

Three shepherds were told by the angel of God to be present when their Saviour, Christ the Lord, was born.



... which led them to the infant Jesus. They knelt before Him in worship, and gave Him precious gifts.



In Bethlehem, Mary and Joseph found lodging in a stable.
And here, in a manger, the baby Jesus was born.



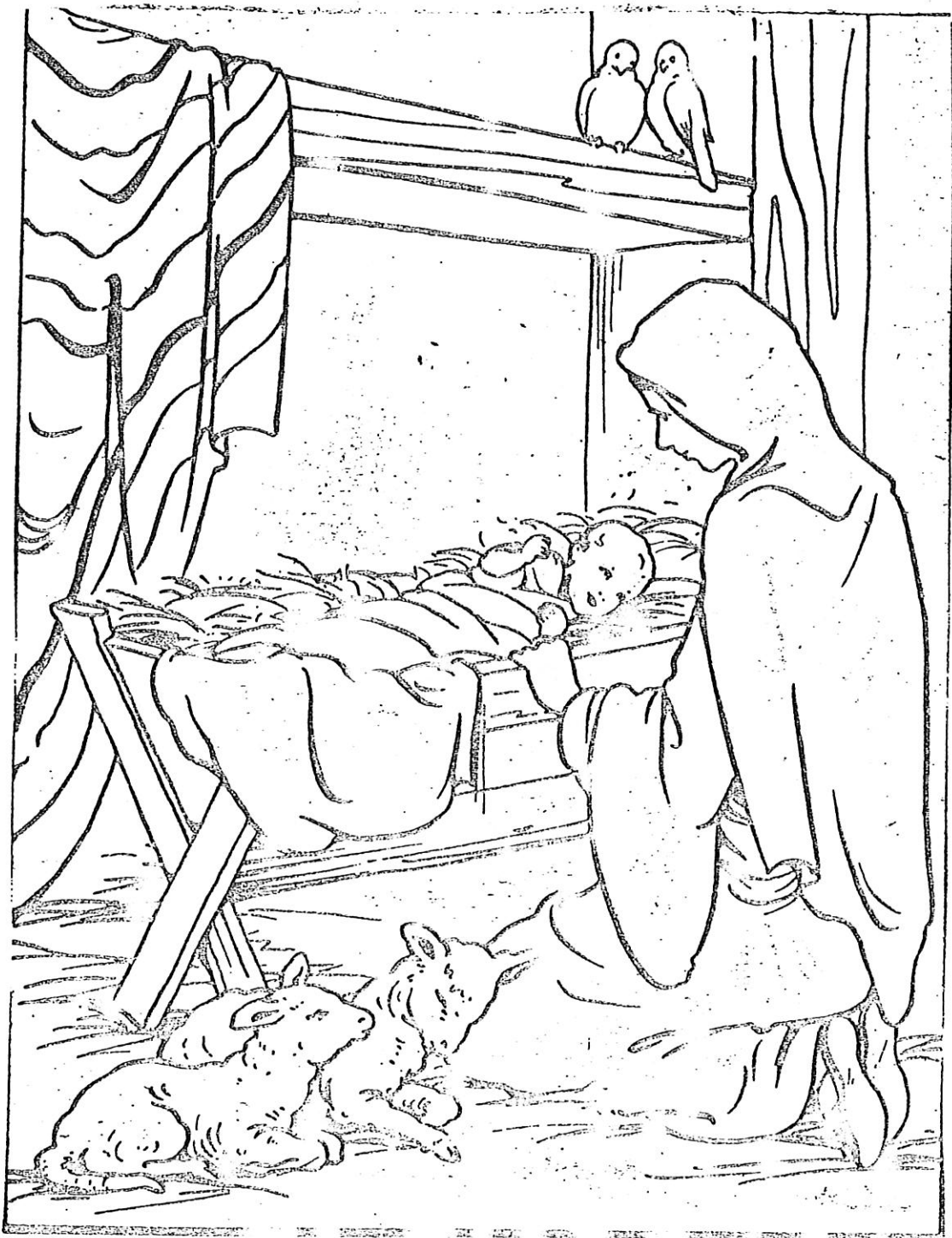
There was a bright new star in the sky when Jesus was born. And the three wise men followed the star . . .



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THE SHEPHERDS HEAR THE GOOD NEWS

Read St. Luke 2. 8-14



Mary wears a white dress and white head-dress. The ring over the Baby is red; the curtain above is green, red and purple. The woodwork is brown, the pigeons grey with pink breasts.

THE BABE IN THE MANGER

Read St. Luke 2. 7

