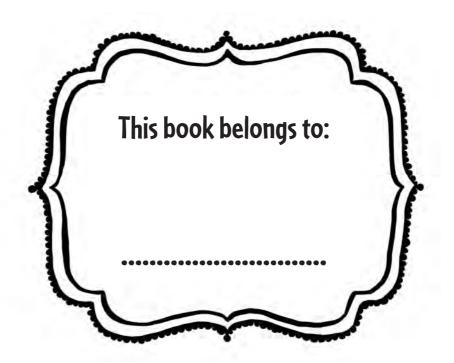


## Christmas King



A CHRISTMAS ACTIVITY BOOK FOR KIDS



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Christmas is about the birth of a special baby named Jesus.

We can read about Jesus in the Bible.

The Bible is God's book, and it tells us true stories about God and his son, Jesus.

One part of the Bible is called 'Luke'—named after the man who wrote it. Luke wrote down what Jesus said and what he did so that we could read it and find out about Jesus.

Turn the page and read what Luke wrote about Jesus being born—because this is what Christmas is all about...

## The shepherds



In that part of the country, there were shepherds who stayed out in the fields at night to look after their flock of sheep.

## The angel



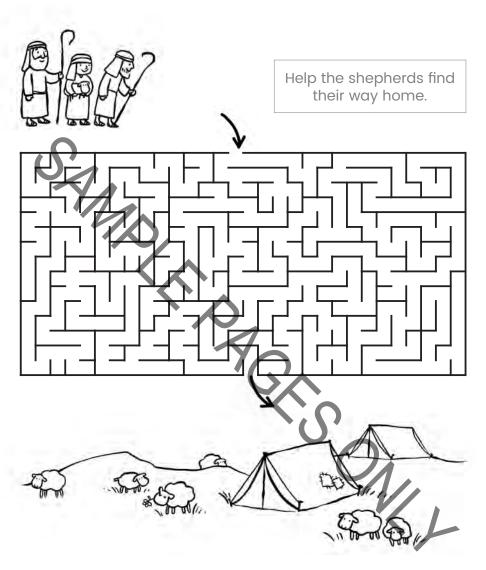
One of the Lord's angels appeared to the shepherds, and the Lord's brilliance shone all around them. They were very afraid.

Join the dots to draw the angel and then colour the angel in.

Colour in the shepherds and draw some grass for them to walk on.

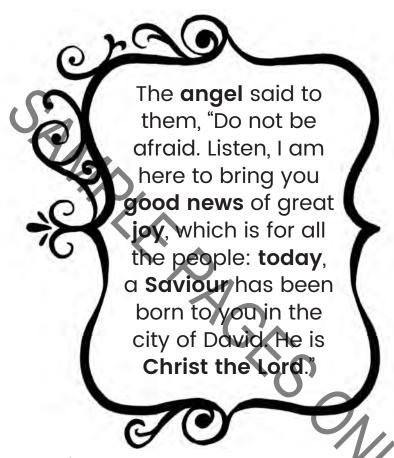


The shepherds said to each other, "Come on, let's go into Bethlehem and see this thing that has taken place, which the Lord has told us about."



The shepherds went back, glorifying and praising God for everything they had heard and seen, which had happened just like they had been told it would.

Finish decorating the frame around this important message.



## What it means...

**angel:** a messenger who has really **good news** from **Good joy:** the really good news will make lots of people happy **today:** Jesus was born a long, long time ago, so the angel said 'today' way back then

**Saviour:** someone who saves or rescues you from something **Christ the Lord:** this means Jesus is the King—the loving boss of everything and everyone

As you've learned in this book, Christmas is about the birth of a special baby named Jesus.

Why is Jesus special? Well, the angel said Jesus is special because he is Christ the Lord and Saviour. That means he is the king sent by God to be a rescuer. Jesus rescues people so they can be God's friends.

That's why this book is called The Christmas King—because Christmas is the true story of God's rescuing King being born.

Jesus, the Christmas King, is really good news!

**LEARN MORE** about what it means that Jesus is the rescuing king at **www.twowaystolive.com/whowillbeking**