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DECEMBER 12TH | 6-8PM



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We are so excited to have you and your family joining us as we celebrate Advent. This devotional is divided into an Introduction and 5 lessons which can be paced based on your own schedule. There is no right way to do the devotional, the best way is the way that works best for your family and points your whole family to Christ.

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Introduction

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CHOICE BOARD

Do the activity in the middle and then choose two more activities in a row (vertically, horizontally or diagonally) to complete the Tic-Tac-Toe









Drink hot cocoa or a hot drink with your family.

Light a candle to symbolize that Jesus is the light of the world.



Give a hug to someone in your family

Color the God loves me coloring page Do an extra chore without being asked,



Pray and thank
God for
sending Jesus.

Chose a
Christmas song
about Jesus
and sing along.

Make a snowflake out of white paper.







matching game

Match the word on the left with the corresponding word on the right.

Can't remember?

Use your Bible look up Isaiah 9:6 and let the Holy Spirit help you!

wonderful

Peace

everlasting

Father

mighty

Counselor

prince of

God



lesson one

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the ordinary

Isaiah was just an ordinary person, but God used him! Draw a picture of yourself doing something for God.

the truth

Isaiah was an ordinary person, but God used him to tell the truth about Jesus.

Read each sentence and circle True or Not True

God uses ordinary people.

true or not true

Jesus came because God loves us.

true or not true

God can use me to tell the truth about Him.

true or not true

God only used people a long time ago.

true or not true

God still uses people today to tell the truth.

true or not true

The Bible helps us know the truth about God.

true or not true

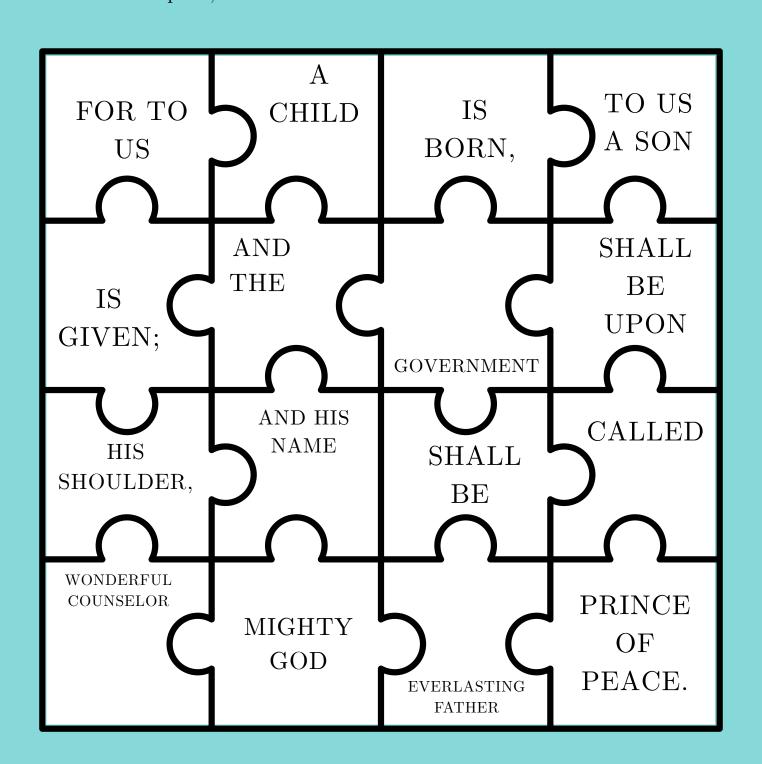
I can tell others about God's love right now.

true or not true

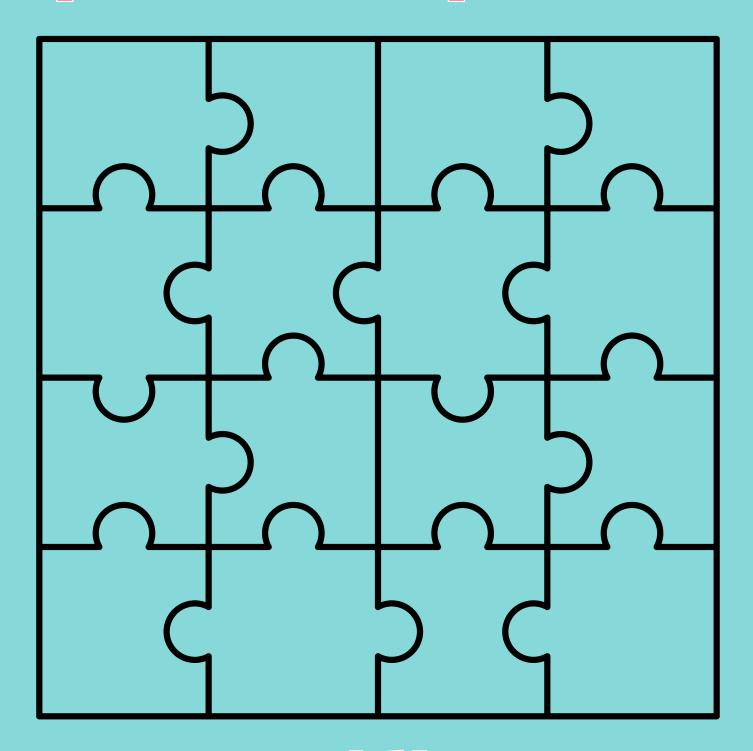


seripture memory

- Color the puzzle and then carefully cut out the puzzle pieces.
- Mix them up!
- Put the puzzle back together to reveal the Bible verse.
- Glue the pieces back together on the next page.
- Once complete, read the verse out loud.



paste the puzzle



now, read the verse out loud!

lesson two

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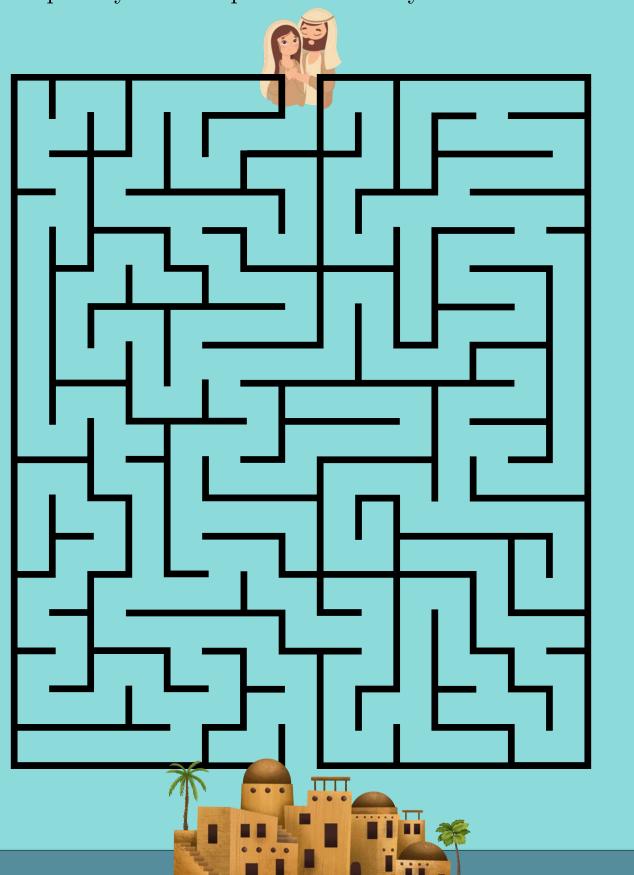
seavenger hunt

Mary and Joseph were ordinary people, but God did extraordinary things through them. Go on a scavenger hunt to find everyday things that remind us of His amazing work!

- something small
- something that grows
- something soft
 - something from nature
- something that gives light
- something special to you



Help Mary and Joseph find their way to Bethlehem.



seripture memory

Fill out the missing words from Isaiah 9:6.
Ask your parents if you need extra help!

For to us a child is

to us a

is given;

and the government shall be

upon his shoulder,

and his

shall be called

Wonderful

God,

Everlasting

of Peace.

lesson three



get creative!

Look at the blank sky on the next page.

You can add cut out the included shapes, draw your own, use stickers, or even glitter if you want to!

what ean you add?

Add stars, angels, snowflakes, shooting stars, gifts, hearts, or anything you think should be in your sky.

Scan to listen to a fun song about the wise men!







think about it!

When you look at the sky you designed, how do you feel about being part of God's big story?

All the stars have descriptions of Jesus. Color the stars that have the names of Jesus from Isaiah 9:6. Mighty Son of God God Prince of Peace Wonderful Counselor Christ Lord Lamb of God Everlasting Father Prince King of of Kings Peace Savior Light of the Son of World God Mighty The Lord $\widetilde{\text{God}}$ Word Emmanuel Wonderful Counselor Everlasting Son of Father Man Lord of Lords Christ

lesson four

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the good news

Fill in the word bubbles with good things that you know about Jesus.



aduent WORD SEARCH

Find the vocabulary words and circle them.

Y	Р	W	S	Τ	Ο	Η	Ο	Р	Ε	G	S
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Jesus	wisemen	nativity	faith
angels	star	Bethlehem	hope
shepherd	manger	Mary	love

Fill out the missing words from Isaiah 9:6. Ask your parents if you need extra help!

> For to us a is born,

to us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his

and his shall be called

Counselor,

Mighty

Father,

Prince of

lesson five



growing up!

Jesus didn't stay a baby. He grew up, and as He grew, He did important things for God. We can grow up and follow Him too!

when I grow up, I want to be:

when I grow up, I want travel to:

when I grow up, I want help others by:

the world will know!

Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Philippians 2:9-11 | ESV



seripture memory

Unscramble the words to find the four names of Jesus in Isaiah 9:6.

efnwludor + Counselor

Mighty + oGd

Itsienvagre + Father

Prince of + apcee

Isaiah 9:6

