

Take this Quiz and see How Well You Know Christmas

For the Most Fun, Don't Cheat! Answer each question quickly! Then we'll go back and check each other's answers!!

- For the journey to Bethlehem,
 - Mary and Joseph walked
 - Joseph walked; Mary rode a donkey
 - Mary & Joseph rode a bus
 - Who knows?
- When Mary became pregnant, she and Joseph were
 - Married
 - Just friends
 - Engaged
 - None of the above
- When Mary became pregnant,
 - Joseph married her
 - Joseph wanted to dissolve their relationship
 - Mary left Nazareth for a while
 - An angel told them to go to Bethlehem
 - Both b and c
- Christmas has always been observed
 - On December 25
 - On January 17
 - At Grandma's house
 - None of the above
- Who directed Mary and Joseph to go to Bethlehem?
 - Herod
 - An angel
 - Caesar
 - The IRS
- Just what is a "heavenly host"?
 - An angelic choir
 - The welcoming angel in heaven
 - An army of angels
 - None of the above
- How many angels spoke to the shepherds?
 - A multitude
 - Two - Gabriel and Michael
 - One
 - Who knows?
- What song did the angels sing?
 - "O Little Town of Bethlehem"
 - "Joy to the World"
 - "Glory to God in the Highest"
 - None of the above
- The baby Jesus was born in a
 - Cave
 - Manger
 - Hurry
 - Who knows?
- What animals were present at Jesus' birth?
 - Cows, sheep and camels
 - Cows, sheep and donkeys
 - Lion and tigers and bears
 - None of the above
- What is a manger?
 - A barn
 - A place for hay
 - A feeding trough
 - A Greek term for the church nursery
 - A Sickness found in malnourished animals
- When did baby Jesus cry?
 - When He opened the wise men's gifts
 - Whenever babies usually cried
 - When the cattle started lowing
 - "No crying He makes"
- Joseph's family was from
 - Jerusalem
 - Nazareth
 - Bethlehem
 - None of the above
- Who saw the star over Bethlehem?
 - Shepherds
 - The three kings
 - Both a and b
 - None of the above
- What sign were the shepherds to look for?
 - A star over the stable
 - A baby in a manger
 - Both a and b
 - none of the above
- What did the innkeeper say to Mary and Joseph?
 - "I have a stable out back."
 - "There's no room in the inn."
 - Both a and b
 - None of the above
- How many Magi came to see Jesus?
 - Four
 - Three
 - Twelve
 - Who knows?
- What in the world are Magi?
 - Eastern kings
 - Magicians
 - Astrologers
 - None of the above
- Where did the Magi find Jesus?
 - A manger
 - A house
 - Vacation Bible School
 - None of the above
- Where did you find most of your answers?
 - Matthew, Mark, Luke and John
 - Matthew and Luke
 - Mark and John.
 - Matthew, Mark and Luke

Answers to Christmas Quiz:

- 1.) **D.** The Bible gives no record of their means of travel. Luke 2:4-5 Joseph also went up from Galilee, from the city of Nazareth, to Judea, to the city of David which is called Bethlehem, because he was of the house and family of David, ⁵in order to register along with Mary, who was engaged to him, and was with child.
- 2.) **C.** Engaged. Luke 1:26-27 Now in the sixth month the angel Gabriel was sent from God to a city in Galilee called Nazareth, ²⁷to a virgin engaged to a man whose name was Joseph, of the descendants of David; and the virgin's name was Mary.
- 3.) **B** and **C.** Matthew 1:19; And Joseph her husband, being a righteous man and not wanting to disgrace her, planned to send her away secretly. Luke 1:38-40 And Mary said, "Behold, the bondservant of the Lord; may it be done to me according to your word." And the angel departed from her. ³⁹Now at this time Mary arose and went in a hurry to the hill country, to a city of Judah, ⁴⁰and entered the house of Zacharias and greeted Elizabeth.
- 4.) **D.** December 25 was selected late in the 4th century as the day to celebrate Christ's birth.
- 5.) **C.** Luke 2:1. Now in those days a decree went out from Caesar Augustus, that a census be taken of all the inhabited earth.
- 6.) **C.** Not a choir!
- 7.) **A** and **C.** Luke 2:9 And an angel of the Lord suddenly stood before them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them; and they were terribly frightened. Luke 2:13-14 And suddenly there appeared with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying, ¹⁴"Glory to God in the highest, And on earth peace among men with whom He is pleased."
- 8.) **D.** They didn't sing; they said. OK, if you picked **C** we'll give you 2 points! Luke 2:13-14. And suddenly there appeared with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying, ¹⁴"Glory to God in the highest, And on earth peace among men with whom He is pleased."
- 9.) **D.** We aren't told where Jesus was born, only that after His birth He was laid in a manger. Luke 2:6-7. While they were there, the days were completed for her to give birth. ⁷And she gave birth to her firstborn son; and she wrapped Him in cloths, and laid Him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn.
- 10.) **D.** The Bible doesn't say anything about animals being present. Luke 2:7, 12 and 16. And she gave birth to her firstborn son; and she wrapped Him in cloths, and laid Him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn. ¹²"This will be a sign for you: you will find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger." ¹⁶So they came in a hurry and found their way to Mary and Joseph, and the baby as He lay in the manger.
- 11.) **C.** A Feeding Trough. OK, if you picked **B** we'll give you 2 points.
- 12.) **B.** He was fully human as well as fully God.
- 13.) **C.** Luke 2: 4. Joseph also went up from Galilee, from the city of Nazareth, to Judea, to the city of David which is called Bethlehem, because he was of the house and family of David.
- 14.) **D.** None of the above. (Three kings are not mentioned in the Bible!) Matt. 2: 1-2. Now after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea in the days of Herod the king, magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, ²"Where is He who has been born King of the Jews? For we saw His star in the east and have come to worship Him. Matt. 2:11. After coming into the house they saw the Child with Mary His mother; and they fell to the ground and worshiped Him. Then, opening their treasures, they presented to Him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.
- 15.) **B.** Luke 2:12. This will be a sign for you: you will find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger.
- 16.) **D.** An innkeeper is never mentioned in the Scriptures!
- 17.) **D.** Nobody knows! The Bible doesn't say how many came, only that a group of Magi came who gave unknown amounts of three gifts, gold, frankincense and myrrh, to Jesus as they worshipped Him.
- 18.) **C.** Matt. 2: 1-2. Now after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea in the days of Herod the king, magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, ²"Where is He who has been born King of the Jews? For we saw His star in the east and have come to worship Him." Astrologers.
- 19.) **B.** Matt. 2:11. After coming into the house they saw the Child with Mary His mother; and they fell to the ground and worshiped Him. Then, opening their treasures, they presented to Him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.
- 20.) **B.** Check it out . . . Knowing this is the key to a great Score!!

Scoring: 5 Points per question

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| 95 -100: | Congratulations! You know Christmas! |
| 85 - 94: | Not Bad! Truth wins over tradition. |
| 75 - 84: | Uh oh! Too many Christmas plays. |
| 65 - 74: | Ouch! Better get out your Bible!! |