"Where's the Star?" Questions for Grades 1-3

(Shortened or paraphrased answers are also correct.)

- 1. Name two things that you would find in a Nativity scene. Manger, animals, angel, Jesus, Joseph, Mary, shepherds, Wise Men, stable, straw, star.
- 2. Name two other things that you would find in a Nativity scene. Manger, animals, angel, Jesus, Joseph, Mary, shepherds, Wise Men, stable, straw, star.
- 3. Who told Mary she was going to have a child? An angel, Gabriel.
- 4. What did the angel tell Mary her son would be called? Jesus, the Son of God.
- 5. In what town was Jesus born? Bethlehem.
- 6. What guided the Wise Men to Jerusalem? The star seen in the east.
- 7. Where did the shepherds find Jesus? In a manger.
- 8. What is a manger? A feeding trough.
- 9. What did Mary use to keep Jesus warm? She wrapped Him in strips of cloth.
- 10. Who did the Wise Men meet with before they found Jesus? King Herod.
- 11. What was the name of Mary's husband? Joseph.
- 12. What did King Herod tell the Wise Men he wanted to do when he found where Jesus was? Worship Him.
- 13. Why was Jesus born in the stable? There was no lodging available for them; no room at the inn.
- 14. How did the shepherds learn about the birth of Jesus? An angel of the Lord.

"Where's the Star?" Questions for Grades 4-6

(Shortened or paraphrased answers are also correct.)

- 1. What was the name of the angel who told Mary she was going to have a child? Gabriel.
- 2. Where did Joseph and Mary begin their trip? Nazareth.
- 3. Why were Mary and Joseph going to Bethlehem? Everyone was required to return to his/her place of birth.
- 4. Who was Caesar Augustus? The ruler of the Roman Empire.
- 5. What order did Caesar Augustus give? A census should be taken throughout the Roman Empire.
- 6. What is a census? A count of the people who live in a place by the government.
- 7. What is another name for Bethlehem? The City of David.
- 8. What is a manger? A feeding trough for animals.
- 9. Name three things you might expect to see at Jesus' birthplace. Stable, animals, straw, etc.
- 10. Who were the first people to visit Jesus after He was born? Shepherds.
- 11. How did the shepherds learn about the birth of Jesus? An angel of the Lord.
- 12. What did the angels say when Jesus was born? Glory to God in the highest.
- 13. What did the Wise Men ask King Herod? Where is the newborn king of the Jews?
- 14. Why did King Herod want to know when Jesus was born? He was afraid Jesus would take over his kingdom.