



Read the Christmas Story Together

Time to dig out the family Bible! Can you find the Christmas story? Hint...it is in the New Testament. There is much more to the story than just a baby in a manger. The extra parts are in [] if you'd rather not read them all right now, but it is important to know the whole story. You may also notice some important parts of our tradition are barely mentioned. Only Luke mentions the shepherds and only Matthew mentions the wise men AND he doesn't even say how many wise men there were!

Matthew [1:1-17], 1:18-25, 2:1-12, [2:13-18]

and

Luke [1:5-25], 1:26-38, [1:39-80], 2:1-20, [2:21-40]