

Mary's Christmas Story

Luke 1:26–56
Luke 2:1–20 for children

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Young Mary lived in Nazareth, a town in Galilee.
She was a girl who tried to serve the Lord most faithfully.
As Mary sat quietly in her home one night,
The angel Gabriel appeared, shining oh so bright!

“Greetings!” said Gabriel. “You’re favored by the Lord!”
Mary felt afraid and trembled at his words.
But the angel gently said, “Mary, do not fear.
God is very pleased with you, and He sent me here.”

Soon the time came for the baby to be born.
Mary swaddled Him in cloths so He was snug and warm.
There was no crib or cradle for baby Jesus' bed,
So Mary gently laid Him on the manger's hay instead.

