

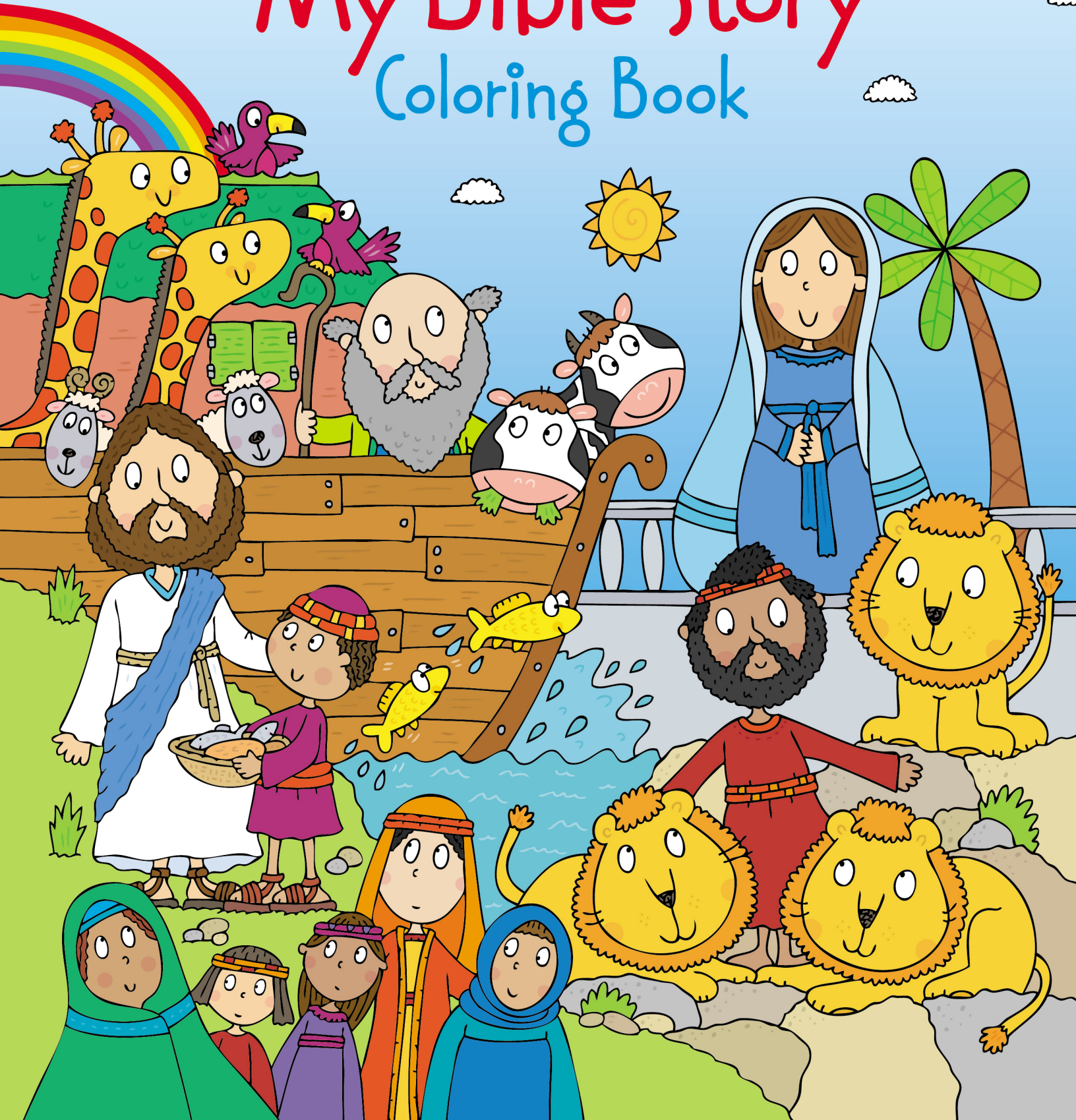
More than **30** stories
from the NIV Bible

THE BOOKS OF THE BIBLE



My Bible Story

Coloring Book





Week 1

Angel Visits Mary and Jesus is Born

God sent the angel Gabriel to a virgin. The girl was engaged to a man named Joseph. The virgin's name was Mary. The angel said, "The Lord is with you." Mary was very upset. But the angel said, "Do not be afraid, Mary. God is pleased with you. You will give birth to a son. You must name him Jesus."

"How can this happen?" Mary asked. The angel answered, "The Holy Spirit will come to you. The holy one that is born will be called the Son of God. Nothing is impossible with God."

"I serve the Lord," Mary answered. "May it happen to me just as you said it would." Then the angel left her.



Caesar Augustus required that a list be made of everyone in the whole Roman world. All went to their own towns to be listed.

Joseph went to Bethlehem, the town of David. He went there with Mary. Mary was engaged to him. She was expecting a baby.

While Joseph and Mary were there, the time came for the child to be born. She gave birth to her first baby. It was a boy. She wrapped him in large strips of cloth. Then she placed him in a manger. There was no room for them in the inn.

