

LOVE

"You will find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger."

Luke 2:12

For Parents:

There is no love like the love of God. No matter what we do, God's love is consistent and never failing. Children are capable of intense love whether it be for their favorite character, pet or family members. Make a point each day to have a quiet moment as a family to focus on God's everlasting love..

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For Kids:

This is the last week of Advent and when we learn about **Love** and **Christ**. Jesus taught us how to love one another. He tells us all throughout the Bible how to love and care for our friends and family, but also for people we do not know. Talk with your family about how you can show more love to each other as well as those around you. How will you keep doing this once Christmas is over?

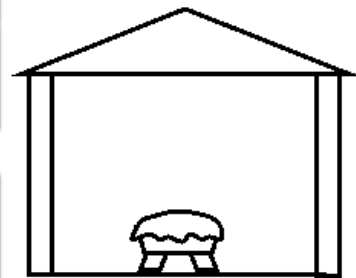
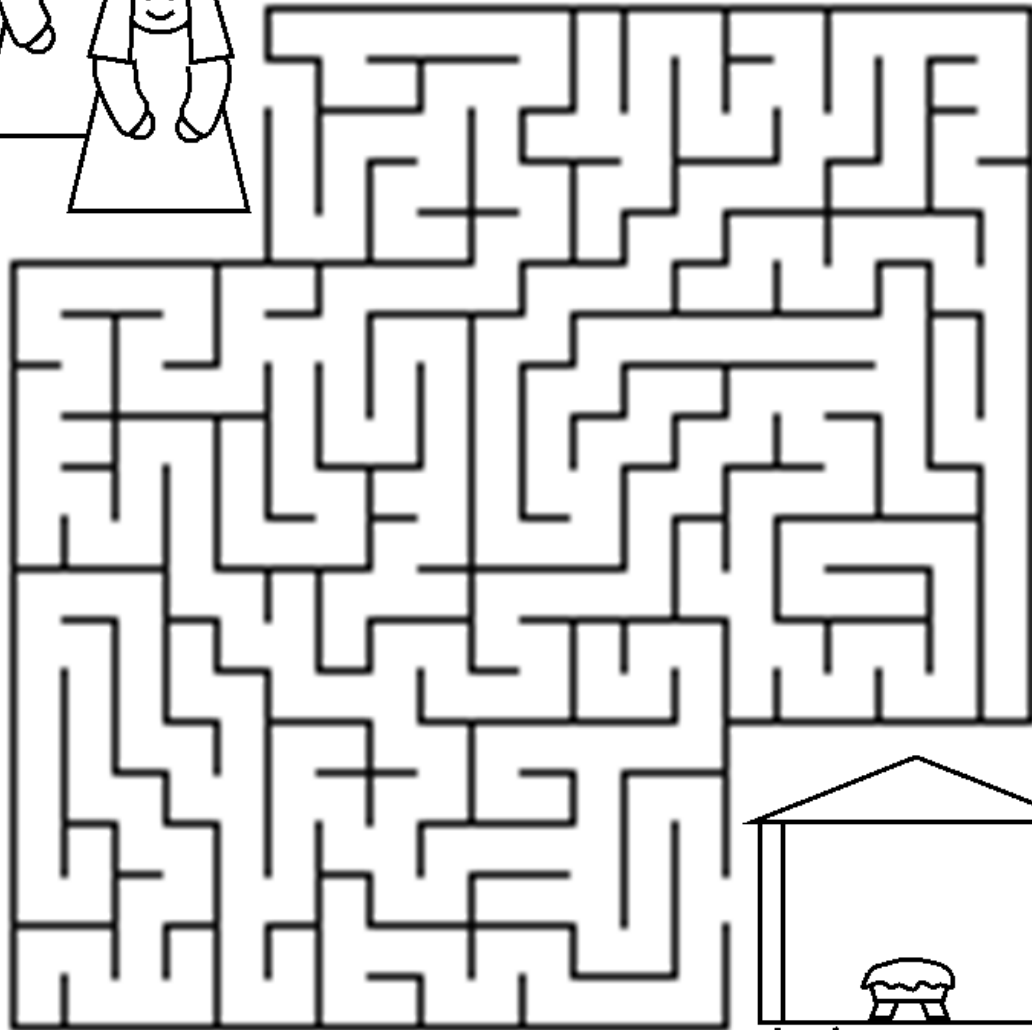
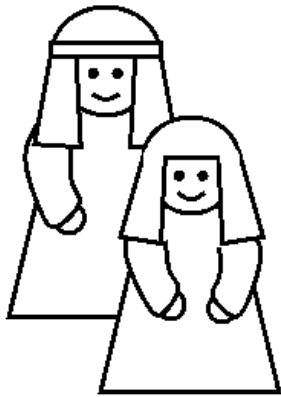
If you have a manger scene at your house, place Jesus in the manger on Christmas Day.

*How do you show your friends and family that you love them? How can you show love to a stranger? Color in the candle of **Love** and open the envelopes on your Advent calendar.*



She wrapped him in cloths and laid him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn.

Help Mary and Joseph get to the stable.



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The Christmas Story

S G B A U G I I S T F O E H C
E H R S I K N T I C B U R F K
M B E F L C A R H S U S E J Z
M A T P E R I A Y N L G O L D
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Y R W P I A F J W D A Q N Y I
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ANGEL
BETHLEHEM
CAMELS
CATTLE
DONKEY
EAST
GIFTS

MANGER
MARY
MYRRH
SHEEP
SHEPHERDS
STAR
WISE MEN

GOLD
HOLY SPIRIT
EMMANUEL
INCENSE
JESUS
JOSEPH
MAGI

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