

## Walking With Jesus - Kids Clubs Curriculum

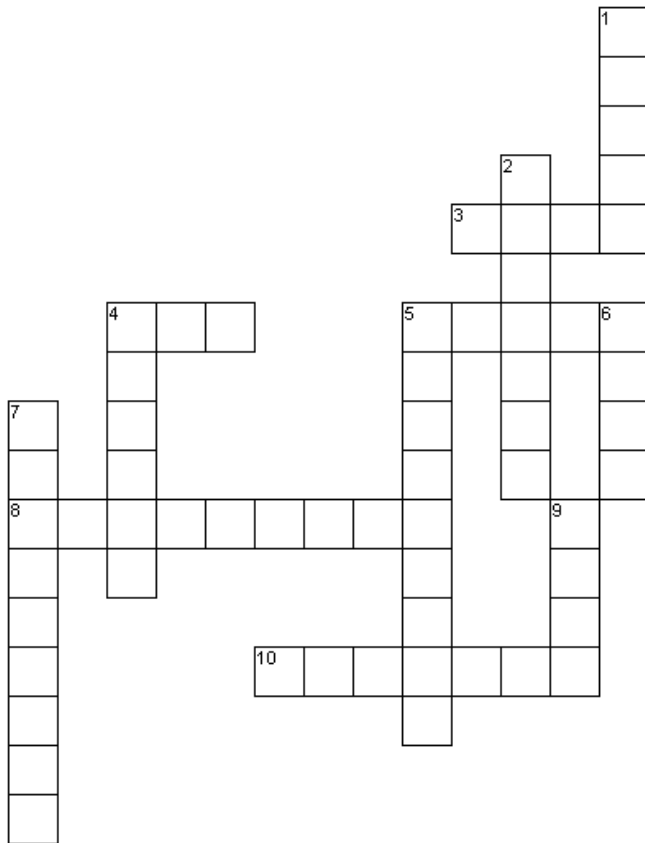
A Chronological experience of the Life of Christ.

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| 1 Zacharias                  | 31 Lost Sheep               |
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| 3 To Bethlehem               | 33 The Great Divide         |
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# Crossword Puzzle



**Across**

3. A gift or the wise men. 4. Delight, pleasure. 5. God's only son. 8. Where your heart is. 10. Ministers to God and His people.

**Down**

1. Wicked King; killed 2 year old boys. 2. Adoration, love reverence. 4. SW Region of Israel. 5. City of God. 6. Led wise men to Jesus. 7. City in Judah. 9. God's chosen people.

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# Three Wise Men

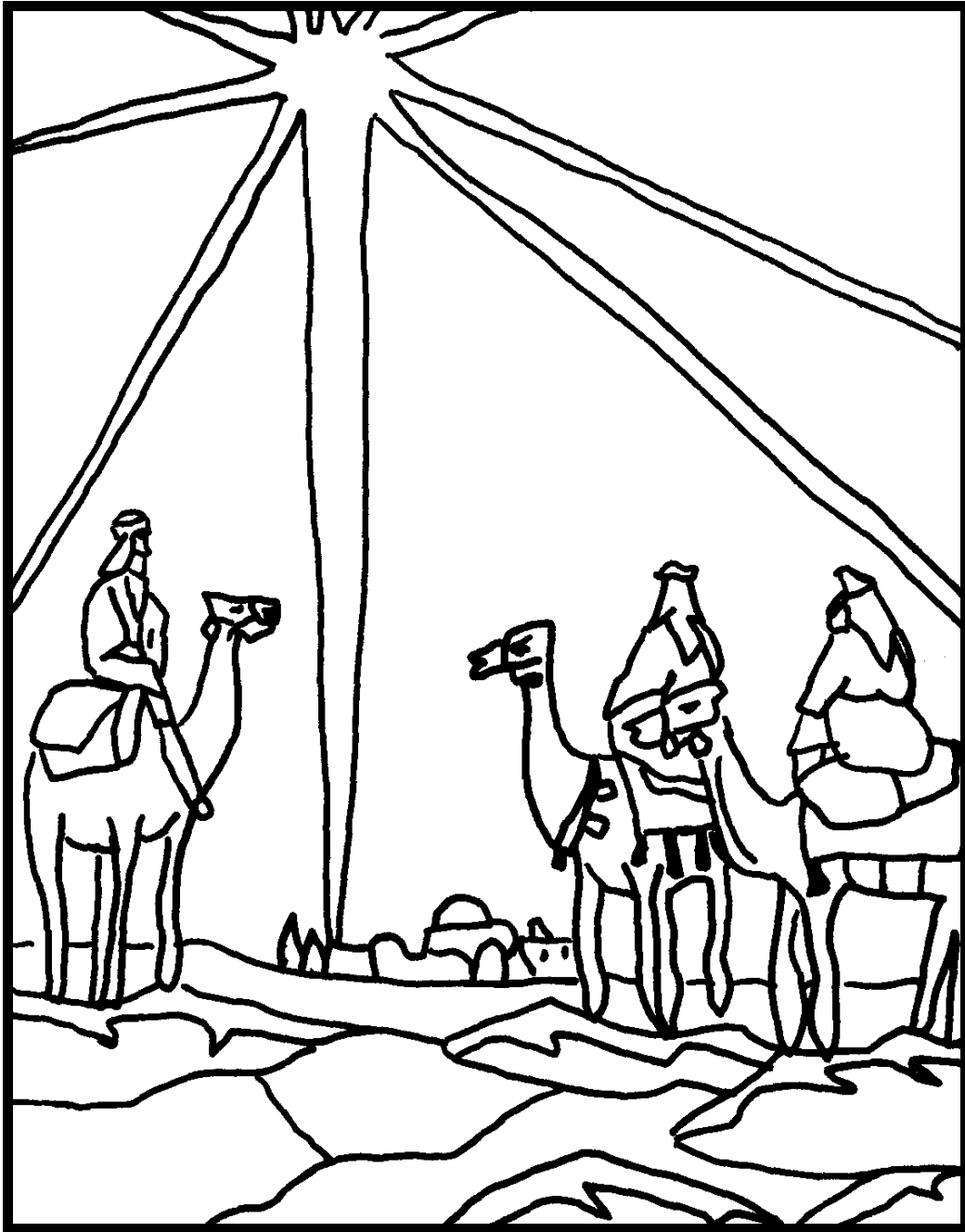


# Word Search

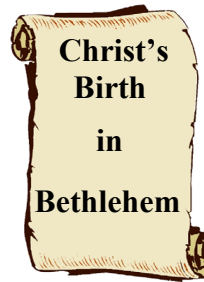
... find the hidden words!

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Jesus	Jerusalem	worship	child
Born	wisemen	troubled	rejoiced
Bethlehem	king	gathered	joy
Judaea	jews	chief	treasures
Herod	star	priests	gold



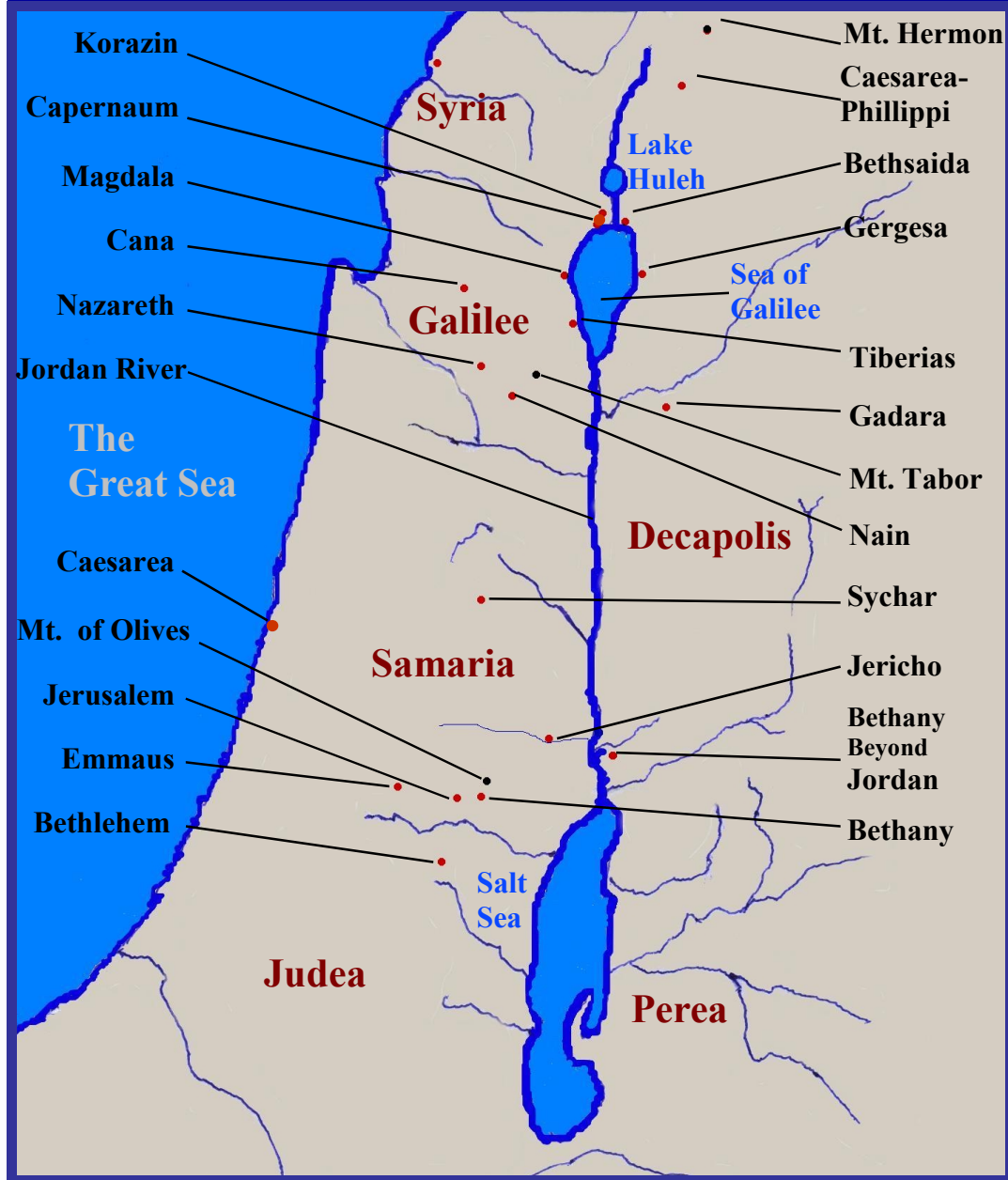
## Matthew 2:1-12



Now when Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judaea in the days of Herod the king, behold, there came wise men from the east to Jerusalem, 2 Saying, Where is he that is born King of the Jews? for we have seen his star in the east, and are come to worship him. 3 When Herod the king had heard these things, he was troubled, and all Jerusalem with him. 4 And when he had gathered all the chief priests and scribes of the people together, he demanded of them where Christ should be born. 5 And they said unto him, In Bethlehem of Judaea: for thus it is written by the prophet, 6 And thou Bethlehem, in the land of Juda, art not the least among the princes of Juda: for out of thee shall come a Governor, that shall rule my people Israel. 7 Then Herod, when he had privily called the wise men, enquired of them diligently what time the star appeared. 8 And he sent them to Bethlehem, and said, Go and search diligently for the young child; and when ye have found him, bring me word again, that I may come and worship him also.

9 When they had heard the king, they departed; and, lo, the star, which they saw in the east, went before them, till it came and stood over where the young child was. 10 When they saw the star, they rejoiced with exceeding great joy. 11 And when they were come into the house, they saw the young child with Mary his mother, and fell down, and worshipped him: and when they had opened their treasures, they presented unto him gifts; gold, and frankincense, and myrrh. 12 And being warned of God in a dream that they should not return to Herod, they departed into their own country another way.

# Holy Land in Jesus' Day



## Bible Quiz

1. Where in the Bible is this lesson found?
2. Who made the first decree that everyone should be taxed and where was he from?
3. Who was making this decree at the time of our story?
4. Who was Joseph's espoused wife?
5. What was her physical condition?
6. Where were Joseph and his wife going?
7. About how far was their journey?
8. Why did they have to go to this city to pay their taxes and not another?
9. When Jesus was in Bethlehem what scripture did this fulfill?
10. Do you believe Jesus is in control of every area of your life?

## Memory Verses

And they said unto him, In Bethlehem of Judaea: for thus it is written by the prophet,

When they saw the star, they rejoiced with exceeding great joy.

## Key Points

1. **Jesus was born to a poor family. Few people knew about Jesus being born.**
2. **The shepherds were the first to come and see Jesus. (Luke 2:15)**
3. **Both the poor shepherds and the rich wise men came to worship Jesus.**

## Bethlehem



Church of the Nativity

house of bread. A city in the "hill country" of Judah. It was originally called Ephrath (Gen. 35:16, 19; 48:7; Ruth 4:11). But it was distinguished above every other city as the birth-place of "Him whose goings forth have been of old" (Matt. 2:6; comp. Micah 5:2). Afterwards Herod, "when he saw that he was mocked of the wise men," sent and slew "all the children that were in Bethlehem, and in all the coasts thereof, from two years old and under" (Matt. 2:16, 18; Jer. 31:15). Bethlehem bears the modern name of Beit-Lahm, i.e., "house of flesh." It is about 5 miles south of Jerusalem, standing at an elevation of about 2,550 feet above the sea, thus 100 feet higher than Jerusalem. There is a church still existing, built by Constantine the Great (A.D. 330), called the "Church of the Nativity," over a grotto or cave called the "holy crypt," and said to be the "stable" in which Jesus was born. This is perhaps the oldest existing Christian church in the world. Close to it is another grotto, where Jerome the Latin father is said to have spent thirty years of his life in translating the Scriptures into Latin.

## **Three Wise Men**

What an exciting time! The news of Jesus spread throughout the land. Jesus was born to a poor family, but those that heard, knew that He was special. A Savior had been born; Christ the Lord! The very day that Jesus had been born the angels told the shepherds about His birth and can you just imagine them as they are keeping watch over their flocks saying to one another, “Hey, let’s go to Bethlehem and see all the wonderful things the angels have been speaking of!” So they went to worship the newborn Jesus, the King of King.

The the Magi (Wise Men) heard about the awesome events concerning the birth of Jesus. And they set their hearts to find the newborn King. They found Him in a manger, a feeding trough, in a stable with Mary and Joseph, because their was no

room for them in the Inn. And when they saw Him they bowed down to worship Him and they presented Him with beautiful and luxurious gifts. They gave Him gold, frankincense, and myrrh.

Although these Shepherds and Wise men came from different groups or back grounds, they worshiped Him because they knew He was the Savior. So no matter wheter we are “poor” as the shepherds, or “rich” as the Magi (Wise Men), we need to realize that Jesus is our Savior, and our Lord. And when He is or Savior and Lord of our lives, He deserves all our worship, and all our praise.