

Shepherds at the Stable

Fall Unit 5:
God's Son, Jesus, is Born

Bible Verse:
"God loved us and sent His Son." 1 John 4:10

God's Word & Me (Bottom Line):
I can thank God for sending His Son, Jesus.



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Luke 2:8-20



One quiet night, a long time ago, some shepherds were outside taking care of their sheep.

All at once, the sky was full of light. The shepherds **looked up** and saw an angel! The shepherds were afraid.



But the angel said, "Do not be afraid. I have good news. God's Son, Jesus, has been born. You can go see Him. He is in a stable, wrapped up warm and lying in a manger."

A stable is like a barn. It is the place where animals sleep. **Baby** Jesus was lying in a manger. A manger is a box where hay is put for animals to eat.



Then the sky was FULL of angels! The angels said, "Glory to God!" The angels were thanking God for sending Jesus.

Then the angels left. The shepherds said, "Let's go find this special baby. Let's hurry!"

Steppity-steppity-step. The shepherds hurried along the road until they found the stable where Jesus was.

The baby Jesus was lying in a manger where the animals usually ate. Everything was just as the angel had said. The shepherds were so happy to see baby Jesus!

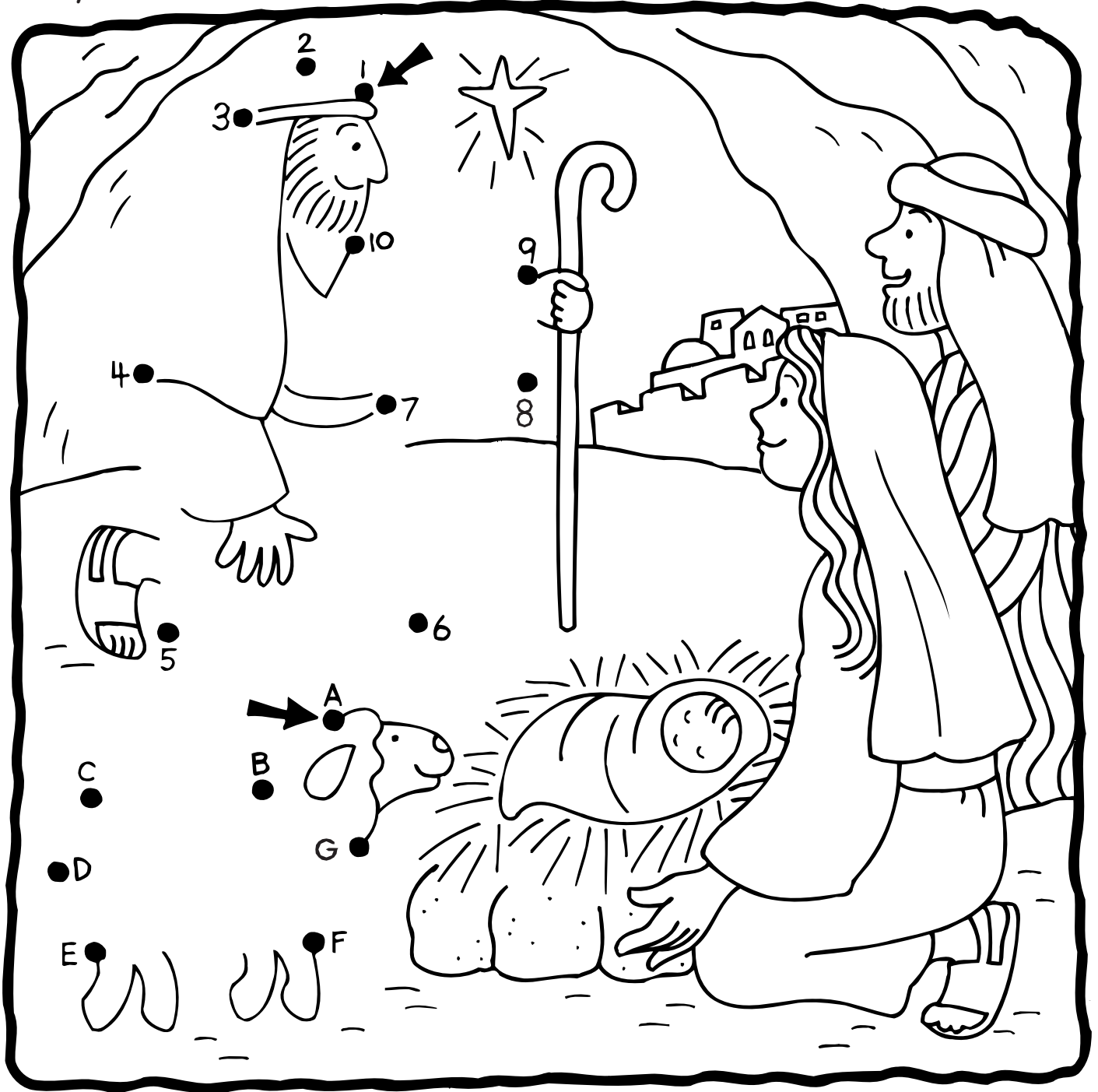


Then the shepherds started walking back to take care of their sheep. Along the way, they **told** the good news to everyone they saw. "Jesus is born! Jesus is born!" The shepherds thanked God for sending Jesus.





Complete the dot-to-dots to see who came to visit baby Jesus.



The shepherds told people the good news that Jesus was born. We can tell people the good news, too. The Bible says, "Good news! Today Jesus has been born." (See Luke 2:10-11.)



Cross off all the numbers below.

Have someone help you read the words that are left. Say the good news together!

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