

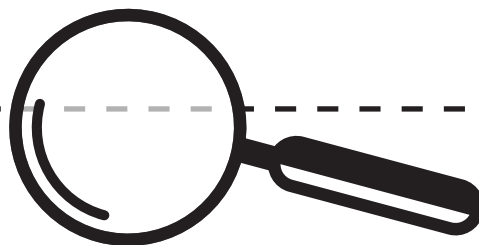
MARIAN

TREASURE HUNT

Explore the highlights of Mary's life with a fun treasure hunt.

Print and cut out the clues. Hold the first clue to hand to children at the start of the hunt. Hide the remaining clues around the house according to the text on each. Hide a prize in the place indicated by the final clue.

The prize may include a book of Bible stories, a book on Mary, a plush figure of Mary, or anything else appropriate.



THE ANNUNCIATION



The angel Gabriel appeared to the prayerful Mary to tell her she'd be the Mother of Jesus. Where do you like to pray? The next clue is there.

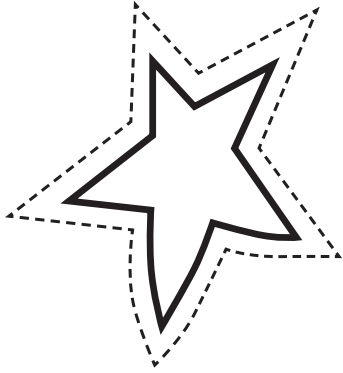
THE VISITATION

Mary visited Elizabeth, and the women greeted each other joyfully. The next clue is at the door where you welcome guests to your home.



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THE BIRTH OF JESUS



Angels and a bright star led visitors to meet the Christ Child. Look out the window to see the stars and your next clue.

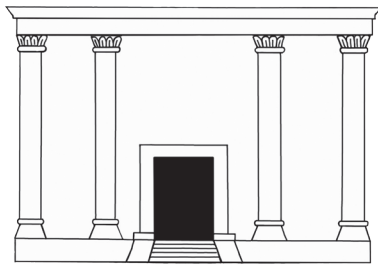
THE PRESENTATION

Mary and Joseph took Jesus to be presented in the Temple, where they met Simeon and Anna, two elders eager to meet the Messiah. Look at a picture of a family elder for your next clue.



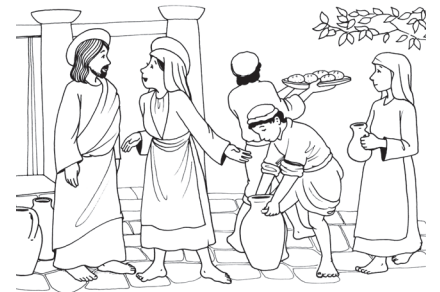
THE FINDING OF JESUS IN THE TEMPLE

Mary and Joseph were afraid when they thought Jesus was lost at age 12. But he was safe with the religious teachers. Find the next clue where you keep your school supplies.



THE WEDDING FEAST AT CANA

Mary told Jesus at the wedding feast that the wine had run out, and Jesus turned water into wine. Where do you eat special celebration meals in your home? The clue is at the table.



THE CRUCIFIXION

Mary stayed with Jesus as he walked to Calvary and was crucified. Those who love us stay with us in our worst days. Remember Mary's tears on the Way of the Cross as you find the next clue near the tissue box.



THE RESURRECTION

Imagine the joy of Mary when she saw Jesus after the Resurrection. Share a joyful family memory, and then head to the kitchen for the final surprise.

