



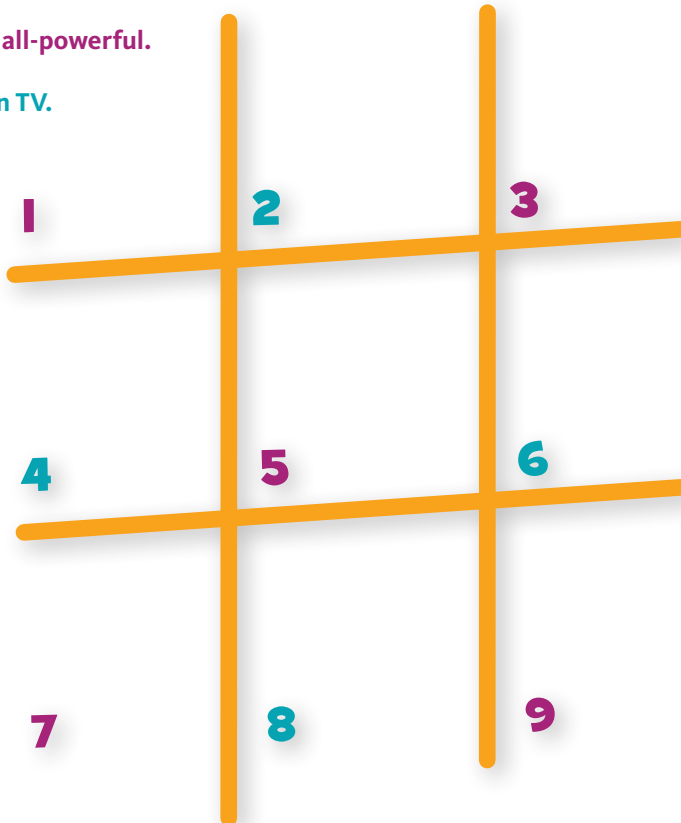
Grades 2–3 • Unit 13 • Lesson 124

Angelic Announcements

Isaiah 7:14, 9:6; Malachi 3:1; Luke 1:5–7, 1:11–13, 1:26–31

Read each sentence and decide if it's true or false. Complete the tic-tac-toe grid using O for true and X for false. You should find three in a row once.

1. The angel Gabriel appeared to Zechariah to announce the birth of John.
2. Zechariah's wife was Mary.
3. Jesus Christ is the promised Messiah who would save his people from their sins.
4. The priest Zechariah and his wife, Elizabeth, were a young couple ready to start a family.
5. John the Baptist was the messenger who would prepare the way for the Lord.
6. The angel Gabriel appeared to Joseph in the temple and said he would be a father.
7. God's attribute of faithfulness means that he is all-powerful.
8. We can find all we need to know about angels on TV.
9. Mary's baby was to be called Jesus.



Answers: 1. True 2. False 3. True 4. False 5. True 6. False 7. False 8. False 9. True

Name _____

Memory Verse

Some vowels (A, E, I, O, U) are missing in the memory verse! Use the code to fill in the missing letters then practice saying the verse.

1	3	5	7	9
A	E	I	O	U

TH__REFORE THE
3

L__RD H__MSELF WILL
7 5

GIVE YO__ __ SIGN.
9 1

B__HOLD, THE V__RGIN
3 5

SH__LL C__NCEIVE AND
1 7

B__AR A SON, AND
3

SHALL C__LL HIS
1

NAM__ __MMAN__EL.
3 5 9

ISAIAH 7:14

What You Heard *In the Word*

- God sent the angel Gabriel to announce to Zechariah that he and his wife, Elizabeth, would have a son named John who would prepare people's hearts for the Messiah.
- God sent Gabriel to tell Mary that she would miraculously have a son who would be called Jesus, the Messiah written about in the Old Testament.

OutWord *For Family Discussion*

What if your friend said he believes his Christian grandmother is an angel who watches over him? **What could you say?**

When someone we love dies, that person is gone from our life on earth forever. That's not easy to live with. And it can be comforting to think that those people are now angels watching over us. But, that is not what the Bible tells us. Angels were created by God to serve him, worship him, and do what he commands them to do. They are not like people who were created in God's image. The truth of the matter is that God watched over you AND your grandmother while she was alive. And God will continue to watch over you now that she is gone. The Bible says God will provide all our needs and knows all that is going on in our lives. God can take far better care of you than ANYONE else, whether they are dead or alive. We need to trust God and the truth of his Word.



Justin & Jessie

Just then, there was another *ding* from Mom's phone.
 "Oh, my goodness!" Mom laughed. "They've already arrived!"
 "Whaaat?" the girls cried.



Jessie and Emily want to be on time to meet their grandparents at the airport. But will a change in plans make them late?
 Find out in "Coming & Going."

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