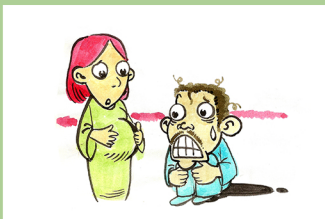
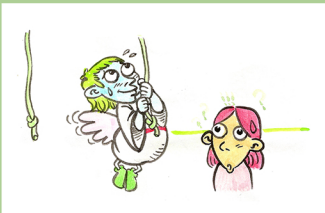


The Story of Jesus

① Baby Jesus



Narration Let me introduce Mary.

Mary lived in Nazareth, a town in Galilee.

The girl (was) promised to get married to Joseph.

One day, God sent the angel Gabriel to Mary.

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Mary Oh my God! Who are you?

Gabriel Mary! Do not be afraid!

The Lord has given you special favor and grace.

You will become pregnant and give birth to a son.

You must name him Jesus.

He will be great and will be called the Son of God.

He will rule over his people(forever).

His kingdom will never end.

Mary How can this happen? I am a virgin.

I am not married.

Gabriel The Holy Spirit will come to you.

The power of the Most High God will be with you.

Don't worry too much. (It will be all right.)

Mary Amen. I serve the Lord.

I will follow what God wants.

Gabriel (Good! That settles it. My work here is done.)

See You Again~!

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Narration Mary really became pregnant.

She (was going to) be a mother.

Joseph came to know Mary was pregnant.

He was shocked.



Joseph (What?) No way! What happened?
Who is the father? Oh, Mary! No! No! Agh!

Narration On the night, the angel Gabriel came to Joseph in a dream.

Gabriel Joseph! Don't be sad. Mary is pregnant.
The Holy Spirit did it. The baby is from the Holy Spirit.
Don't worry! Just trust God! You got it?

Joseph (I) got it.

Narration Joseph was surprised and woke up. (After that, Joseph took care of Mary.) Caesar Augustus made a law. It was to make a list (of all the people.) Everyone had to go to his or her hometown and to be listed. So Joseph also went. He went to Bethlehem with Mary. Mary had a baby (during the trip). (Late one night, Mary started to have birth pains.)

Mary Oh my God! Agh! (This is painful.) Help me! Joseph!

Joseph Do you have a room? My wife is about to have a baby. We need a room. Please!

Innkeeper1(M) There is no room. Sorry.

Innkeeper2(W) You should go to hospital to give a birth. Why are you here? You are silly!

Narration There was no room for Joseph and Mary. Joseph hurried and took her to a barn. A barn is a house for animals like horses and cows. Baby Jesus was born there.

Baby Jesus waa, waa!

Joseph Mary, good job! Thank you. The baby is very handsome. He looks just like me.

Mary I think he is more like me.

Narration Mary and Joseph were thankful to God. God sent Jesus to this world. Then, three Wise Men from the east came to Baby Jesus. They worshiped and gave gold, incense, and myrrh to him.

Gabriel Who (would imagine that the son of God would have been born in a barn? Nobody can understand God's ways.