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December Bible Reading Plan

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From prophecy about the coming Messiah in the Old Testament to the birth and life of Jesus in the New Testament, here's a daily reading plan for each day of December leading up to Christmas complete with talking points and prayer prompts. Let the true story of Jesus strengthen your faith and bring your family hope this Christmas season.



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December 1:

Isaiah 7:13-17

Talking Point: Share with your child how God promised to send a Savior long before Jesus was born. Ask them how they feel knowing God always keeps His promises.

Prayer Prompt: Thank God for being faithful to His promises and for sending Jesus to save us.

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December 2:

Isaiah 9:2-7

Talking Point: Talk about the names given to Jesus in this passage, like Wonderful Counselor and Prince of Peace. Ask your child which name they like best and why.

Prayer Prompt: Pray for Jesus' peace and wisdom to fill your family this season.

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December 3:

Luke 1:5-25

Talking Point: Discuss how Zechariah and Elizabeth trusted God even when they had to wait a long time for their prayers to be answered. Ask your child if there's something they are waiting for God to do.

Prayer Prompt: Pray for patience and trust in God's timing.

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December 4:

Luke 1:26-38

Talking Point: Share how Mary was brave and trusted God's plan, even when it was surprising. Encourage your child to think of a time they were brave because they trusted God.

Prayer Prompt: Thank God for giving us courage to follow Him.

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December 5:

Luke 1:39-45

Talking Point: Talk about how Mary and Elizabeth celebrated God's blessings together. Ask your child to share something they are thankful for that they can celebrate with others.

Prayer Prompt: Pray a prayer of thanksgiving for the blessings God has given your family.

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December 6:

Luke 1:46-56

Talking Point: Explain how Mary praised God through her song. Ask your child what they would include in a song of praise to God.

Prayer Prompt: Pray together, thanking God for His greatness and love.

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December 7:

Luke 1:57-66

Talking Point: Highlight how John's birth was part of God's big plan. Ask your child what they think their role might be in God's plan.

Prayer Prompt: Pray for God to show each family member how they can serve Him.

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December 8:

Luke 1:67-80

Talking Point: Zechariah praised God for sending a Savior and preparing John to point people to Jesus. Discuss how your family can point others to Jesus during Christmas.

Prayer Prompt: Ask God to help your family share the good news of Jesus.

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December 9:

Matthew 1:18-25

Talking Point: Talk about how Joseph trusted God's plan even when it was difficult. Ask your child how they can trust God in their daily life.

Prayer Prompt: Pray for faith to trust God's plan, even when it's hard.

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December 10:

Luke 2:1-7

Talking Point: Share how Jesus was born in humble circumstances to show that He came for everyone. Ask your child how they can show kindness to others.

Prayer Prompt: Thank God for sending Jesus to be our Savior.

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December 11:

Luke 2:8-14

Talking Point: Discuss how the angels announced Jesus' birth to shepherds, ordinary people. Ask your child how they can share the good news of Jesus with others.

Prayer Prompt: Pray for boldness to share the message of Jesus with others.

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December 12:

Luke 2:15-20

Talking Point: Talk about how the shepherds hurried to see Jesus and shared what they had seen. Encourage your child to think of ways they can share Jesus' love with their friends.

Prayer Prompt: Pray for excitement and joy in sharing about Jesus.

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December 13:

Matthew 2:1-12

Talking Point: Share how the wise men traveled far to worship Jesus and brought Him gifts. Ask your child what they can give Jesus this Christmas.

Prayer Prompt: Pray a prayer of worship and gratitude to Jesus.



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December 14:

Luke 2:21-32

Talking Point: Talk about how Simeon's heart was full of joy when he saw Jesus. Ask your child what brings them joy about Jesus.

Prayer Prompt: Thank God for the joy that Jesus brings to our lives.

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December 15:

Luke 2:33-40

Talking Point: Highlight how Anna shared about Jesus with others. Ask your child who they can talk to about Jesus.

Prayer Prompt: Pray for opportunities to share Jesus' love with others.

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December 16:

Luke 2:41-52

Talking Point: Share how Jesus knew He was doing His Father's work. Ask your child what they think it means to follow God's plan.

Prayer Prompt: Pray for wisdom to understand and follow God's plan.

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December 17:

Matthew 2:1-12

Talking Point: Revisit the story of the wise men and discuss how they sought Jesus. Ask your child how they can seek Jesus in their life.

Prayer Prompt: Pray for hearts that seek Jesus daily.

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December 18:

Matthew 3:13-17

Talking Point: Talk about how God showed His love for Jesus at His baptism. Ask your child how they feel God's love in their life.

Prayer Prompt: Thank God for His never-ending love.

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December 19:

Matthew 4:18-25

Talking Point: Discuss how Jesus called the disciples to follow Him.

Ask your child how they can follow Jesus this week.

Prayer Prompt: Pray for a willingness to follow Jesus in everything.

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December 20:

Matthew 5:1-12

Talking Point: Share how Jesus teaches us to live blessed lives through kindness and humility. Ask your child which blessing stands out to them the most.

Prayer Prompt: Pray for God to help your family live in a way that honors Him.

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December 21:

Matthew 8:1-13

Talking Point: Talk about how Jesus healed people because He cared for them. Ask your child how they can show care and kindness to someone in need.

Prayer Prompt: Pray for hearts that care for others like Jesus does.

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December 22:

Matthew 8:14-27

Talking Point: Highlight how Jesus calmed the storm and showed His power. Ask your child how they can trust Jesus when they feel afraid.

Prayer Prompt: Pray for peace and trust in Jesus' power.

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December 23:

Luke 1:26-38

Talking Point: Reflect on Mary's faith and obedience. Ask your child how they can show obedience to God this week.

Prayer Prompt: Pray for hearts that say "yes" to God's plans.

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December 24:

Matthew 1:18-25

Talking Point: Share how Jesus' birth was the fulfillment of God's promise to save us. Ask your child why Jesus' birth is so important.

Prayer Prompt: Pray a prayer of gratitude for Jesus, our Savior.

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December 25:

Luke 2:1-20

Talking Point: Celebrate the story of Jesus' birth and the joy it brings. Ask your child how they can celebrate Jesus every day, not just on Christmas.

Prayer Prompt: Praise God for the gift of Jesus and the hope He brings to the world.

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We pray this has been a blessing for your family. Our prayer is that your family would build this into your daily rhythm throughout the year with different Bible verses, talking points, and prayer prompts. If you would like to request more reading plans, please email thewilliamsfam523@gmail.com.

Blessings,

Tim and Heather Williams