

# The First Christmas Story

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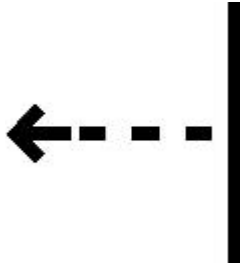
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The first Christmas story.



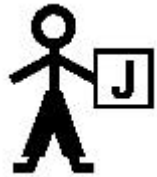
A long time ago.



Mary



and



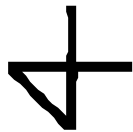
Joseph



went on a donkey.



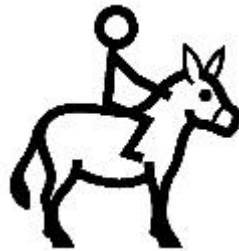
Mary



and



Joseph



went

to



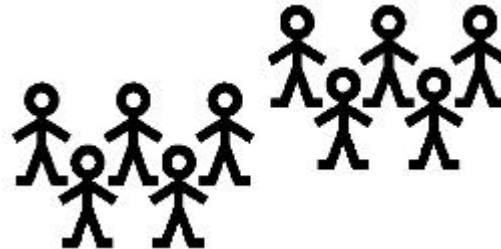
Bethlehem.



**In**

**Bethlehem**

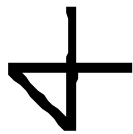
there were



**lots of people.**



Mary



and



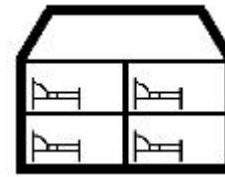
Joseph



couldn't



find



anywhere

to



sleep.



**Mary**



**and**



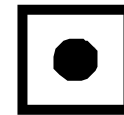
**Joseph**



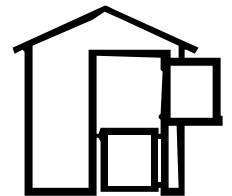
**had to**



**sleep**



**in**



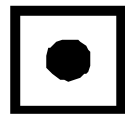
**a stable.**



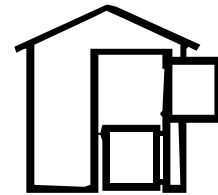
**Mary**



**had her baby**



**in**



**the**

**stable.**





The

**baby's**

**name**

was

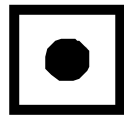
**Jesus.**



It was **night-time.**



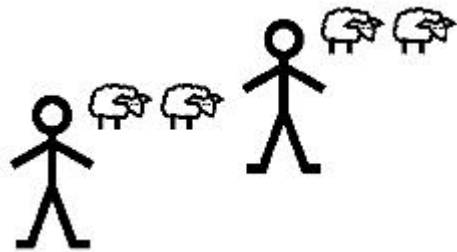
A **big star** was



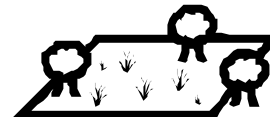
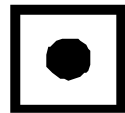
**in** the



**sky.**



The **shepherds** were **watching** their **sheep.**



The

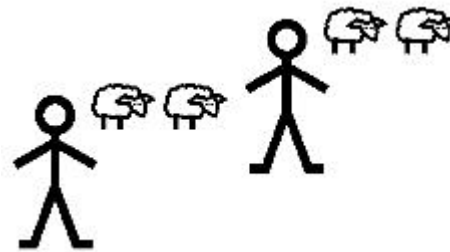
sheep

were

in

the

field.



An

angel

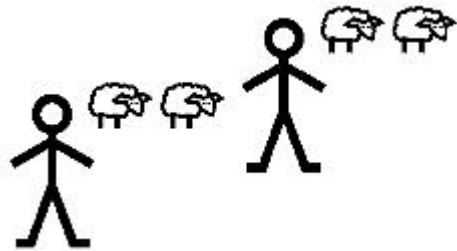
told

the

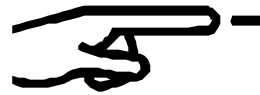
shepherds

about

baby Jesus.

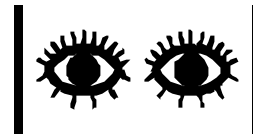


The **shepherds**



**went**

to



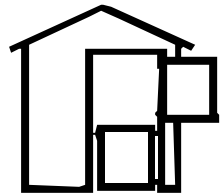
**see**



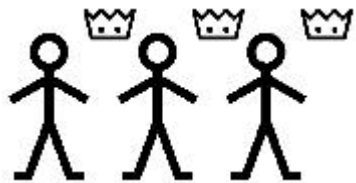
**baby Jesus**



**in**



the **stable.**



**Three kings**

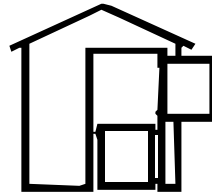
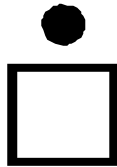


**followed**

the



**star.**



The

**star**

was

**above**

the

**stable.**





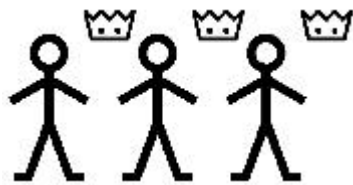
The **three kings**



**saw**



**baby Jesus.**



The **three kings**



**gave**



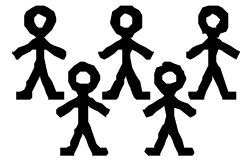
**him**



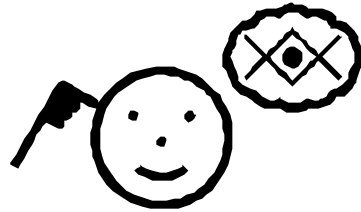
**presents.**



At Christmas



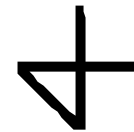
people



remember



baby Jesus



and



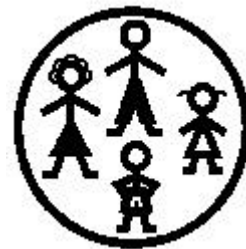
give



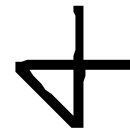
presents

to

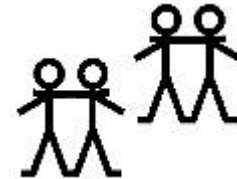
their



family



and



friends.