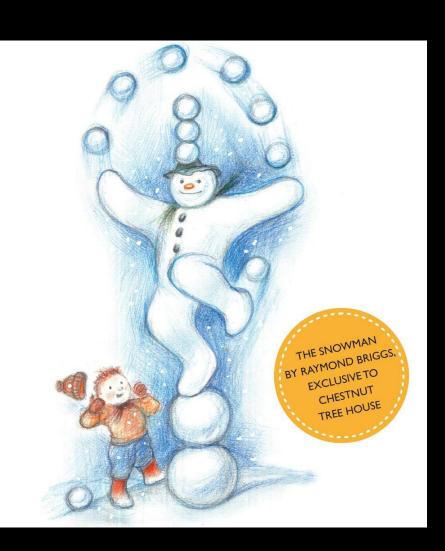
Matthew 1:18-25

The present King















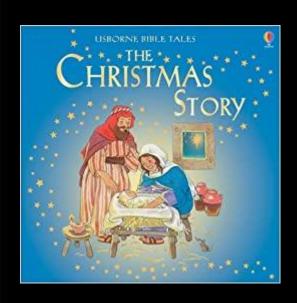


















A Christmas you can believe in

A Christmas you must believe in

This is the genealogy of Jesus the Messiah, the son of David, the son of Abraham:

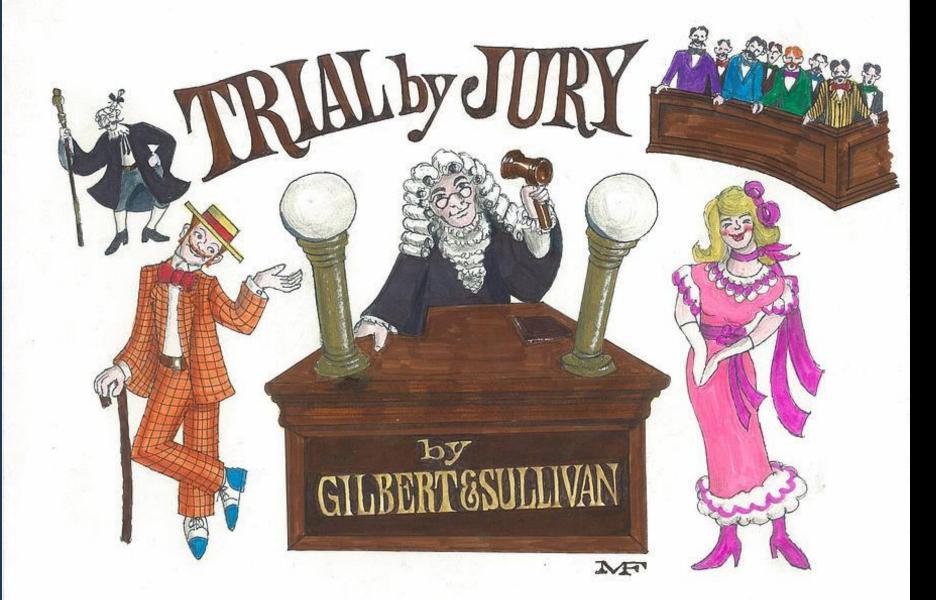
Mark 1:1

The beginning of the good news about Jesus the Messiah, the Son of God,

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This is how the birth of Jesus the Messiah came about: His mother Mary was pledged to be married to Joseph, ...

... and Jacob the father of Joseph, the husband of Mary, and Mary was the mother of Jesus who is called the Messiah.



His mother Mary was pledged to be married to Joseph, but before they came together, she was found to be pregnant through the Holy Spirit.

Because Joseph her husband was faithful to the law, ... (NIV)

And her husband Joseph, being a just man ... (ESV)

Psalm 15:4

... who ... honours those who fear the LORD;

who keeps an oath even when it hurts, and does not change their mind;

Because Joseph her husband was faithful to the law, and yet did not want to expose her to public disgrace, he had in mind to divorce her quietly.

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Deuteronomy 24:1

"... something indecent about her, ..."

Because Joseph her husband was faithful to the law, and yet did not want to expose her to public disgrace, he had in mind to divorce her quietly.

But after he had considered this ...



But after he had considered this, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream ...

Matthew 1:20-21

... and said, "Joseph son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary home as your wife, because what is conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit. She will give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins."

Matthew 1:22-23

All this took place to fulfil what the Lord had said through the prophet: "The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel" (which means "God with us").

"... you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins."



Matthew 22:39

'Love your neighbour as yourself.'

Matthew 22:37

'Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.'

Christmas

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Matthew 1:21

"She will give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins."