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Activity sheet

Love: Mary says yes · Luke 1:26–38

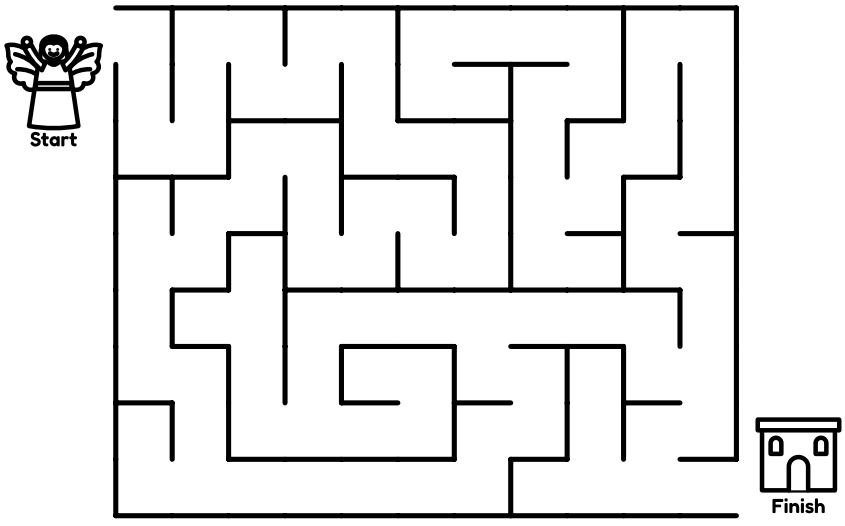
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The words go across and down. Check off each word you find.

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Help the angel Gabriel bring God's message to Mary's house in Nazareth.

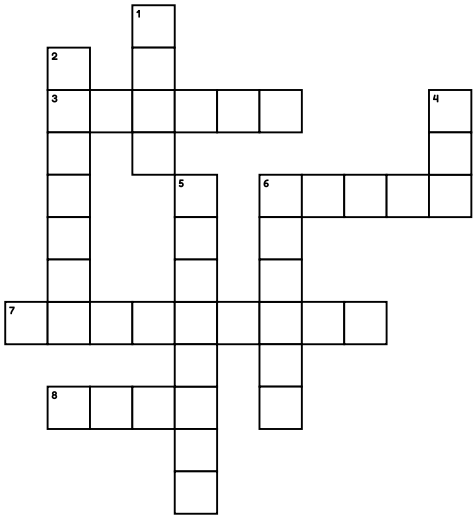


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Crossword



Across

3. "Don't be ___, Mary."

6. The name the angel gave for Mary's baby.

7. Mary's relative, who was going to have a baby too.

8. The fourth Advent candle is the candle of ___.

Down

1. God chose her to be the mother of Jesus.

2. The angel God sent to Mary.

4. Mary said ___ to God.

5. Mary's small town in Galilee.

6. Mary was going to marry him.

Word bank: AFRAID ELIZABETH GABRIEL JESUS JOSEPH LOVE MARY NAZARETH YES

Can you remember?

Circle the right answer.

1. What was the angel's name?

(A) Gabriel (B) Goliath (C) Zacchaeus (D) Noah

2. Where did Mary live?

(A) In Egypt (B) Under the sea (C) On the moon (D) In Nazareth

3. What did Mary say to God?

(A) No way (B) Yes (C) Maybe later

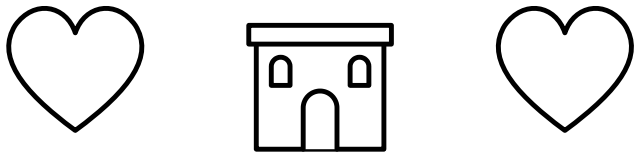
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Memory verse

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Don't be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God.

Luke 1:30



Name _____

Love: Gabriel visits Mary

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God sent the angel Gabriel to Mary with good news. Color Mary and the angel.

Take-home note

Love: Mary says yes · Luke 1:26–38

Today in Sunday school

Today was the fourth Sunday of Advent, when many churches light the candle of love. Your child heard how the angel Gabriel visited Mary in Nazareth (Luke 1:26–38). Gabriel told Mary not to be afraid, because God loved her and had chosen her to be the mother of Jesus. Mary said yes. In Jesus, God's love came close to us all.

Talk about it

- How do you think Mary felt when the angel came?
- What is the best message you have ever gotten?
- How can we share God's love this Christmas?

Try this at home

Write short love notes to each other this week, such as "I'm glad you're you" or "Thank you for helping me," and hide them for someone to find. Set the message angel near your nativity set or on your table.

Pray together

Dear God, thank you for loving us so much that you came to be with us in Jesus. Help us say yes to your love. Amen.

Memory verse
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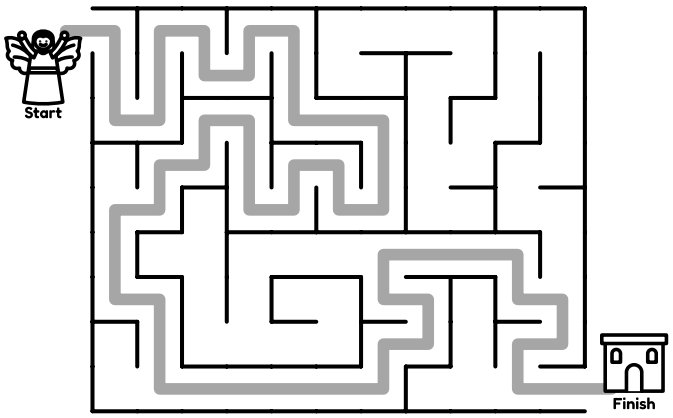
Answer key

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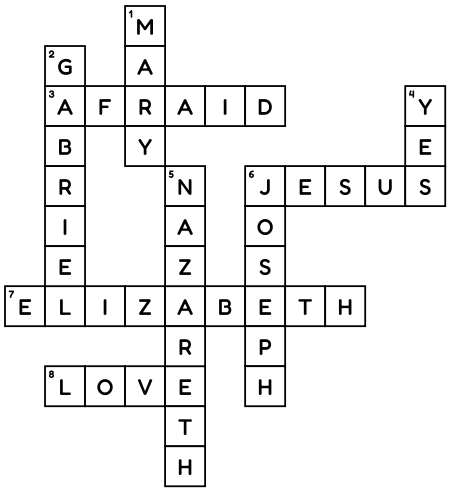
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Maze



Crossword



Can you remember?

1. Gabriel
2. In Nazareth
3. Yes