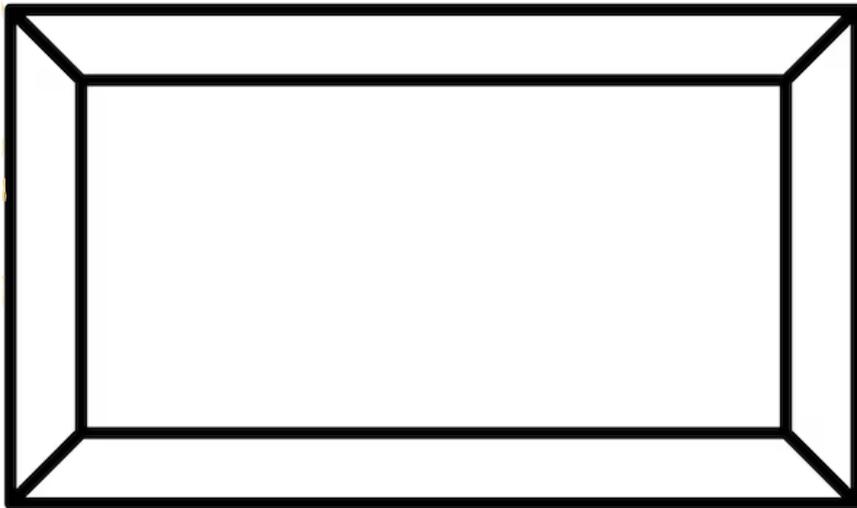


Day 4: READ → Luke 2:1-20

READ & DRAW → Mary and Joseph traveled to Bethlehem, and Jesus was born in a stable.

Look at childhood photos or videos of each family member. Ask your parents to share stories of the joy and excitement that came with each child coming into the family. YOU were such a blessing to your family.

Now, draw a photo of Jesus' birth story below....



PRAY → *Jesus, thank You for coming to be my Savior! Help me share Your good news. Amen.*

_____ I completed this weekly devotion with my adopted pet. (You will receive an additional \$2 Kids' Kash this week.) Way to go!

Child's Name: _____

Parent Signature: _____

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JESUS WAS BORN

Matthew 1; Luke 1-2

Big Picture Question: Who is Jesus? *Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, who came to earth to save us.*

Main Point: Jesus, the promised Messiah, was born.

Day 1: READ → Matthew 1:18-25

READ & DO → Many parents host a gender reveal party when they are expecting a baby. Friends and family gather to watch the parents-to-be cut a cake, pop a balloon, or explode a powder grenade to see what color is inside—pink for a girl or blue for a boy. No matter what the color, everyone celebrates the fact that a baby is coming!

When the time had come for God to send a baby into the world, He revealed the news to Mary and Joseph that Mary would give birth to a (circle boy or girl picture) ...



and His name would be...

PRAY → *God, thank You for sending Your Son, Jesus, into our world. Help us never forget how good this news is for us. Give us the courage to share with others that Jesus is the promised Savior who came to save us from sin and death. Amen.*

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Day 2: READ → Luke 1:26-45

READ & WRITE → An angel named Gabriel visited Mary with surprising news that she would have a special baby, God's Son! Even though she didn't understand everything, Mary chose to trust God and said, "I am the Lord's servant." We can trust God and say "yes" to Him, too.

Play this interactive Echo Game with a parent.
Parent says: "When God asks me to be kind..."

Kid responds: "YES, LORD!"

Parent says: "When God asks me to forgive..."

Kid responds: "YES, LORD!"

Say and write another example...

Parent says: "When God asks me to _____"

Kid responds: "YES, LORD!"

PRAY → *Lord, help me trust You and say yes to whatever You ask me to do. Amen.*

Day 3: READ → Luke 1:46-56

READ & DISCUSS → Mary was so happy and thankful that she sang a song to praise God! She remembered how powerful and good He is and thanked Him for choosing her.

Discuss the following questions with a grown up...

1. Why was Mary so happy and singing to God?
2. What does it mean to "magnify" the Lord (ESV)?
3. What are some "great things" God has done for you?
4. How can you praise God this week?

PRAY → *God, thank You for being so good and powerful and loving to me. Amen.*



For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.

John 3:16