

# KIDZ ROCK PRESCHOOL HOME ACTIVITY

## DECEMBER 27



**HEY FAMILIES,**

In our Bible story today the wise men followed the star until it stopped over Jesus. When the wise men saw Jesus, they bowed down and gave Him gifts to show Him how special He is. And why is Jesus special? He is God's son!

**PRAY TOGETHER!**

"Dear God, Thank You for loving us so much that You gave them Jesus to be their friend forever. Thank You that we get to spend time with them learning about You. I pray that each child here will always know how much You love them and choose to follow Jesus one day. Jesus truly is the best gift ever. We love You, God. In Jesus' name, amen."

# ACTIVITY 1: CHRISTMAS COOKIE MATCH

**What You Need:** : “Memory Match Cookies” Activity Pages, cardstock, and scissors

## **What You Do:**

Print “Memory Match Cookies” Activity Pages on cardstock and cut apart, two sets per activity. Mix up the cards and lay them face down in a grid pattern in the center of the table. Allow the children, one at a time, to turn over two cards to find a match. When they find a set of matching cards, review that part of the Christmas story from this month using the dialogue.

## **What You Say:**

Oh, look! You found the angel cookie! Do you remember that part of the story? An angel appeared to Mary with a very special message. Mary would have a baby and name him Jesus. There’s the gingerbread man! This reminds us that God promised to send His only Son to us! What is His name? (Pause.) Yes, Jesus. This candy cane cookie looks like a shepherd’s staff. The shepherds were out in the field, watching over their sheep, when an angel appeared with a special message! Jesus had been born that very night. The shepherds rushed off to see this very special baby. And here’s a star! It helped the wise men find Jesus!

You found all the matches! Way to go, kids. These cookie shapes remind me of Christmas, the day Jesus was born! God loved us so much that He gave us His only Son. Why is Jesus special? Jesus is God’s Son.”

# MEMORY MATCH COOKIES



## ACTIVITY 2: FOLLOW THE STAR

**What You Need:** “Star” Activity Page, cardstock, yarn, hole punch, tape, scissors,

### **What You Do:**

Print the “Star” activity on cardstock and cut on the dotted lines. Punch a hole on the bold dot at the top of the star cutout. Cut a section of yarn about six inches long and feed one end of it through the hole in the star. Tie a knot at that end of the yarn so that you have the star hanging from the yarn. Guide the kids to follow the star around the room. They can follow while doing different actions like chapping or hopping. Do this for as long as interest holds.

### **What You Say:**

“Let’s follow the star just like the wise men did!”

**AFTER THE ACTIVITY:** “God put a special star in the sky to show the wise men where Jesus was. God loves us so much that He gave us Jesus! Jesus is God’s Son! Why is Jesus special? Jesus is God’s Son!”



# STAR



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## Memory Verse Motions



"God



loved the world so much



that he gave



his only Son."



John 3:16

