



The Gift of Christmas

We hope you enjoy these colour in puppets to help you tell the 'Story of Christmas' at home or in school.

Simply print the pages out onto white card, colour in the characters, cut them out, and stick wooden lollipop sticks to the back using double sided tape or glue.

Materials List



Scissors



Lollipop sticks



Colouring Equipment



Double sided tape or glue

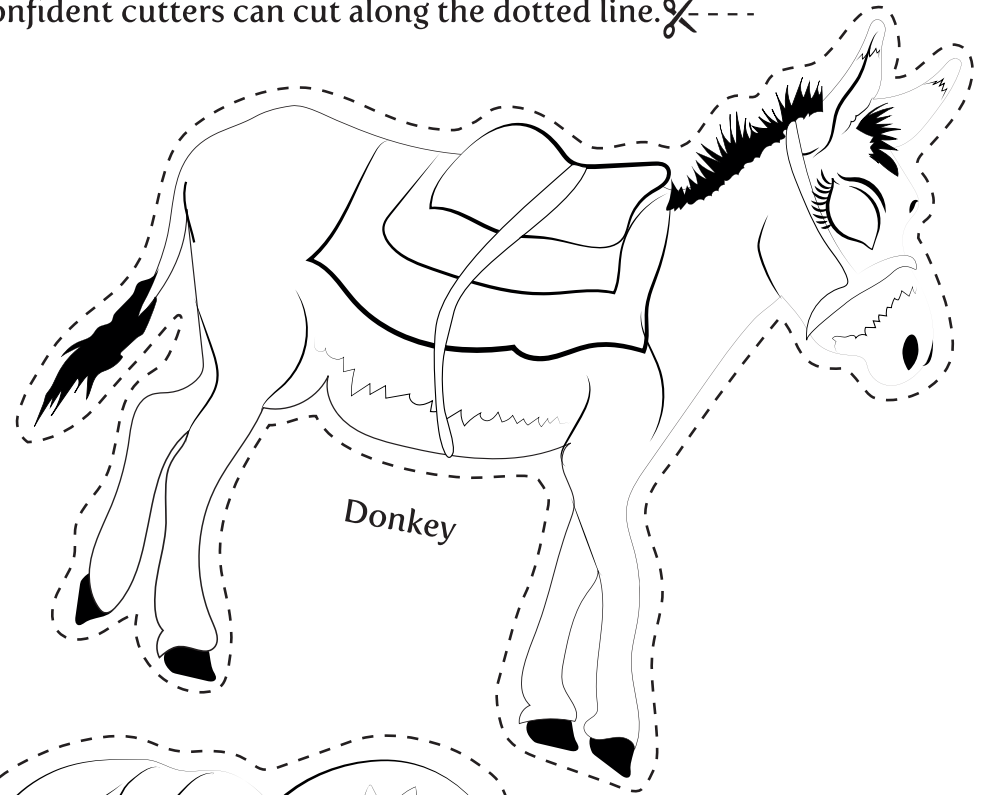


White Card

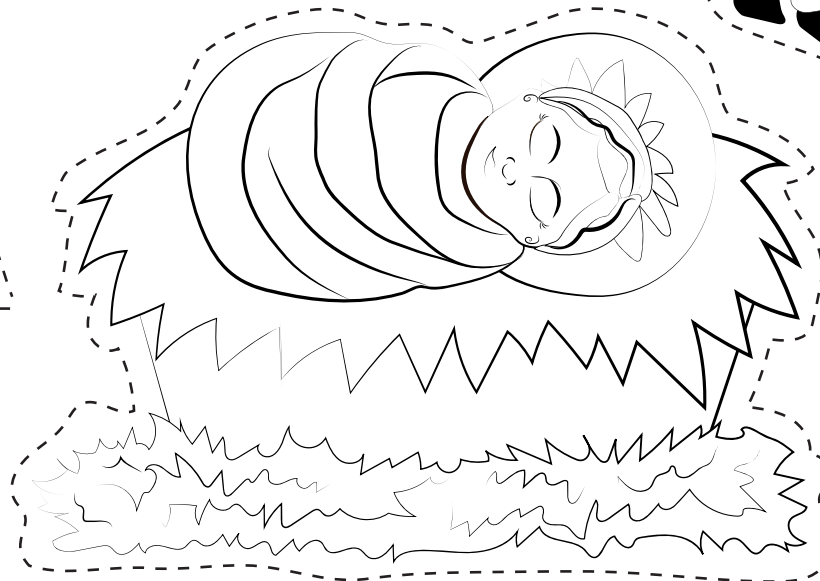
Please take care with cutting and using scissors, ask a parent for help if needed.
Confident cutters can cut along the solid line around the characters shape.
Less confident cutters can cut along the dotted line. ✂️



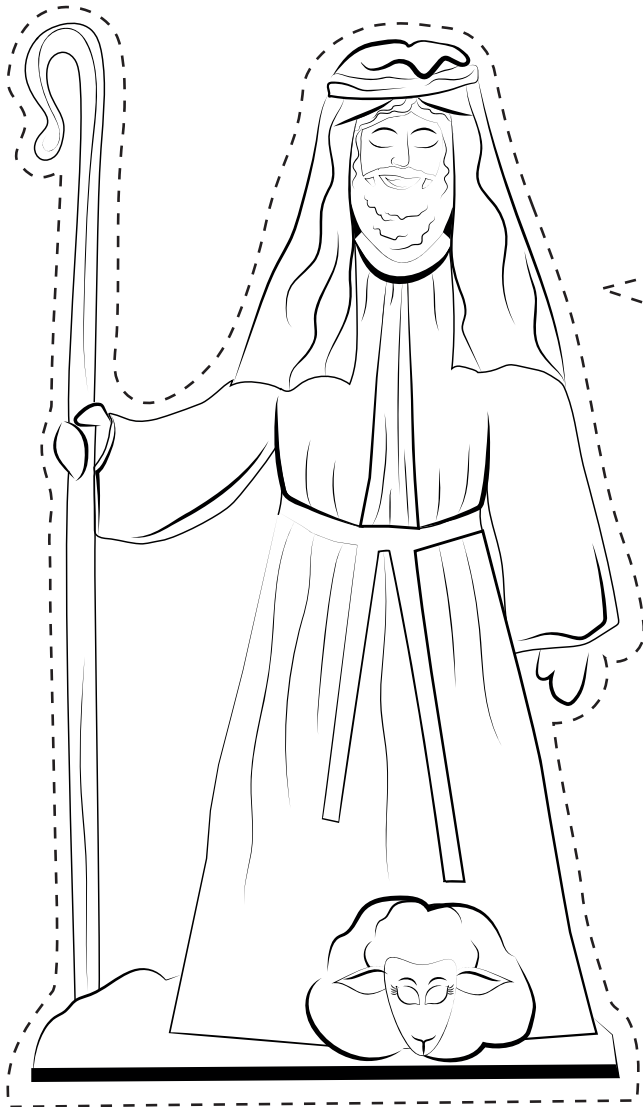
Mary and Joseph



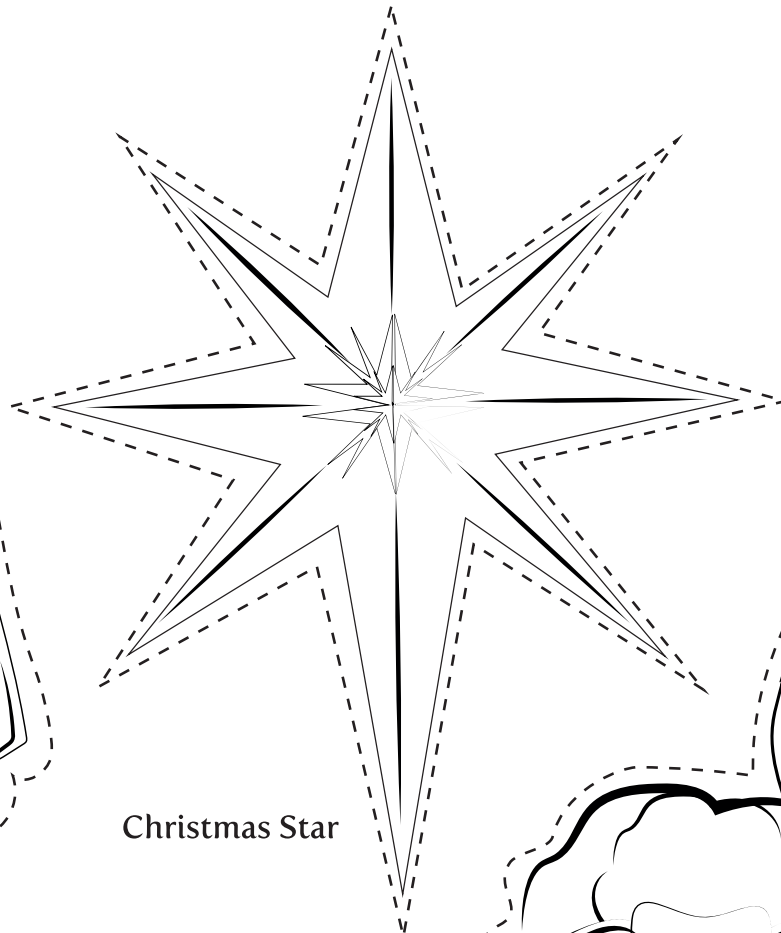
Donkey



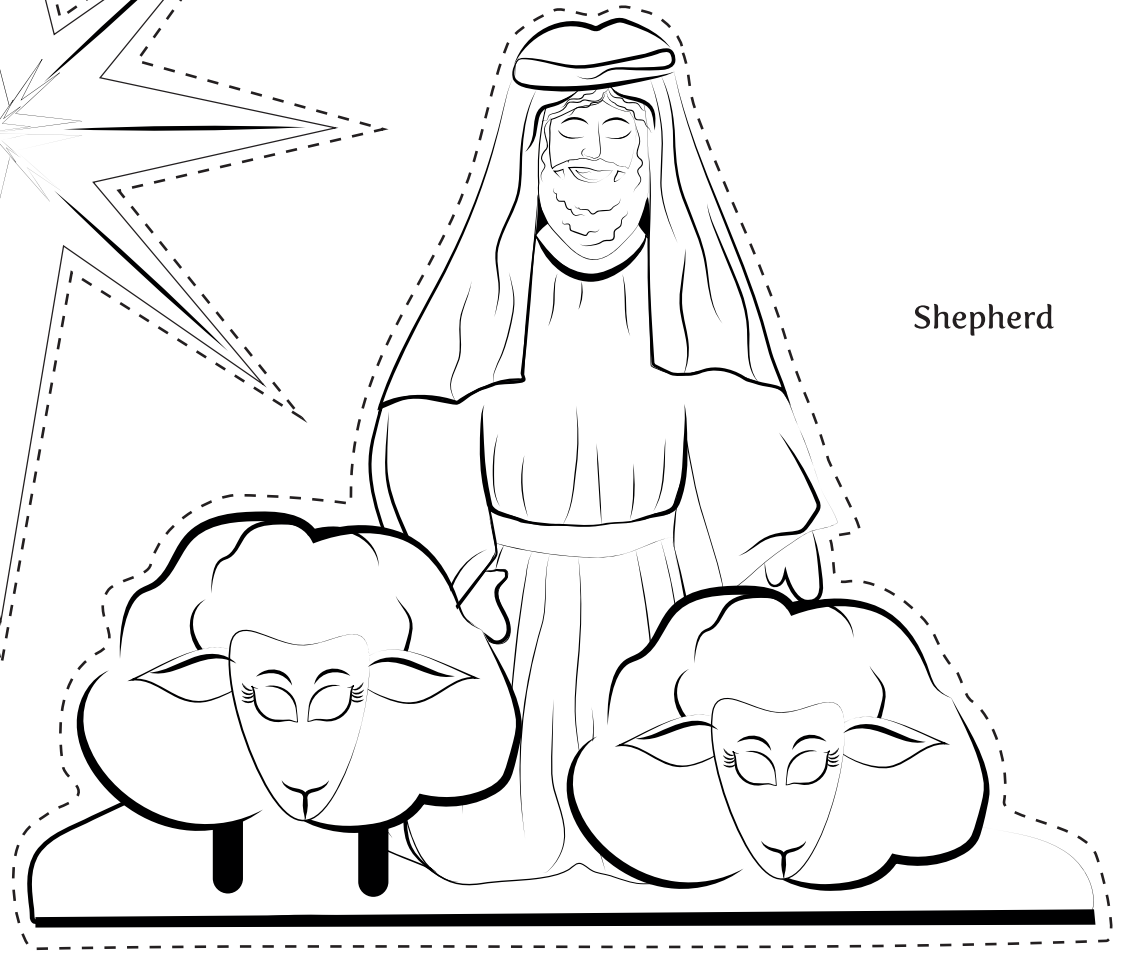
Baby Jesus



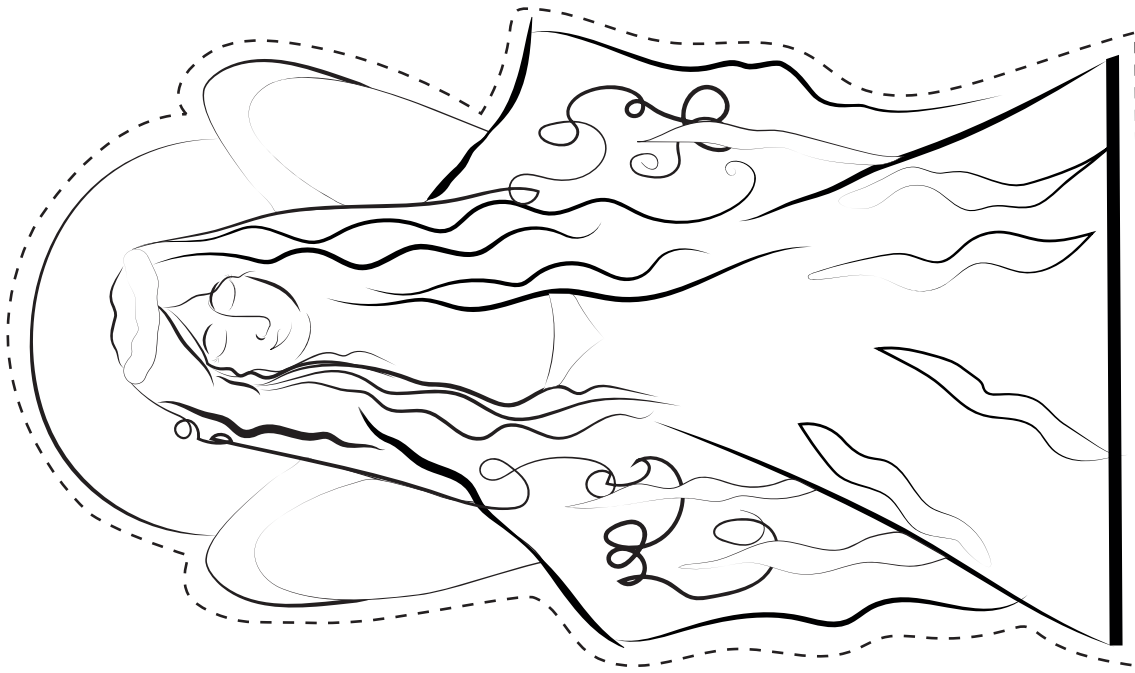
Shepherd



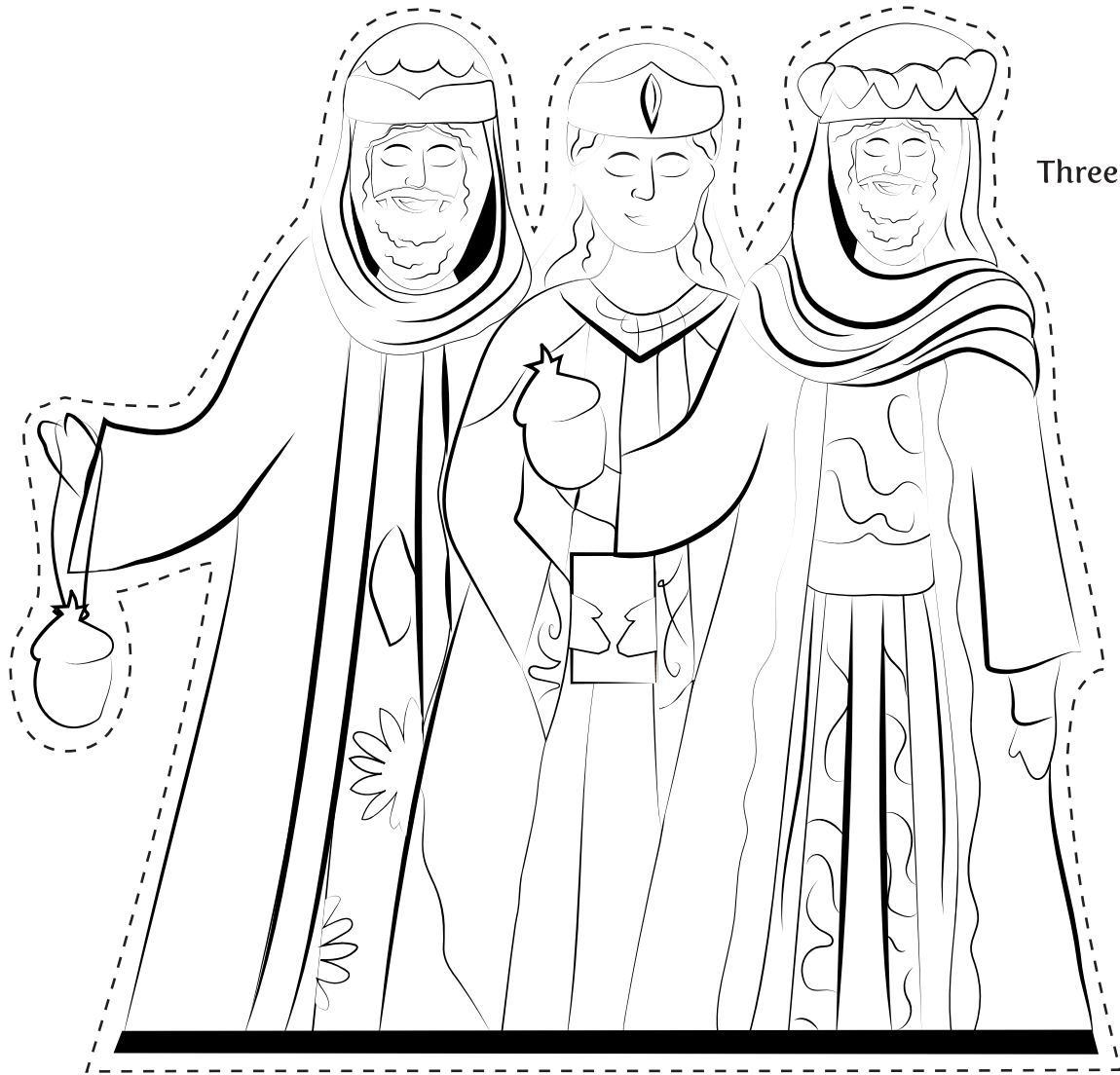
Christmas Star



Shepherd



Angel Gabriel

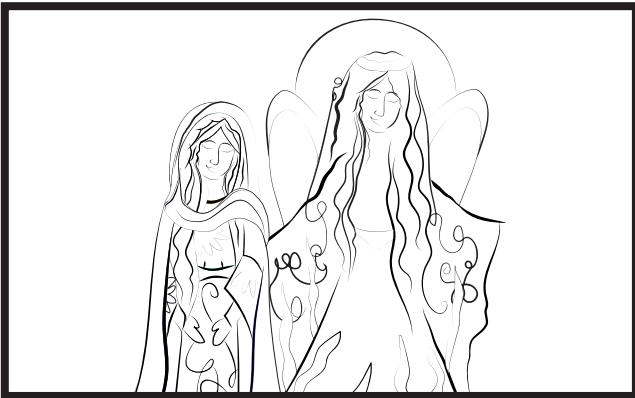


Three Wise Men

The Gift of Christmas - Tell the Story...

Why don't you tell the story to your family, friends or your class using your puppets?
Use this storyboard to remind you of the story as you retell it:

SCENE 1



Angel Gabriel came to Mary
"You will be Baby Jesus' Mummy?"
Mary said, "Yes, I will be Jesus' Mummy"

SCENE 2



Angel Gabriel came to Joseph in a dream,
"Will you be Baby Jesus' Step Daddy?"
Joseph said, "Yes I will be Jesus' Step Dad."

SCENE 3



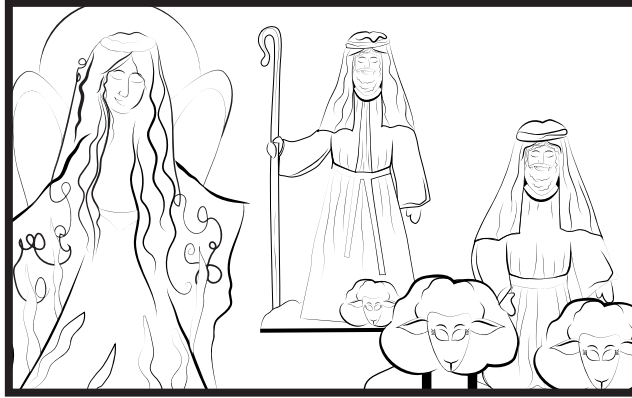
Mary and Joseph went on a long journey
to Bethlehem. The baby would arrive
any day but there was no room in
the inn for them to stay.

SCENE 4



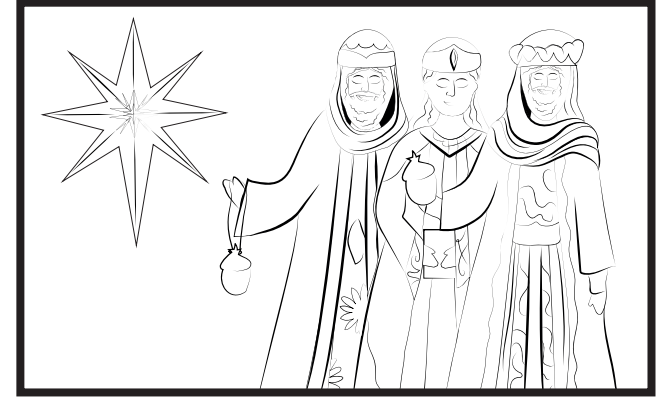
The only place they could find was the place where the animals were. Baby Jesus was born that night and he was laid in a manger, an animal feeding trough.

SCENE 5



That night, there were shepherds looking after their sheep when the Angel appeared and said, "Good news for everyone! God's Saviour has been born! He's wrapped up in cloths and lying in a manger!" More angels filled the sky and sang, "Good news for everyone! Glory to God!" The shepherds went to find Jesus and then told everyone what they had seen.

SCENE 6



Wise men from the east saw a spot light star in the sky "This means God' boy has arrived. Let's go and visit him." They followed the star to Bethlehem, and found Jesus. They gave him gold, frankincense (perfume) and myrrh (oil).

What next?

Jesus grew up and loved everyone. He gave everything to show us how much God us. To find out more about Jesus and what he did, why not read more of his story in a children's Bible, like Sally Lloyd Jones 'Jesus Story Book Bible'.