

Draw & Color

Color in Jesus and his family.



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Luke 2:1-14 [15-20]

Christmas Eve

The Birth of Jesus

God was coming into the world as a little baby—Jesus! His mother, Mary and her husband Joseph were on a long trip. They had been walking for miles and miles. “I’m so tired,” Mary said. “Are we almost there?”

“Yes,” Joseph said. “Bethlehem is just ahead. Soon we can rest.”

But when they got into town, there were no rooms left anywhere. One kind innkeeper said, “You can stay in my barn. It’s not much, but it’s warm and dry.”

That night, baby Jesus was born. “He’s beautiful!” Mary said. She wrapped him in cloth and laid him in a pile of straw in a manger.

Jesus was God. He was a great ruler. He should have had a beautiful crib and nursery and soft clothing. But Jesus chose to be born poor. Jesus’ life was for people who were suffering and sad. People who had nothing. Jesus came to be one of us and teach us to take care of others, no matter what. What a beautiful thing for us to remember this Christmas!



REMEMBER THIS

JESUS CHOSE TO BE POOR

Jesus could have been born a king, but he wasn’t. He came to be a regular person and care of us.

FIND-A-WORD

How many words can you find from today's story?

W H E N G O Y D C C S H O
H S B A B Y R W L M E T O
B U E E C O A M O E H U M
A N S I T R M O T H E R N
J E S B T H R U H S T H E
B A B S A O L J Y C O U J
B C L I N N K E E P E R O
W O R L D D D S H H A E S
V M R E H A D U A E N G E
Y I T N R H I S N G M N P
B N U O T G O D C H O A H
S G O D W I T H U S E M P
O P O S A M T S I R H C R

WORD LIST

GOD WITH US
COMING
WORLD
BABY
JESUS
MOTHER
MARY
HUSBAND
JOSEPH
BETHLEHEM
NO ROOMS
INNKEEPER
BORN
CLOTH
STRAW
MANGER
POOR
CHRISTMAS

Did You Know?

Many followers of Jesus over the years have chosen to live without lots of money and things and focus on caring for others. When we live a simple life, it can help us feel closer to God each day.

TRY IT AT HOME!

Instead of thinking of Christmas as a time to get presents, think of something you could give to another person who maybe doesn't have a lot of toys or things.