

I AM NEVER ALONE



ON YOUR OWN

GOD GIVES ME STRENGTH CROSSWORD

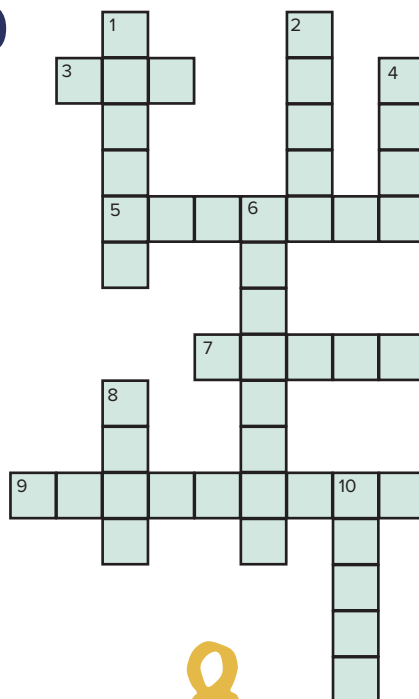
Use words from the Word Bank to solve the puzzle and remember today's Bible story.

DOWN

1. The man who trusted God's plan
2. You are never _____.
4. Jesus is the _____ gift ever!
6. God gives us _____.
8. The woman who trusted God's plan
10. God's messenger

ACROSS

3. Who is always with you?
5. Something you get on Christmas day
7. The baby born to Mary and Joseph
9. The holiday when we celebrate the birth of Jesus



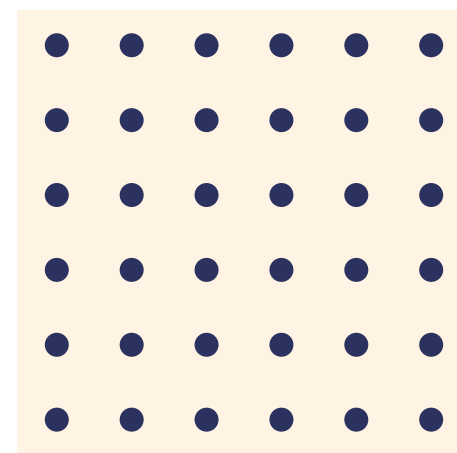
Word Bank:

ALONE
ANGEL
BEST
CHRISTMAS
GOD
JESUS
JOSEPH
MARY
PRESENT
STRENGTH

FUN WITH A FRIEND

CHRISTMAS BOWS AND BOXES


Take turns with a friend drawing a line between two side-by-side dots, either up and down or side to side. When one of you completes a box, "tie a bow" by marking it with your initials. You earn 1 point for every completed box and get another turn immediately. When all possible boxes have been completed, the friend with the most "gift-wrapped boxes" wins!




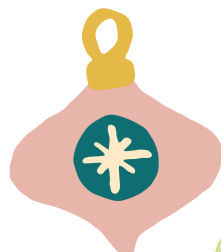
TAKE IT HOME

THIS MONTH'S TRUTH: I Am Never Alone

TODAY'S MAIN IDEA: God Gives Me Strength

 TODAY'S BIBLE STORY: Angels Visited Mary and Joseph (Matthew 1:18-25; Luke 1:26-38)

 TALK ABOUT IT: The angel Gabriel visited Mary to tell her that she would have a special baby, Jesus, who would be God's Son. Later, an angel appeared to Joseph in a dream, telling him not to be afraid to get married to Mary because the baby is from God. God is with us, and He gives us the strength to follow Him. When are some times you can turn to God and ask Him for strength and help?



MAKE THE CONNECTION

Angels told Mary and Joseph that God was with them and gives them strength. We can know that, because of God, we are never alone, and He gives us strength too!

Parent Signature _____