



BIBLE

Left Right Game

INSTRUCTIONS: Everyone sits in a circle. One player starts with a gift/prize. As the story is read, pass accordingly (left, right). Whoever has the gift/prize at the end, keeps it.

There was a census in the day so Mary and Joseph arose and **LEFT** to go to Bethlehem. You would be **RIGHT** to guess that Mary and Joseph were expecting a baby. The timing may seem odd, but God's timing is always **RIGHT**. Soon after they arrived, at just the **RIGHT** time, Mary gave birth to a baby boy. The baby's name was Jesus. It was almost as if everyone looked **RIGHT** by the couple as there was no guest room available; not a house to the **LEFT** or a house to the **RIGHT**. Joseph grabbed a cloth with his **LEFT** hand and handed it to Mary. Using her **LEFT** and **RIGHT** hand, she wrapped baby Jesus and placed him **RIGHT** in the manger with animals to the **LEFT** and even more to the **RIGHT**.

The shepherds keeping the fields watching **RIGHT** over their flocks. If one **LEFT** for a break, the other would always watch over their flock. At just the **RIGHT** time an angel appeared to them. They were **RIGHT**ly terrified. The angel told them of the baby that was born. This wasn't just any baby. This was the **LEFT** heaven to come to earth. The angels couldn't help but jump **RIGHT** to see the newborn. The only **RIGHT** thing to do was to leave and go to see the newborn. They **LEFT** their flocks, but this was a once in a lifetime opportunity. They placed baby Jesus **RIGHT** in front of them with their very own eyes. They made a **LEFT** out of their field, another **RIGHT** down the hill, a **RIGHT** on the road and soon enough they were heading in just the **RIGHT** direction.

They hurried and soon arrived. They were so excited that it felt like they just **LEFT** on their journey. They made a **LEFT** through the town, a **RIGHT** at the market, and another **RIGHT** at a farm. Soon they found Mary and Joseph and baby Jesus **RIGHT** where the angel had told them. Everything was just **RIGHT**. The shepherds shared with Mary and Joseph that the angels came to them at just the **RIGHT** time and they **LEFT** everything behind to come see the Savior. Mary treasured all of these things in her heart and **RIGHT**ly so. The shepherds **LEFT** glorifying and praising God for all they just heard. There was nothing **LEFT** to do but to accept the gift and tell everyone!

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