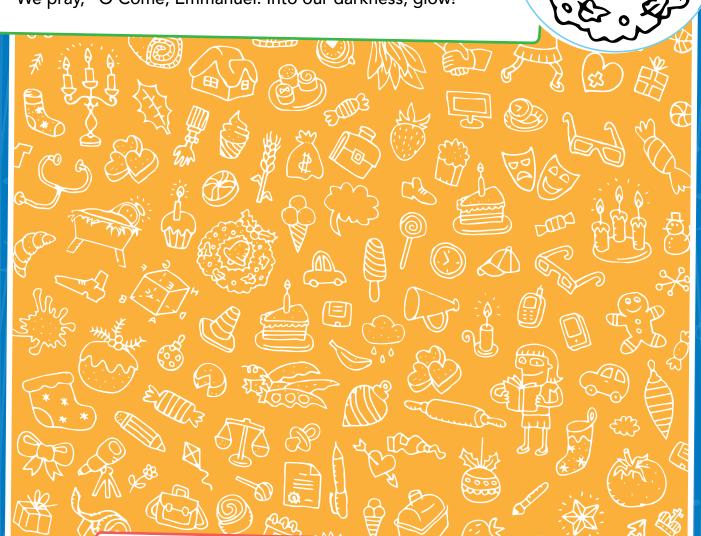


1. Hidden Images Appear when Rubbed with Pencil

2. Search Through Picture Puzzles to Spot the Advent Images

**DAY 2** ...... Isaiah 7:14

"O Come, O Come, Emmanuel." That is an Advent song to welcome in the Savior we have waited for so long.
O come to save us from our sin. O come to find the lost.
O come to bring us back to God. O come to pay the cost.
There's something hidden on this page shaped like the letter O.
We pray, "O Come, Emmanuel. Into our darkness, glow!"



How will the Light of God appear? How will we know it's come?

"A child will soon be born," we hear.

"God's sending us a Son!"

The Light will be a baby boy. He comes to be our King.

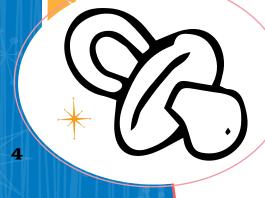
He comes to rule with power and might

and peace in everything.

Look for the hidden object that a little baby needs.

Then thank God for the baby boy

who comes to bring us peace.



**DAY 4** ...... Luke 1:5-13

Old Zechariah was a priest. He had a job to do.
He prayed inside the temple for God's promise to come true.
So why was Zechariah scared to hear the angel say
that God was sending him a son who would prepare the way?
It was the answer to his prayer! Old Zech should be so glad.
Look for a sign that helps remind of Zech, the praying dad.





**DAY 5** ..... Luke 1:16-20



The angel was God's messenger.

God had good news to tell

to Zechariah and his wife, and all of us as well.

Elizabeth will have a son. He'll help us to prepare,
so we can all be ready when the Son of God appears.

But Zechariah could not speak

and share the happy news

that very soon God's promised Son will come to me and you.

**DAY 6** ...... Matthew 3:1-6

John was a bit unusual. His hair was long and funny.

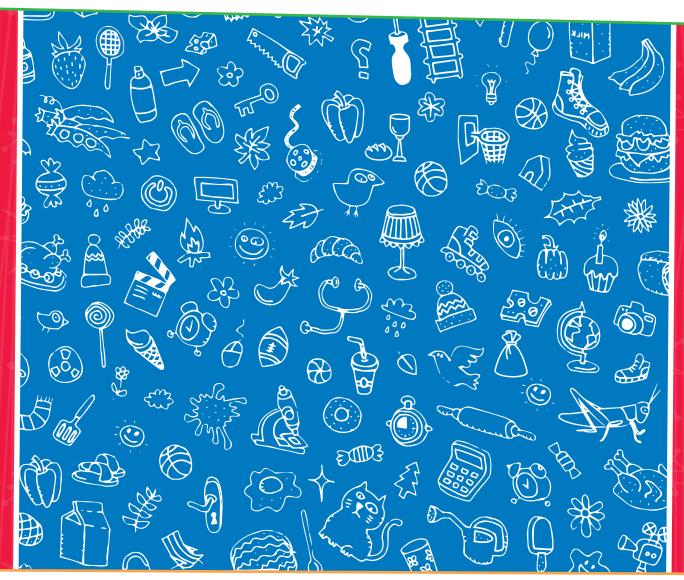
He lived out in the desert and ate locusts dipped in honey.

Although his diet and his clothes were really sort of weird, his message wasn't strange at all. It's what we all should hear.

John says, "The road you're heading down does not lead you to God.

So turn and hop back to the Lord." That doesn't sound too odd.





"The Lord is coming soon," John said. "We must prepare the way!"

John knew the promised Savior would arrive there any day.

John tells us all to clear the road so Jesus can arrive,

to ask God to forgive the sin that clutters up our lives,

to welcome Jesus in our hearts, to walk at Jesus' side.

Look for the sign that helps remind to follow where he guides.

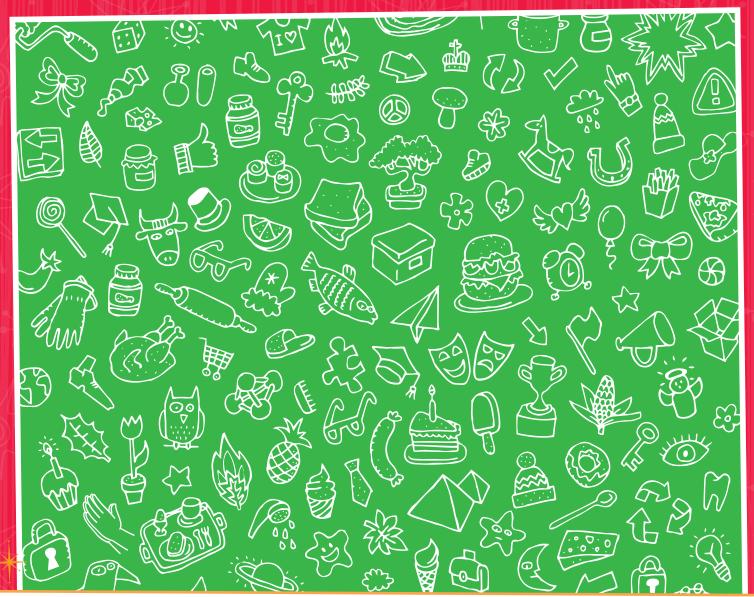


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......Luke 3:10-11, 21-22

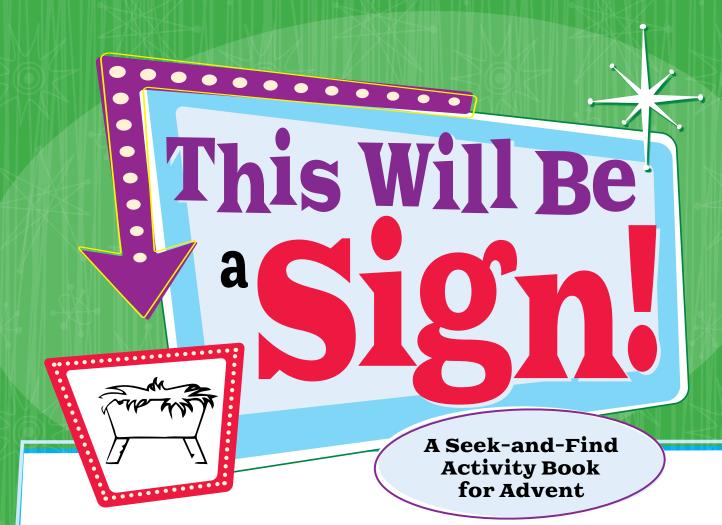
John must have had a super voice. (Look for a megaphone.)
The folks from far and near could hear. His words are widely known!
He told them, "Share the gifts you have with those who are in need."
The people listened to John's words, and most of them agreed.
He told them to be baptized. Even Jesus heard John's word.
And when John poured the water on, the voice of God was heard.







An angel flew to Nazareth to find a girl named Mary whom God had picked for something very extra-ordinary. "Don't be afraid," the angel cheered. "I have good news for you. The Lord has smiled upon you. There is something you must do. You're going to have a baby boy, the Son of God above! He is the promised Savior! He will rule in peace and love."



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