

OLDER TEENS (OVER 15)

TOPIC: The Angel Brings Good News
The Angel Gabriel Foretells The Birth
of Jesus to Mary.

BIBLE TEXT: St. Luke 1:26-38

LESSON FOCUS: God chose a poor,
humble maiden to be the mother of
His Son.

MEMORY VERSE: "He will be great
and will be called the Son of the Most
High." St. Luke 1:32.

SUGGESTED SONGS:

O How I Love Jesus,
I Love Him Better Every D-A-Y,
Tell Me The Stories of Jesus,
Stand Up and Shout It If You Love My
Jesus,
Everybody Ought to Know.

ADDITIONAL READING FOR

TEACHER:

Genesis 3:15
Genesis 49:10
Isaiah 7:1-17
Isaiah 49:6
Isaiah 9:6,7
Micah 5:2

ACTIVITIES

Colouring Pages
Worksheets
Craft

TEACHER'S BIBLE STUDY

God uses people from all walks of life
to serve Him. Mary was young, poor,
and female. These characteristics
would seem to make her unusable to
God for any major task. However, God
chose Mary for one of the most
important events of mankind – to
become the mother of the world's
Savior – Jesus Christ. Don't feel that
your ability, experience, or education
limits you as a candidate for God's
service. Become obedient to God and
He will use you if you trust Him.

Did you know?

The angel Gabriel appeared not only to
Zacharias and to Mary, but also to the
prophet Daniel more than 500 years
earlier (Daniel 8:15-17; 9:21). Each
time Gabriel has appeared, he has
brought important messages from
God.

When Gabriel appeared to Mary, she
was no more than 15 years old. His
startling announcement would mean
the end of a normal life for Mary.

Gabriel is considered an archangel, a
spiritual being next in rank above an
angel.

Mary the Mother of Jesus

Mary was a young peasant girl who
became the mother of Jesus. She was
a resident of Nazareth, a city of
Galilee. Mary was from the tribe of
Judah and was from the family line of
King David (Luke 1:32). Mary's cousin
Elizabeth was the mother of John the
Baptist.

Mary of Nazareth, the mother of Jesus,
is the most well known woman of the
Bible and perhaps the best-known
woman in the world. Since the birth of
Christ, people all over the world