Do You Really Know the Christmas Story?

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1. For the journey to Bethlehem, Mary and Joseph:
2. Walked
3. Joseph walked and Mary rode a donkey
4. Rode a bus
5. The Bible doesn’t say

2. When Mary became pregnant, Mary and Joseph were:

1. married
2. Just friends
3. engaged
4. None of the above

3. When Mary became pregnant:

1. Joseph married her
2. Joseph wanted to dissolve their relationship
3. Mary left Nazareth for a while
4. An angel told them to go to Bethlehem
5. Both B and C
6. Both B and D

4. Christmas has always been observed

1. On December 25
2. On January 17
3. At grandma’s house
4. None of the above

5. Who directed Mary and Joseph to go to Bethlehem?

1. Herod
2. An angel
3. Caesar
4. The IRS

6. Just what is a “heavenly host’?

1. An angelic choir
2. The welcoming angel in heaven
3. An army of angels
4. None of the above

7. How many angel spoke to the shepherds?

1. A multitude
2. Two- Gabriel and Michael
3. One
4. Who knows?

8. What son did the angels sing?

A. “O Little Town of Bethlehem

B. “Joy to the World”

C. “Glory to God in the Highest”

D. None of the above

9. The baby Jesus was born in a:

1. Cave
2. Manger
3. Barn
4. Who knows

10. What animals were present at Jesus birth?

1. Cows, sheep, and camels
2. Cows, sheep, and donkeys
3. Lions, tigers, and bears
4. None of the above

11. What is a manger anyway?

1. Barn
2. A place for hay
3. A feed trough
4. Greek term for nursery

12. When did baby Jesus cry?

 A. When He saw the wise men

 B. Whenever babies usually cry

 C. When the cattle starting lowing

 D. No crying he makes

13. Joseph’s family was from

1. Jerusalem
2. Nazareth
3. Bethlehem
4. None of the above

14. Who saw the star over Bethlehem?

1. Mary and Joseph
2. Shepherds
3. The three kings
4. Both B and C
5. None of the above

15. What sign were the shepherds to look for?

1. A star over the stable
2. A barn outlined with Christmas lights
3. A baby in a manger
4. Both a and c

16. What did the innkeeper say to Mary and Joseph?

1. I have a stable out back
2. There is no room in the inn
3. Both A and B
4. None of the above

17. How many wise men came to see Jesus?

1. One
2. Three
3. Twelve
4. The bible doesn’t say

18. What in the world are Magi?

1. Eastern kings
2. Magicians
3. Astrologers
4. None of the above

19. When the wise men brought their gifts to Jesus, they found him:

1. A manger
2. A house
3. A church
4. None of the above

20. Who told Joseph to name the baby Jesus?

1. Mary
2. The chief priests and scribes
3. Angel of the Lord
4. Herod the king

The Answer Sheet

1. D

2. C

3. E

4. D

5. C

6. C

7. C

8. D

9. D

10. D

11. C

12. B

13. C

14. D

15. C

16. D

17. D

18. C

19. B

20. C