



Christmas DVDs for Adults (does not include studies)

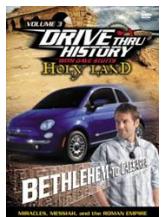
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ADVENT CALENDAR ON DVD (101091) These 25 short (3 - 4 minute) DVD segments discuss the histories and traditions of a variety of Christmas-related topics: 1) Advent - counting the days; 2) Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer; 3) Holly and mistletoe; 4) Handel's Messiah; 5) The Gift of the Magi / The Other Wise Man; 6) Saint Nicholas of Myra; 7) The WWI Christmas truce; 8) The candy cane; 9) The Nutcracker Suite; 10) Quiz: Biblical truth vs. tradition; 11) Fruitcake, figgy pudding, Christmas cookies, gingerbread treats; 12) Angels; 13) Christmas trees; 14) The nativity / creche; 15) Go, Tell It On the Mountain; 16) Charles Dickens' A Christmas Carol; 17) Tidbits of Christmas trivia; 18) Gift-giving; 19) Christmas birthday cakes; 20) The use of Xmas; 21) Kwanzaa / Hanukkah; 22) We Three Kings of Orient Are; 23) What was the Christmas star?; 24) The Twelve Days of Christmas; 25) December 25. Bonus segments: Scripture readings -- Mt. 2: 1-12 (2 min.); Lk. 2:1-14 (2 min.).

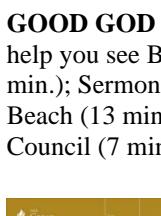
ADVENT CALENDAR ON DVD 2 (101092) This DVD includes 25 short (2 - 3 minute) segments on a variety of Christmas carols and songs: 1) O come, O Come, Emmanuel; 2) Deck the Halls; 3) Carol of the Bells; 4) The Holly and the Ivy; 5) Good Christian Men, Rejoice; 6) Up on the Housetop; 7) Hark! The Herald Angels Sing; 8) How Great Our Joy; 9) O Christmas Tree; 10) Pat-a-Pan; 11) O Come, All Ye Faithful; 12) It Came Upon a Midnight Clear; 13) I Saw Three Ships; 14) The First Noel; 15) Jolly Old Saint Nicholas; 16) Angels We Have Heard on High; 17) Joy to the World; 18) Jingle Bells; 19) Away in a Manger; 20) What Child Is This; 21) God Rest Ye Merry, Gentlemen; 22) O Holy Night; 23) O Little Town of Bethlehem; 24) Silent Night, Holy Night; 25) I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day. **CLOSED CAPTIONED.**



DRIVE THRU HISTORY: BETHLEHEM TO CAESAREA (104069) Author: Stotts, Dave. Volume 3: Miracles, Messiah, and the Roman Empire. Join host Dave Stotts as he speeds through the ancient world of the Bible. He delivers a fast-paced and even humorous encounter with the people, places, and events that have shaped our world and the Christian faith. Three 27-minute episodes: 7) **Saint Nicholas, camels, Saint Francis, light, the Church of the Nativity, the shepherd's field;** 8) Sea of Galilee, the Mount of the Beatitudes, Tabgha (the feeding of the 5,000), Capernaum (ancient synagogue, House of Peter), 'Jesus boat' Nazareth (Nazareth Village); 9) Caesarea Philippi, Caesarea Maritima. Includes guide with Scripture references and discussion questions. **CLOSED CAPTIONED.**

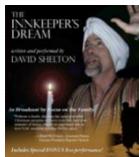


GOOD GOD THEATER, ACT 1: OLD TESTAMENT (107038) Author: Ted & Company TheaterWorks. Sixteen humorous skits help you see Bible events in a new way: Creation (9 min.); Cain and Abel (4 min.); The Flood (10 min.); Babel (9 min.); Jacob and Esau (7 min.); Joseph (7 min.); The Midwife (4 min.); Manna (7 min.); Golden Calf (8 min.); Leviticus (4 min.); David and Bathsheba (6 min.); Song of Solomon (9 min.); Prophet Radio (5 min.); Jeremiah (4 min.); Jonah (9 min.); **Advent** (8 min.). Includes guide.



GREAT FIGURES OF THE NEW TESTAMENT: PART 1 (107048) Author: Levine, Amy-Jill. 12 lectures, each 30 minutes long: 1) The New Testament; 2) John the Baptist; 3) The Virgin Mary; 4) **Joseph, Magi, and the shepherds;** 5) Peter; 6) John and James, the sons of Zebedee; 7) Martha, Mary, and Lazarus; 8) 'Doubting' Thomas; 9) The Gentile mother; 10) The Good Samaritan and the Prodigal Son; 11) The Samaritan woman; 12) Mary Magdalene. Includes lecture transcript and course guidebook.

HISTORICAL JESUS: PART 1 (108026) Author: Ehrman, Bart. 12 lectures, each 30 minutes long: 1) The many faces of Jesus; 2) One remarkable life; 3) Scholars look at the Gospels; 4) Fact and fiction in the Gospels; 5) The birth of the Gospels; 6) Some of the other Gospels; 7) The Coptic Gospel of Thomas; 8) Other sources; 9) Historical criteria -- getting back to Jesus; 10) More historical criteria; 11) **The early life of Jesus;** 12) Jesus in His context. Includes lecture transcript and course guidebook.



INNKEEPER'S DREAM (109008) Author: Shelton, David. This one-man performance is based on Chapter Two of Luke's Gospel. The innkeeper tells the story of Christ's birth to his friend, thinking that it was just a dream. With humor and poignancy throughout, this Christmas performance tugs at the heartstrings of everyone as they watch the innkeeper realize it wasn't a dream after all. 28 Minutes.

LIKE NO OTHER: THE LIFE OF CHRIST (112116) Author: Evans, Tony. An eight-session DVD study with Tony Evans. Sessions: **Promised like no other (6 min.); 2) A birth like no other (7 min.); 3) Power like no other (5 min.); 4) Teachings like no other (6 min.); 5) A death like no other (7 min.); 6) Resurrected like no others (6 min.); 7) Ascended like no other (8 min.); 8) Exalted like no other (5 min.). Includes guide.**

MATTHEW: THE VISUAL BIBLE (113011) Actor Richard Kiley is Matthew, telling this New International translation of the first gospel. This 2-DVD set allows you to search by event or chapter. Includes English and Spanish language tracks. **CLOSED CAPTIONED (English only).** 240 Minutes.



MIRACLE OF CHRISTMAS: A SANDSTORY PRESENTATION (113053) Author: Castillo, Joe. In this dynamic visual experience with a music soundtrack, Joe Castillo tells the Christmas story in a series of scenes created by manipulating black sand on a colored lightboard. 19 Minutes.

MR. KRUEGER'S CHRISTMAS (113028) The story of a lonely man whose Christmas fantasies come true. As he decorates his Christmas tree, Mr. Krueger (played by Jimmy Stewart) dreams about directing the Mormon Tabernacle Choir. He invites some real carolers inside for warmth and refreshment. After they leave, his fantasies continue, and he finds himself among the now living biblical figures of his creche. In a moving monologue, he thanks Christ for being with him as a friend and comforter. The carolers return and invite him to join him in singing and sharing Christmas dinner (26 min.). Includes guide. Additional DVD segments include: The Restoration (about Joseph Smith); The Nativity (5 min.); and Carols of Christmas (25 min.).

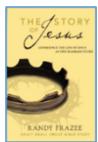
PATH OF JESUS (116037) Seven short dramas of the life and teachings of Jesus: Introduction (1 min.); **The Christmas Story** (9 min.); The Temptation (5 min.); Jesus and the Pharisees (10 min.); The Pharisee and the Tax Collector (8 min.); The Decision (6 min.); The Absent King (10 min.); The New Covenant (13 min.). The DVD also includes a director's commentary for each story containing behind-the-scenes information that leaders may want to show before or after each segment. Includes guide.



PERFECTLY IMPERFECT: CHARACTER SKETCHES FROM THE NEW TESTAMENT (116092) Author: Busic, David. This six-session DVD study is about people whose true-to-life stories are found in the New Testament. They are like us in many ways -- confused, tempted, and often afraid -- but then they meet Jesus, and their lives are wonderfully transformed. Sessions: 1) **Joseph** (11 min.); 2) Gerasene demoniac (15 min.); 3) The generous widow (10 min.); 4) Mary and the alabaster jar (9 min.); 5) Stephen (12 min.); 6) Philip and the Ethiopian (14 min.). Includes guide and paperback book. Age: YAS. 71 Minutes.



STORY OF ADVENT: SPEED SKETCH BIBLE STORIES (119135) This DVD contains four Bible stories told in 'speed sketch' style which are appropriate for use with all ages. Each story is told in two versions: 1) an easy-to-understand narrated paraphrase; 2) narrated directly from the NIV 1984 translation of the Bible. Likewise, each story in both forms is available with either English or Spanish audio. Stories (paraphrase time/NIV scripture time): 1) Isaiah's vision (5 min./5 min.); 2) The magi (5 min./2 min.); 3) The annunciation (5 min./5 min.); 4) Jesus' birth (5 min./3 min.).



STORY OF JESUS (119142) Author: Frazee, Randy. This seven-session DVD study presented by Randy Frazee provides individuals and small groups the opportunity to learn, discuss, and apply Jesus' life, work and teachings to their lives. Max Lucado adds introductory insights. Sessions: 1) **The birth of the King** (13 min.); 2) Jesus' ministry begins (12 min.); 3) No ordinary man (11 min.); 4) Jesus, the Son of God (11 min.); 5) The hour of darkness (12 min.); 6) The resurrection (10 min.); 7) New beginnings (11 min.). Includes guide.



TRUE CHRISTMAS STORY, THAT THE WORLD MAY KNOW (120001) Author: Vander Laan, Ray. **This DVD contrasts Herod the Great and the ruins of the Herodian and other building programs Herod built in Israel with Jesus, the King of the Universe, the Messiah born a few miles from the Herodian (Herod's palace) in Bethlehem in humble circumstances** (17 min). Also includes the segment 'Living Water,' the story of En Gedi and the significance of living water to King David and to us (23 min). **CLOSED CAPTIONED.**

VISION OF SIMPLER LIVING (122019) This DVD includes three separate programs: "Break Forth Into Joy" (15 min. with three additional 10 min. segments) -- encourages persons to adopt simpler lifestyles which reflect biblical teachings on wealth and poverty. "**The Celebration Revolution of Alexander Scrooge**" (17 min.) -- In this story, told with cartoon drawings, visits from three spirits teach Alexander (great-great-grandson of Ebenezer) the value of celebrating all holidays and special days in a simpler and more meaningful way. "**Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas**" (18 min.) -- encourages people to make Christmas celebrations less consumer-oriented and more meaningful. Includes guide.