

Angels Tell the Good News

Luke 2:8-20

FALL UNIT 5: I Thank God for Jesus

BIBLE VERSE:

"A Savior has been born to you;
He is Christ the Lord." Luke 2:11

GOD'S WORD & ME (BOTTOM LINE):

I can thank God that Jesus was born
and tell others the good news!



Tell the Story

Open your Bible to Luke 2. Tell the story using the pictured motions (keywords in bold) or show Bible Story 29 pictures.

What do you see when you look at the sky at night? Listen to find out what some shepherds saw in the sky on one very special night.



Some shepherds were in the fields at night. They were watching their sheep. All the sheep were sleeping. Stars **twinkled** high in the nighttime sky. Everything was still and quiet.



Suddenly, the shepherds saw a bright light in the dark sky. *What could this be?* they wondered. Then they saw an angel! The shepherds were very **afraid**.



"Do not be afraid," the angel said. "I have good news to tell you. Today in Bethlehem, a Savior has been born for you. You will find this special baby lying in a manger." Before the shepherds could say a word, the sky was **FULL** of angels. The angels thanked God that Jesus was born. Then the angels left and went back to heaven. The nighttime sky grew dark and quiet again.



The shepherds said, "Let's go right now and find this special baby." The shepherds **hurried** as fast as they could go. They ran down the hillside. Then they ran along the road to Bethlehem. When they came to the stable, they saw Mary and Joseph. Quietly the shepherds came near to see the baby. And in the manger lay baby Jesus, just as the angel had said.

The shepherds were excited and happy about baby Jesus. "Jesus is born!" they **told** everyone they saw. Then the shepherds went back to their sheep. And all the while they praised and thanked God for sending His Son, Jesus.





Look at the picture of the shepherds hearing the good news of Jesus' birth.

Find and color the numbers 1 to 15 hidden in the picture.



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We can thank God that Jesus was born.

Our Bible says, "It is good to give thanks to the Lord." (See Psalm 92:1.)



Draw a line to connect each of the numbers in the correct order.