

# GIVING UP CHRISTMAS



Christmas Access / Luke 2:1-7

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## DEFINITION:

**Manger** = A feeding trough inside an animal stall, which was located in a room adjacent to and slightly lower than the living quarters.

1. My nasty manger is.....

**ACTIONS:** *Thought life? Language? Online sites? An unconfessed lie or crime? Secret addiction? Dysfunctional behavior?*

2. My nice manger is.....

*Fake faith? Phony smiles? "Praise the Lord"? "Who's the Man"?*

3. My manger is my attempt to satisfy my.....

**MOTIVATION:** *Lust? Selfish? Pride? Ego? Insecurity? Racism? Jealousy? Empty heart? Fear?*

4. Jesus I give you permission to bring <sup>LIFE</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ to my manger.

*Purify? Organize? Manage? Lead?*

**Luke 23:53** Then he took it down, **wrapped it in linen**, and laid it in a **tomb** that was hewn out of the rock, where no one had ever lain before.

**MANGER:** Stone mangers were sometimes carved out of rock.

# BR1NG WITH YOU

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Write the name of the person you are going to bring.



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## ASKING JESUS INTO YOUR LIFE IS AS EASY AS A-B-C

### Gospel A-B-C's

Father, I **Admit** that I am a sinner and that my sin has brought death and destruction into my life, my relationships with people, and my relationship with God. **Romans 3:23, 6:23**

I **Believe** that Jesus died for my sins and that His death paid the penalty for my sins. **Romans 5:8**

I **Confess** or agree that Jesus is Lord, that He died and rose from the dead, and is able to forgive me of my sins. **Romans 10:9-10**

Jesus, I trust that You love me and can hear my prayer. By faith, I ask You to please forgive me and fill me with the Holy Spirit. I surrender my life to You. I pray this in Jesus' name. Amen.

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**If you understood that prayer and prayed to accept Jesus' invitation into a relationship, text "SAVED" to 52525.**