

Bible Heroes from Long Ago.
Introducing: Jesus / Part 1
The Greatest Bible Hero of ALL!

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Jesus is born to Joseph and Mary.

So Joseph also went up from the town of Nazareth in Galilee to Judea, to Bethlehem the town of David. While they were there, the time came for the baby to be born, and she gave birth to her firstborn, a son. She wrapped him in cloths and placed him in a manger, because there was no guest room available for them.

Luke 2:4, 6-7

Joseph and Mary were required to go to Bethlehem to be counted among those living in Nazareth. The "King of Kings" wasn't born in a fancy home but in an open box used to feed horses and cattle.



Happy Birthday, Jesus!

And there were shepherds living out in the fields nearby, keeping watch over their flocks at night. An angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified. But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid. I bring you good news that will cause great joy for all the people. Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is the Messiah, the Lord. Suddenly a great company of the heavenly host appeared with the angel, praising God and saying, "Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on earth peace to those on whom his favor rests."

Luke 2:8-11, 13-14

If you were one of the shepherds, would you have been terrified too? What an amazing celebration they must have witnessed in the sky!

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Did You Know?

The Wise Men didn't see Jesus in the Manger. They came later, and saw him as a child in a house. Matthew 2:11



Jesus's Ministry begins.

Then Jesus came from Galilee to the Jordan to be baptized by John. But John tried to deter him, saying, "I need to be baptized by you, and do you come to me?" Jesus replied, "Let it be so now; it is proper for us to do this to fulfill all righteousness." Then John consented. As soon as Jesus was baptized, he went up out of the water. At that moment heaven was opened, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and alighting on him. And a voice from heaven said, "This is my Son, whom I love; with him I am well pleased."

Matthew 3:14-17

As soon as John the Baptist baptized Jesus, God spoke saying "This is my Son, whom I love: with him I am well pleased.



Jesus was then led by the Spirit into the wilderness where he fasted for forty days and forty nights. The devil then showed up and tried to get Jesus to obey, bow down and worship him. It didn't take long for the devil to experience defeat and go away.

Submit yourselves, then, to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. James 4:7

Jesus, the Great Physician.

Jesus went throughout Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and healing every disease and sickness among the people. News about him spread all over Syria, and people brought to him all who were ill with various diseases, those suffering severe pain, the demon-possessed, those having seizures, and the paralyzed; and he healed them.

Matthew 4:23-24

Today, we have different doctors that treat different illnesses and diseases, sometimes successfully and sometimes not so much. Jesus was an expert in every illness and disease. Not only that, he healed all those who came to him.



Jesus, once more deeply moved, came to the tomb. It was a cave with a stone laid across the entrance. "Take away the stone," he said. So they took away the stone. Then Jesus looked up and said, "Father, I thank you that you have heard me. I knew that you always hear me, but I said this for the benefit of the people standing here, that they may believe that you sent me." When he had said this, Jesus called in a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" The dead man came out, his hands and feet wrapped with strips of linen, and a cloth around his face.

Jesus said to them, "Take off the grave clothes and let him go."

John 11:38,41-44



Lazarus had already been dead for 4 days when Jesus showed up at the tomb and he still brought him back to life. How do you think you would have reacted if you been there to see that miracle?

Lazarus, Come Out

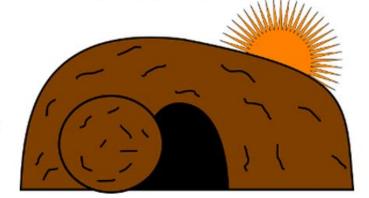
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Word Bank:

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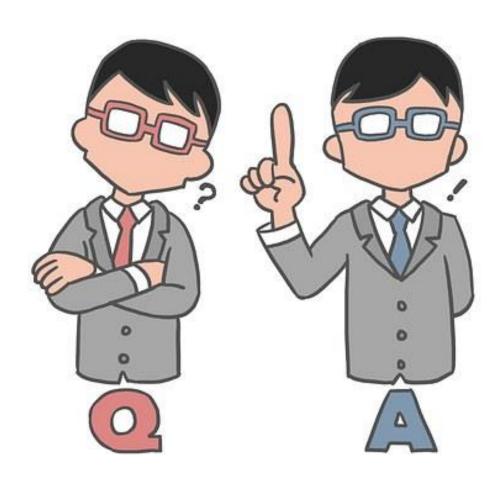
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Answer Key



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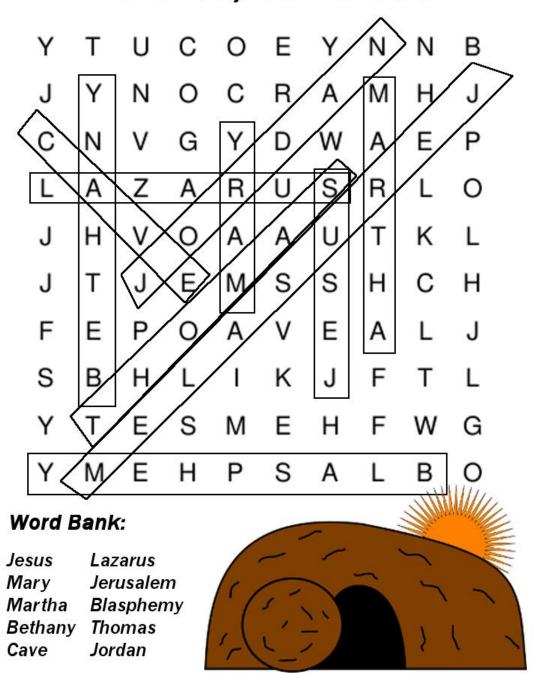
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