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Activity sheet

Jesus is born in Bethlehem · Luke 2:1–7

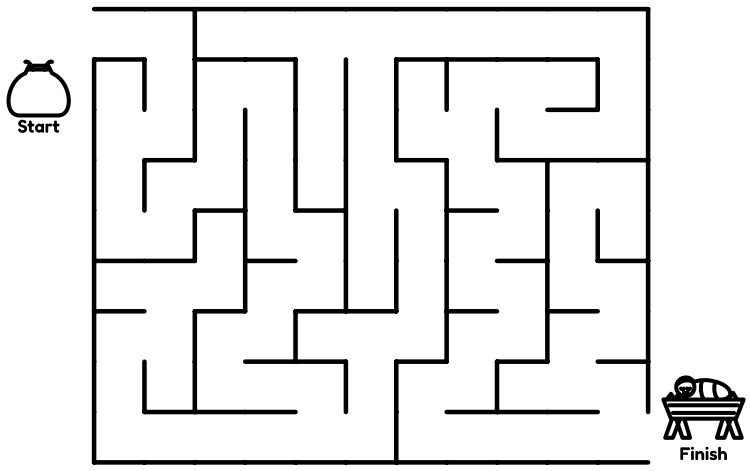
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The words go across and down. Check off each word you find.

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- [ ] JESUS
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Mary and Joseph packed a bag for a long trip. Help them find the way to Bethlehem.

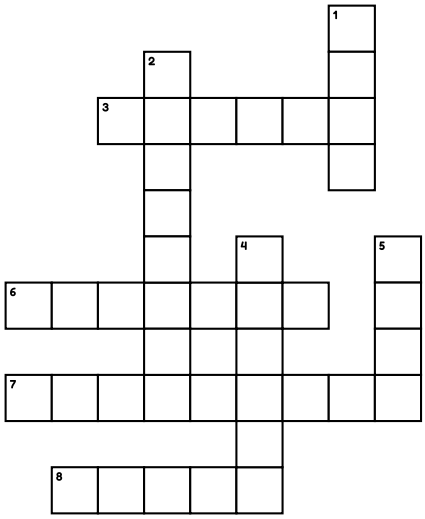


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Crossword



Across

3. A feeding box for animals.

6. He made a rule that everyone must be counted.

7. The town where Jesus was born.

8. Mary wrapped the baby in bands of ___.

Down

1. Jesus' mother.

2. The town where Mary and Joseph lived.

4. He walked with Mary to Bethlehem.

5. There was no ___ in the guest room.

Word bank: BETHLEHEM CLOTH EMPEROR JOSEPH MANGER MARY NAZARETH ROOM

Can you remember?

Circle the right answer.

1. In what town did Mary and Joseph live?

(A) Rome (B) The North Pole (C) Egypt (D) Nazareth

2. Where did Mary lay baby Jesus?

(A) In a boat (B) In a manger (C) In a castle (D) In a tree

3. What did the family name the baby?

(A) Jesus (B) David (C) Augustus (D) Joseph

Name _____

Memory verse

Jesus is born in Bethlehem · Luke 2:1–7

For a child is born to us. A son is given to us.

Isaiah 9:6



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Mary laid baby Jesus in a manger, a feeding box for animals. Color Mary, Joseph, the baby, and the animals.

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Take-home note

Jesus is born in Bethlehem · Luke 2:1–7

Today in Sunday school

Today your child heard how Jesus was born in Bethlehem (Luke 2:1–7). Mary and Joseph traveled a long way to be counted, found no room in the guest room, and stayed where the animals slept. Mary laid her newborn son in a manger, a feeding box for animals. The children learned that God came close to us in Jesus, and that with Jesus there is room for everyone.

Talk about it

- What do you think Mary and Joseph packed for their trip?
- Why do you think God's Son was born in such a simple place?
- Who could our family make room for this Christmas?

Try this at home

Read Luke 2:1–7 together. If you have a nativity set, let your child tell the story with the figures. Some families leave the manger empty until Christmas Eve and let a child place the baby in it that night.

Pray together

Dear God, thank you for coming close to us in Jesus. Help our family make room for you and for others this Christmas. Amen.

Memory verse
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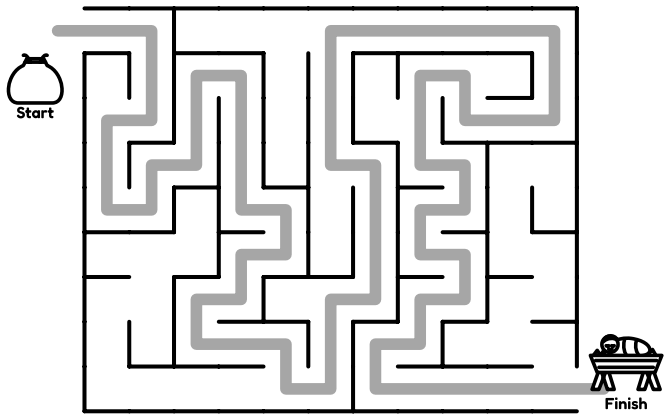
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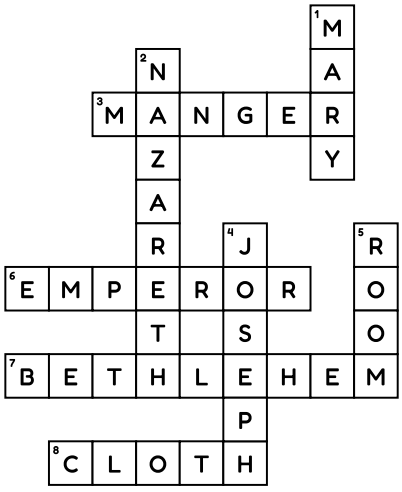
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Maze



Crossword



Can you remember?

1. Nazareth
2. In a manger
3. Jesus