

Christmas Bible Quiz — The Nativity

10 King James Version trivia questions • Difficulty: Easy

Ten KJV questions on the Christmas story — the angel's announcement, the journey to Bethlehem, and the shepherds at the manger.

Questions

Q1. To whom did the angel Gabriel first announce the birth of Jesus?

- A. Mary
- B. Joseph
- C. Elizabeth
- D. Zacharias

Q2. Who was Mary's cousin, also miraculously with child?

- A. Anna
- B. Elizabeth
- C. Martha
- D. Salome

Q3. What did the angel tell Joseph to name the child?

- A. Emmanuel
- B. Jesus
- C. Christ
- D. Saviour

Q4. From which town did Joseph and Mary travel to Bethlehem?

- A. Jerusalem
- B. Nazareth
- C. Capernaum
- D. Bethany

Q5. Why did they go to Bethlehem?

- A. To visit family
- B. For taxation / to be taxed
- C. To flee Herod
- D. To offer sacrifice

Q6. Where was Jesus born, since there was no room at the inn?

- A. A stable
- B. A manger
- C. A cave
- D. A tent

Q7. Who were the first to hear the announcement of Jesus' birth?

- A. The wise men
- B. Shepherds abiding in the field
- C. The priests
- D. Herod's soldiers

Q8. What sign did the angels give the shepherds?

- A. A star in the east
- B. Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger
- C. A voice from heaven
- D. A white dove

Q9. What guiding sign appeared to the wise men from the east?

- A. A cloud by day
- B. A star
- C. A pillar of fire
- D. An angel

Q10. What gifts did the wise men present to Jesus?

- A. Gold, frankincense, and myrrh
- B. Silver, spices, and silk
- C. Cedar, oil, and bread
- D. Pearls, wine, and honey

Answer Key & Explanations

Q1. To whom did the angel Gabriel first announce the birth of Jesus?

Answer: A. Mary

The angel Gabriel was sent from God unto a city of Galilee, named Nazareth, to a virgin... and the virgin's name was Mary. (Luke 1:26, KJV)

Q2. Who was Mary's cousin, also miraculously with child?

Answer: B. Elizabeth

Elisabeth thy kinswoman... she hath also conceived a son in her old age. (Luke 1:36, KJV)

Q3. What did the angel tell Joseph to name the child?

Answer: B. Jesus

Thou shalt call his name JESUS: for he shall save his people from their sins. (Matthew 1:21, KJV)

Q4. From which town did Joseph and Mary travel to Bethlehem?

Answer: B. Nazareth

Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judaea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem. (Luke 2:4, KJV)

Q5. Why did they go to Bethlehem?

Answer: B. For taxation / to be taxed

All went to be taxed, every one into his own city. (Luke 2:3, KJV)

Q6. Where was Jesus born, since there was no room at the inn?

Answer: B. A manger

She brought forth her firstborn son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn. (Luke 2:7, KJV)

Q7. Who were the first to hear the announcement of Jesus' birth?

Answer: B. Shepherds abiding in the field

There were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. (Luke 2:8, KJV)

Q8. What sign did the angels give the shepherds?

Answer: B. Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger

And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger. (Luke 2:12, KJV)

Q9. What guiding sign appeared to the wise men from the east?

Answer: B. A star

We have seen his star in the east, and are come to worship him. (Matthew 2:2, KJV)

Q10. What gifts did the wise men present to Jesus?

Answer: A. Gold, frankincense, and myrrh

They presented unto him gifts; gold, and frankincense, and myrrh. (Matthew 2:11, KJV)