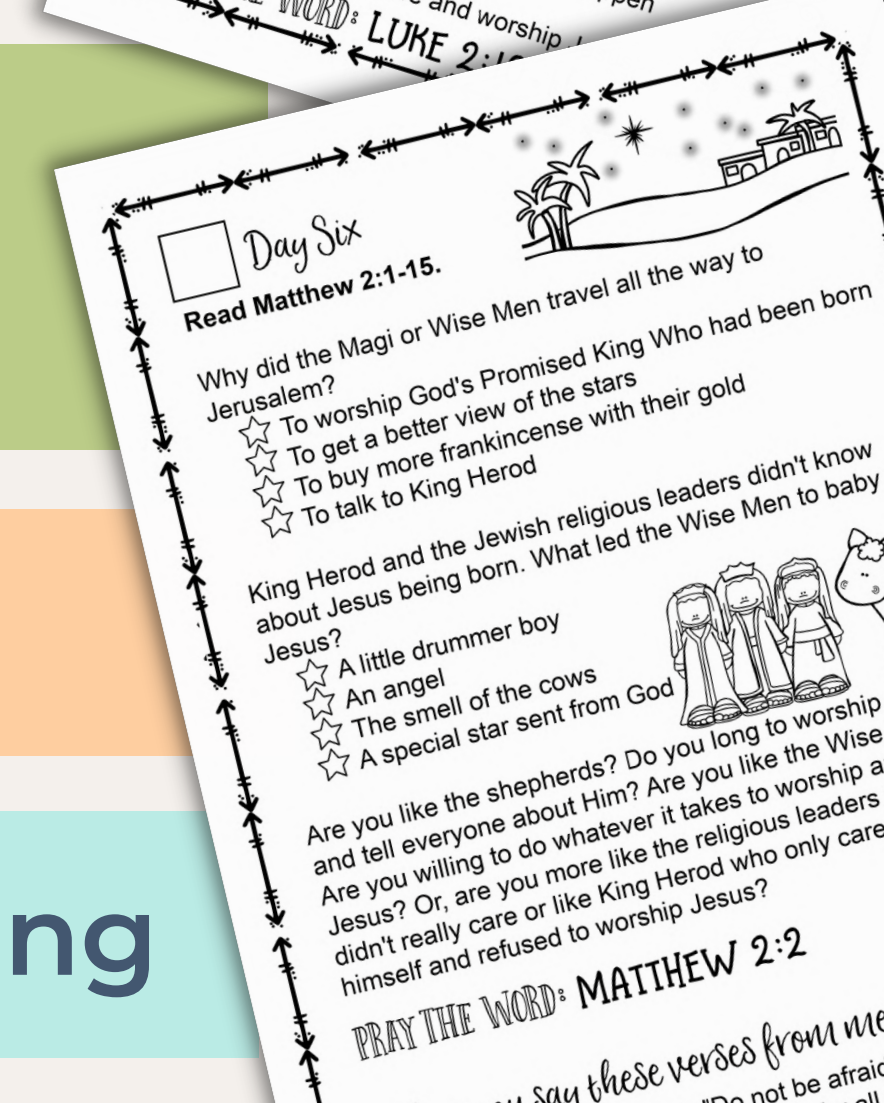
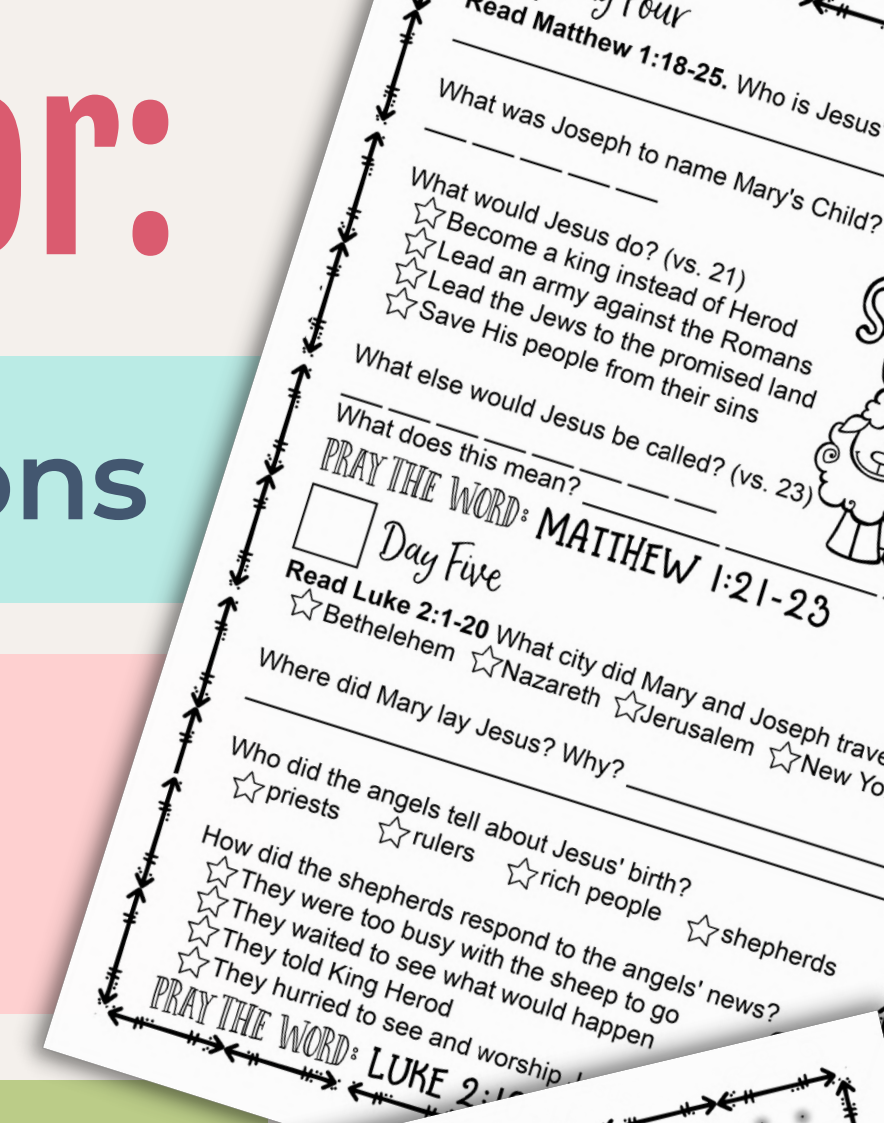
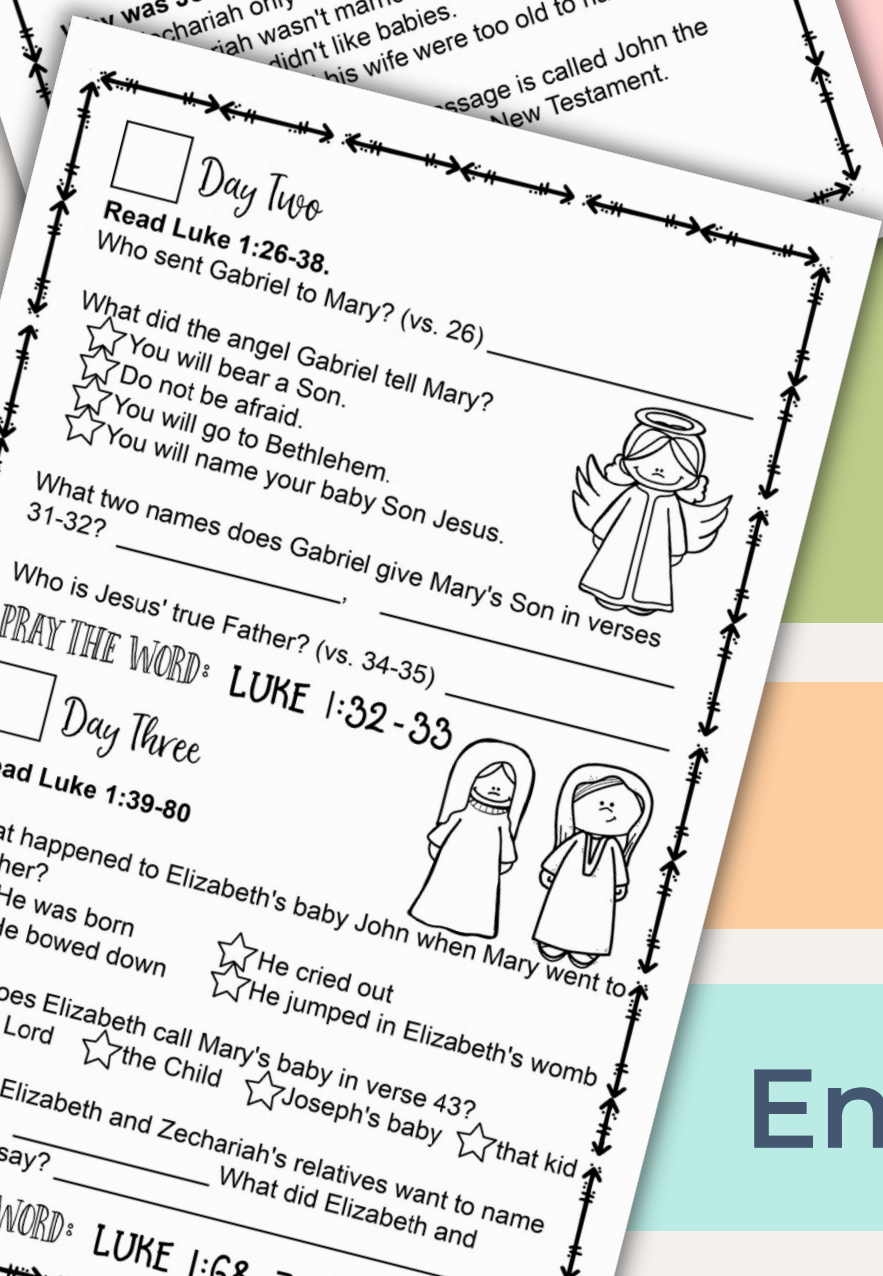
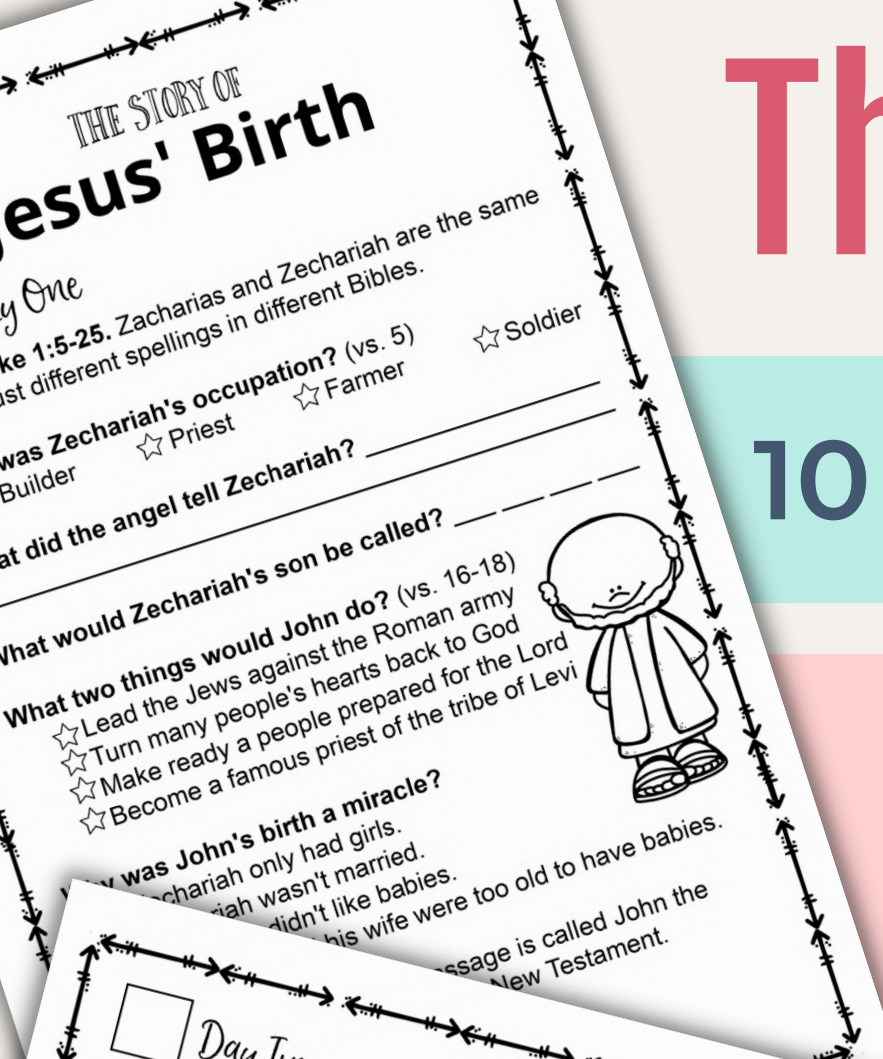
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Still not sure if the Story of Jesus' Birth Bible Reading Plan is perfect for your kids? Print a preview copy and see for yourself!

Download, then print the pages below double sided: pgs 7-8 for Early Readers, pgs 9-10 for Intermediate Readers, and pgs 11-12 for Advanced Readers. Fold the printed page along the center so that day one is on top.



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- Lead the Jews against the Roman invaders
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Why was John's birth a miracle? _____

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How did the shepherds respond to the angels' news?

- ☆ They were too busy with the sheep to go see Jesus
- ☆ They waited to see what would happen
- ☆ They told King Herod
- ☆ They hurried to see and worship Jesus.

PRAY THE WORD: LUKE 2:10-11

DEAR GOD, PLEASE HELP ALL
PEOPLE TO KNOW THIS GOOD
NEWS!

Day 6

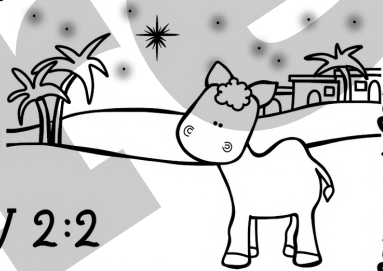
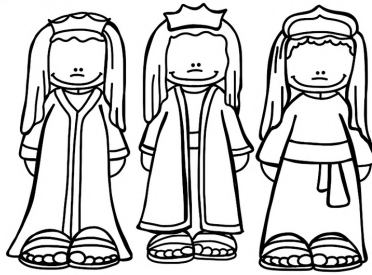
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Why did the Magi or Wise Men travel all the way to Jerusalem?

- ☆ To worship God's promised King Who had been born
- ☆ To see the stars better
- ☆ To get more more frankincense and gold
- ☆ To talk to King Herod

What led the Wise Men to the baby Jesus?

- ☆ A little drummer boy
- ☆ An angel
- ☆ The manger
- ☆ A special star sent from God



PRAY THE WORD: MATTHEW 2:2

DEAR GOD, PLEASE HELP ME TO WORSHIP YOU!

Can you say this verse from memory?

For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior,
who is Christ the Lord.
Luke 2:11 (ESV)



Day 1

Read Luke 1:5-25. Zacharias and Zechariah are the same name, just different spellings in different Bibles.

What did the angel tell Zechariah?

- ☆ There will be no rain for 3 years
- ☆ God doesn't want sacrifices anymore
- ☆ Zechariah and his wife Elizabeth would have a baby
- ☆ Three Wise Men were coming

What would Zechariah's son be called?

- ☆ John
- ☆ Joe
- ☆ James
- ☆ Zach

Why was John's birth a miracle?

- ☆ Zechariah already had 11 daughters.
- ☆ Zechariah wasn't married.
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PRAY THE WORD: ISAIAH 9:6

DEAR GOD, THANK YOU FOR FULFILLING
YOUR PROMISES AND SENDING US A
SAVIOR, JESUS CHRIST. THANK YOU FOR
SENDING JOHN THE BAPTIST TO GO
BEFORE HIM. I PRAISE YOU BECAUSE YOU
ALWAYS KEEP YOUR PROMISES!



PRAY THE WORD: LUKE 1:68, 74-75

DEAR GOD, I PRAISE YOU BECAUSE YOU HAVE SENT JESUS TO SAVE US FROM OUR SINS!

Day 4

Read Matthew 1:18-25

Who is Jesus' true Father? (vs. 18)

☆ Holy Spirit ☆ Joseph



What did the angel tell Joseph to name Mary's child? ☆ John ☆ Jesus ☆ Michael ☆ Gabriel

What would Jesus do? (vs. 21)

☆ Become an earthly king instead of Herod

☆ Lead an army against the Romans

☆ Lead the Jews to the Promised Land

☆ Save His people from their sins

PRAY THE WORD: MATTHEW 1:21-23

DEAR GOD, I KNOW THAT I AM A

SINNER. PLEASE FORGIVE ME

FOR MY SINS. THANK YOU

THAT I CAN HAVE FORGIVENESS

THROUGH JESUS.

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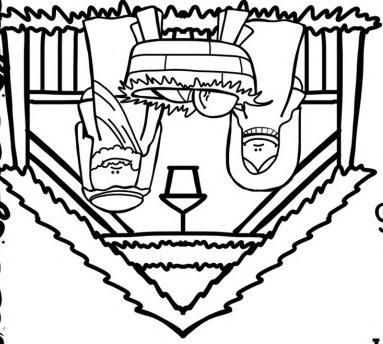
Where did Mary lay Jesus? Why?

☆ In a manger because there was no room in the inn

☆ In a fancy cradle because He was a king

☆ In a wagon because they were traveling

☆ Under a blanket so the starlight wouldn't be in His eyes.

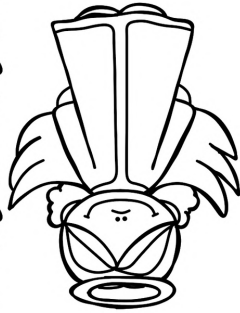


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What was the name of the angel that God sent to Mary?

☆ Luke ☆ Gabriel ☆ Michael



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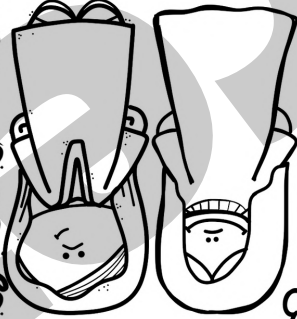
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☆ Joseph ☆ Zechariah

☆ God the Father through the Holy Spirit

PRAY THE WORD: LUKE 1:32-33

DEAR GOD, THANK YOU THAT YOU SENT YOUR SON, JESUS CHRIST, TO BE THE SAVIOR OF THE WORLD.



Day 3

Read Luke 1:39-45, Luke 1:57-66

What happened to Elizabeth's baby, John, when Mary went to visit her?

☆ He was born

☆ He bowed down

☆ He jumped in Elizabeth's tummy

What happened when Zechariah and Elizabeth named their son John?

☆ God made it so Zechariah could speak again

☆ God made it so Zechariah could see again

☆ All of the people laughed at the funny name

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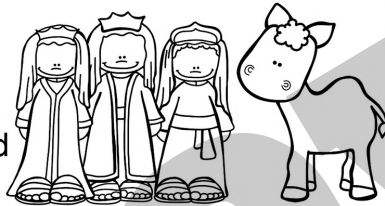


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King Herod and the Jewish religious leaders didn't know about Jesus being born. What led the Wise Men to baby Jesus?

- ☆ A little drummer boy
- ☆ An angel
- ☆ The smell of the cows
- ☆ A special star sent from God



Are you like the shepherds? Do you long to worship Jesus and tell everyone about Him? Are you like the Wise Men? Are you willing to do whatever it takes to worship and follow Jesus? Or, are you more like the religious leaders who didn't really care or like King Herod who only cared about himself and refused to worship Jesus?

PRAY THE WORD: MATTHEW 2:2

Can you say these verses from memory?

But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid. I bring you good news that will cause great joy for all the people. Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is the Messiah, the Lord."
Luke 2:10-11 (NIV)



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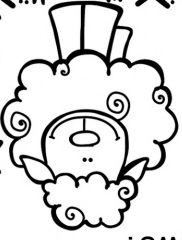


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- How did the shepherds respond to the angels' news?

Who did the angels tell about Jesus' birth?
 ☆ priests ☆ rulers ☆ rich people ☆ shepherds

Where did Mary lay Jesus? Why?

Read Luke 2:1-20 What city did Mary and Joseph travel to?
 ☆ Bethlehem ☆ Nazareth ☆ Jerusalem ☆ New York

Day Five

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What does this mean?

What else would Jesus be called? (vs. 23)

- ☆ Become a king instead of Herod
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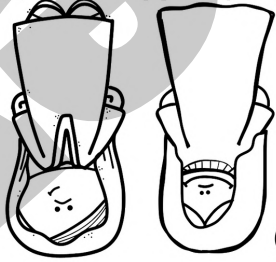
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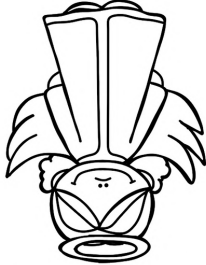
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- What did the angel Gabriel tell Mary?



Who sent Gabriel to Mary? (vs. 26)

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Day Two

(DAY FIVE, CONTINUED)

What did the shepherds do after they saw Jesus? (vs. 17, 20) _____

PRAY THE WORD: LUKE 2:10-11



Read Matthew 2:1-15

Why did the Magi or Wise Men travel all the way to Jerusalem? (vs. 2) _____

Imagine how the Wise Men must have felt after traveling all that way to worship a newborn King, only to discover that nobody knew anything about a baby king. Did they misunderstand the star? Was God not faithful to His promise? What had gone wrong? But, God is faithful to those who seek to worship Him! What did the Wise Men see in verse 10? How did they respond?

When the Wise Men must have been feeling discouraged and confused, God Himself led them. Jerusalem is only about 5 1/2 miles away from Bethlehem - several hours' walk. Did King Herod and the Jewish religious leaders go with the Magi to worship Jesus? _____ What about you? Do you worship Jesus?

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DAY FOUR

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What would Jesus do? (vs. 21) _____

What else would Jesus be called? (vs. 23) _____

What does this mean? _____

PRAY THE WORD: MATTHEW 1:21-23



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