



Make and Play Nativity by Bethan James, Illustrated by Estelle Corke

ISBN: 9781433680434

## REMEMBER

"Today a Savior, who is Messiah the Lord, was born for you in the city of David." Luke 2:11

## READ

The miraculous story of Jesus's birth is told in Luke chapters 1 and 2, with the wise men's visit in Matthew 2. You'll see how Mary and Joseph, the angels, the animals, the shepherds, and even the stars all joined in to be a part of the story. Today, we too, are invited to be a part of the story of our Savior, the story God has written for us all.

## THINK

- 1. How do you think Mary felt when God asked her to be Jesus's mom?
- 2. Describe in your own words what the shepherds saw, heard, and felt.
- 3. What would you say if you were an angel in the sky that night?
- 4. Why do you think God sent His Son to live here on earth?
- 5. How do you play a part in the Nativity story?

## DO

Announce the news of Jesus's birth.

- 1. Think of something you love to do--draw, play dress-up, sing, build, write--anything!
- 2. Using that talent, create a way to announce Jesus's birth. You can paint a picture, sing a song, dress as a shepherd, or memorize the words the angels said that night. It's up to you!
- 3. Invite your family and friends to hear your announcement. Make the invitations fancy! Tell them to dress up! This is a big deal!
- 4. Now, using your God-given talents, announce the good news.
- 5. Remember, you can proclaim the joy of Jesus not only at Christmastime, but all year long.

God wants you to help Him tell the world about Jesus-just like the angels did that night. (See Mark 15:16.)

