

# **Children's Worship Bulletin - 31.03.24**

## **Good morning Kids' Word children and all kids everywhere**

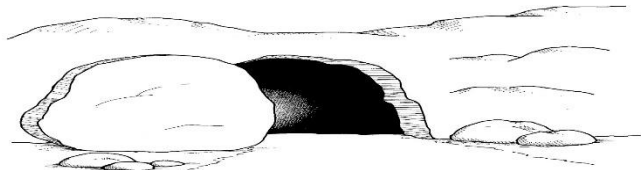
Do you like mystery stories? Well, today we are going to hear the most exciting mystery story ever told - '*The Case of the Empty Tomb*'.

The story begins very early in the morning on the first day of the week. Jesus had just been crucified and buried. Mary Magdalene, one of Jesus' followers, went to the tomb, but when she got there she saw that the stone had been rolled away from the entrance. She ran and found Peter and John - "They have taken the Lord's body from the tomb and I don't know where they have put Him."

Peter and John raced to the tomb. John got there first, looked in and saw the linen wrappings lying there. When Peter arrived, he went inside and also saw the linens. As he investigated further, he saw the cloth that had covered Jesus' head was also folded and lying apart from the other wrappings. After Peter and John looked around for a few minutes and were sure the tomb was empty they left and went home.

Mary, standing outside the tomb crying, looked inside and saw two angels sitting there. One was at the head and the other at the foot of where the body of Jesus had been. "Why are you crying?" they asked Mary. "They have taken my Lord and I don't know where they have put Him," she answered. As Mary was about to leave she saw someone standing there. It was Jesus, but she didn't recognize Him. Jesus asked Mary why she was crying. Mary, thinking that He was a gardener said, "Sir, if you have taken my Master away, tell me where He is so that I can go to Him. When Jesus spoke Mary's name she knew who it was. Jesus said to Mary, "Go and tell My brothers that you have seen Me and that I am going to return to My Father." Mary found the disciples, told them she had seen the Lord and gave them Jesus' message.

And that solves '*The Case of the Empty Tomb*.' The tomb is empty because Jesus is not dead, He is alive! He is risen just as He said!



**From Rose on behalf of the Kids' Word Team**

# The Case of the Empty Tomb

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene went to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the entrance.  
John 20:1 (NIV)



- \_\_\_ 1. A piece of fabric made by weaving cotton, wool, or other fibers  
A. tomb B. cloth C. stone D. white
- \_\_\_ 2. The woman who found the stone rolled away from Jesus' tomb  
A. Martha B. Margaret C. Mary D. Elizabeth
- \_\_\_ 3. What was used to cover the entrance to Jesus' tomb  
A. cloth B. stone C. dirt D. leaves
- \_\_\_ 4. The color of snow; the opposite of black  
A. blue B. green C. white D. brown
- \_\_\_ 5. Messengers from heaven  
A. Peter B. tomb C. disciples D. angels
- \_\_\_ 6. Not dead  
A. alive B. crying C. empty D. buried
- \_\_\_ 7. To produce tears; to weep  
A. alive B. empty C. cry D. tomb
- \_\_\_ 8. A grave or a room where someone is buried  
A. tomb B. heaven C. closet D. white
- \_\_\_ 9. The day we celebrate Jesus' resurrection  
A. Passover B. Easter C. Christmas D. Palm Sunday
- \_\_\_ 10. To have nothing inside  
A. empty B. crying C. tomb D. cloth

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## Word Jumble



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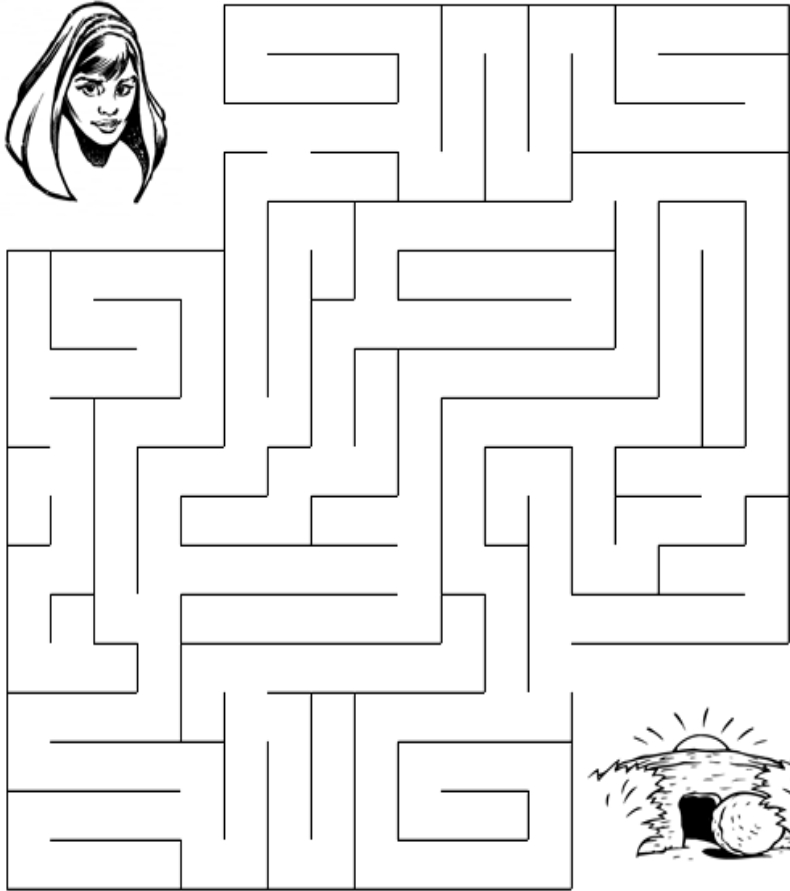
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ANSWER:

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*Can you help Mary find the way to the empty tomb?*



***“They have taken the Lord out of the tomb and we don’t know where they have put him”***





He is Risen



*Wishing you all a happy Easter Day*