



Put On Your Own Christmas Play

Ready to act out the true story of Christmas, like Abigail, Evangeline, and Henry did?

Get ready first:

Read Luke 2:1-20 from the Bible together and talk through the following questions.

- Where in your space will you pretend the inn is, and the fields, and the stable?
- What props will you need? Maybe something to be a manger, or stuffed animals to be the shepherds' sheep?
- Do you want to create costumes?
- Will you just act it out for fun yourselves, or invite an audience to watch you? (Parents and grandparents often love to be the audience!)

What You'll Need:

- A Bible
- 5 or more people for your play:
- A narrator (the person who reads the story), Joseph, Mary, Shepherd(s), Angel(s)
- A doll to be baby Jesus

Put on your play:

- Actors should stand in their places—for example, the shepherds stand in the place you've picked for the fields.
- The narrator should read Luke 2:1-20 slowly and clearly, pausing between sentences to let the actors act it out.
- Actors, act it out!
- When you finish your play, sing a Christmas carol or simply pray. Thank Jesus that this story is true—he really did come to save us!

