
Jesus Came from Heaven

Do you remember being born? Of course not, but you celebrate it every year. Your birthday is the day that you entered the world. But Jesus existed before He was born. Jesus has always been.

Jesus is God, and was in heaven long before the world was even made. When people became separated from God by sin, only God could bring them back to Himself. So he came down to earth.

Jesus left His throne in heaven, which is a wonderful place, to come down to earth. He was the king of heaven, yet came to earth to serve. He didn't come to live in a rich family, but to be poor. He didn't come to do every fun thing, but to die. He came to die for you and me.

When Mary laid that little baby in the manger (because He had no bed) in the stable (because He had no inn to stay in), she laid the eternal God to bed. He looked like any other baby: He cried like other babies, He could get hurt like other babies, and He had to have His diaper changed like other babies. But this baby was much more. This baby had come to be the Savior of the whole world.

Discussion Questions

1. How did Jesus exist before He was born?
2. Why did Jesus come to earth?
3. What did Jesus leave in heaven?

Memory Verse

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. | John 3.16

