

GOD IS
LORD AND KING
Christmas
Year 6
Term 4

A Christmas Play

Characters: Mary, Joseph, Baby Jesus, Inn-keeper, slave, three people to open doors, six shepherds, star, narrator

Scene 1

Mary and Joseph are in the street. Mary is seated on a donkey.

Mary: I am so tired, Joseph. Could we find a place to sleep?

Joseph: Yes Mary. We will stop at once. We have come a long way.

Narrator: Joseph went to the inn. He knocked at the door.

Joseph: Hello. Do you have a room for us? We are so tired.

Inn-keeper: I am sorry. Many people have come to pay their taxes. I have no rooms left.

Narrator: Joseph walked sadly back to Mary.

Joseph: I am sorry Mary. We will have to look somewhere else. You wait here on the donkey. I will go quickly.

Narrator: So Joseph knocked on many doors.

Joseph: Have you room for two people please?

Person 1: I'm sorry our rooms are full.

Joseph: Have you room for two people please?

Person 2: I'm sorry our rooms are full.

Joseph: Have you room for two people please?

Person 3: I'm sorry our rooms are full.

Narrator: Joseph went back to Mary.

Joseph: Mary, I will try once more at the inn.

Mary: Thank you Joseph. We must find a place.

Joseph: Hello again. I cannot find anywhere to stay. Can you think of a place? My wife is so tired and she's going to have a baby soon.

Inn-keeper: I have no room...But wait! If you do not mind, you can sleep in the stable.

Narrator: He called a slave to help.

Inn-keeper: Ben, bring me a broom and bring me some clean hay.

Narrator: The slave brought the broom and the hay and gave them to Joseph.

Inn-keeper: Go with Ben. He will take you to the stable.

Scene 2 In the stable

Joseph: Mary, I have swept this corner. Come and lie down on this fresh clean hay.

Narrator: Joseph helped Mary to lie down and get comfortable.

Joseph: I will put our donkey over here near the cows. And I'll clean out the manger and fill it with clean fresh hay ready for the baby.

Mary: Thank you Joseph. You have made everything so clean and comfortable.

Narrator: That night a baby boy was born to Mary and Joseph. They named Him Jesus. In the early morning light Joseph and Mary looked at the baby in Mary's arms.

Mary: God has been so kind to us. I will let him sleep now.

Narrator: Mary gently placed Baby Jesus in the manger.

Joseph: Mary, come over here and look at this big shining star! I'm sure God sent it to welcome our baby.

Mary: Look, I see some shepherds coming. They don't usually come to town.

Narrator: The shepherds were following the star which led them to the stable.

1st Shepherd: May we come in please? Many angels have been singing to us.

2nd Shepherd: One angel told us that here in the city of David a very special child has been born, and that He would be the Saviour of the world.

3rd Shepherd: And He would be Christ the Lord.

4th Shepherd: The angel told us that we would find the baby wrapped in cloths, lying in a manger.

5th Shepherd: We came as quickly as we could. We saw that big star above the stable.

6th Shepherd: We want to kneel before this baby and worship Him.

Narrator: Mary lifted up the baby to show Him to the shepherd. They knelt down in front of Jesus and worshipped Him.

Thinking Skills Lord & King Yr 6

Christmas 1

Invent a Christmas holiday. Tell of a journey by imagination to Bethlehem at the time when Jesus was born.

Christmas 2

Brainstorm 5 reasons why you would rather celebrate Christmas in Australia rather than China.

Christmas 3

Name 10 possible Christmas presents for children in Bangladesh.

Christmas 4

Think of 5 different ways to share the Christmas story.

Christmas 5

The answer is

“God’s Gift”.

Make up 5 questions.

Christmas 6

What if the Christmas celebration did not exist?

Write down 5 possible consequences.