

Holidays

Christmas

Gift Wrapped

Best Use

As a Christmas family activity

Nutritional Value

Helping children learn who was, is and always will be the greatest gift.

Advance Preparation

Make sure you have the following on hand.

- A large piece of wrapping paper
- A Bible

Get Started:

Wrap your children from head to toe in wrapping paper. *(NOTE: Be careful that they don't fall over and are unable to catch themselves.)* Keep them wrapped while you continue with the following.

Ask:

How does it feel to be wrapped up like a gift?

Say:

Since you're wrapped up like a Christmas gift, I want you to know that you are a special gift from God to us and we love you and are proud of you. On the count of three, have them break free as fast as they can. Put the paper aside.

Ask:

Do you know how the greatest gift in the world was wrapped?

Read:

Listen to what the Bible says and let's find out. Read Luke 2:11-12 from your Bible. ANSWER—The greatest gift in the world was wrapped in cloths and laid in a manger. Jesus is the greatest gift of all.

Ask:

Do you know what the name Jesus means?

Say:

"Jesus" means "He saves," and that's why Jesus came, to be the Savior of the world. He took the punishment for the sins of the world. We are all special forgiven children of God.

Pray:

Thank Jesus for being our Savior and the greatest gift ever given to the world.