

Children's House Church - Bible Study (Week 3/17 ~ 23)

Title: God's answer was Jesus

Bible Story: Jesus was born

Bible Passage: Matthew 1:18-21

Today's Bible Study Time

1. Read the summary story and Bible passage together.
 2. Share the discussion questions and pray for one another.
 3. Read over and over and memorize the memory verse of the month.
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[Memory Verse]

2 Timothy 3:16-17

16. All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness,
 17. so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.
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[Summary Story]

One day, an angel told Mary she was going to have a very special baby. The angel explained, "This baby will be God's Son." Then an angel appeared to Joseph in a dream. The angel said, "Don't be afraid. Her baby was put there by the Holy Spirit. Name Him Jesus because He will save His people from their sins!"

Mary and Joseph lived in the town of Nazareth. The Roman emperor, Caesar Augustus, announced that everyone needed to return to their own towns and be registered for a census. Since Joseph was a descendant of King David, he and Mary traveled to Bethlehem, the city of David.

The time came for Mary to have her baby. Mary and Joseph looked for a safe place to stay, but every place was full. So Mary and Joseph found a place where animals were kept, and that is where Mary had her baby. Joseph named Him Jesus.

That night, some shepherds were watching over their sheep in the fields near Bethlehem. Suddenly, an angel stood before them and the glory of the Lord shone around them.

The angel said, "I have very good news for you and for all the people: Today a Savior, who is the Messiah and the Lord, was born for you in the city of David."

The shepherds hurried to Bethlehem and found Mary and Joseph and the baby. Then the shepherds went and told others about the baby Jesus.

[Discussion Questions]

Q1. What does this story teach us about God?

Q2. Who is the good news of Jesus' birth for?

Q3. Why is Jesus' birth good news?

Q4. God makes no mistakes and God's timing is perfect. Have you ever experienced it in your life? Please write it down and share with your house church family.

[Christ Connection]

The birth of Jesus was good news! Jesus was not an ordinary baby. He is God's Son, sent to earth from heaven. Jesus, the promised Savior, came into the world to show us what God is like and to deliver us from sin and death.