

FREE PRINTABLE • KING JAMES VERSION



25 Names of Jesus

An Advent countdown: one name a day, December 1 – 25

LIST & MEANINGS • COUNTDOWN CARDS • CALENDAR • WALL PRINT • COLORING

“Wherefore God also hath highly exalted him, and given him a name which is above every name:”

PHILIPPIANS 2:9 (KJV)

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How to Use the Names of Jesus Printable

In the Bible, a name tells you who someone is. Jesus has many names and titles, and each one shows another side of who He is. This printable gathers 25 of them from the King James Bible, one for each day from December 1 to Christmas Day. It works just as well for any 25 days of the year.

- 1 Print. Print the list (pages 3-4) and the countdown cards (pages 7-9) on card stock if you have it. Cut the cards on the dashed lines.
- 2 Read. Each day, read that day's card together. Look up the verse in your Bible and read a few verses around it.
- 3 Talk. Ask: what does this name tell us about Jesus? The short notes in the list (pages 3-4) help.
- 4 Hang it. Punch the circle and hang the card on a tree, a garland or a string by the window. Watch the names grow each day.
- 5 Color. Color a star on the calendar (page 10). Page 5 is a wall print and page 6 is a coloring page.
- 6 Pray. Page 11 has seven short prayers using the names of Jesus.

FOUR WEEKS, FOUR THEMES

Dec 1-7: Promised from the beginning

Dec 8-14: Jesus said, "I am"

Dec 15-21: Saviour and King

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COMPANION PRINTABLE

This printable is about the names of Jesus, mostly from the New Testament. For the Hebrew names of God in the Old Testament (Elohim, El Shaddai, Jehovah-jireh and more), print our free Names of God printable: byscripture.com/free-names-of-god-printable/

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A note on spelling: this printable keeps the King James spellings, such as Saviour and Counsellor. Isaiah writes Immanuel and Matthew writes Emmanuel; both mean God with us. LORD in capitals stands for God's personal name, as in the KJV.

"But these are written, that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing ye might have life through his name."

JOHN 20:31 (KJV)

Names of Jesus with Meanings: Days 1-13

WEEK 1 • PROMISED FROM THE BEGINNING

- 1 The Word** JOHN 1:1

DEC 1 Meaning: God speaking to us in person. Before Bethlehem, before creation, the Son already was. Read John 1:1-14.
"In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God."
- 2 Alpha and Omega** REVELATION 22:13

DEC 2 Meaning: The first and the last, A to Z. Alpha and Omega are the first and last letters of the Greek alphabet.
"I am Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the end, the first and the last."
- 3 The Desire of All Nations** HAGGAI 2:7

DEC 3 Meaning: The One every heart longs for. Haggai spoke to people rebuilding a small temple: Someone greater was coming.
"the desire of all nations shall come"
- 4 The Root of Jesse** ISAIAH 11:10

DEC 4 Meaning: From the family of King David. Jesse was the father of King David. An ensign is a banner people gather around.
"there shall be a root of Jesse, which shall stand for an ensign of the people"
- 5 The Branch** ZECHARIAH 6:12

DEC 5 Meaning: New life from an old family tree. A green shoot from a cut-down stump: David's line was not finished.
"Behold the man whose name is The BRANCH"
- 6 Wonderful, Counsellor** ISAIAH 9:6

DEC 6 Meaning: Full of wonder, perfectly wise. Written about seven hundred years before Jesus was born.
"his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor"
- 7 The Prince of Peace** ISAIAH 9:6

DEC 7 Meaning: He makes peace with God possible. The same verse gives five names. Can you say them all?
"The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace."

WEEK 2 • JESUS SAID, "I AM"

- 8 The Bread of Life** JOHN 6:48

DEC 8 Meaning: He satisfies the deepest hunger. Jesus said this in Capernaum, the day after He fed five thousand people (John 6).
"I am that bread of life."
- 9 The Light of the World** JOHN 9:5

DEC 9 Meaning: He shows the way in the dark. Jesus said this before He gave sight to a man born blind (John 9).
"As long as I am in the world, I am the light of the world."
- 10 The True Vine** JOHN 15:1

DEC 10 Meaning: Stay joined to Him and grow. A husbandman is a gardener or farmer who tends the vine.
"I am the true vine, and my Father is the husbandman."
- 11 The Resurrection and the Life** JOHN 11:25

DEC 11 Meaning: Stronger than death. Jesus spoke these words to Martha, just before He raised Lazarus.
"I am the resurrection, and the life"
- 12 The Way, the Truth, and the Life** JOHN 14:6

DEC 12 Meaning: The road home to the Father. Jesus said this to comfort His friends the night before the cross.
"I am the way, the truth, and the life"
- 13 The Chief Shepherd** 1 PETER 5:4

DEC 13 Meaning: He leads and cares for His people. Peter wrote this to church leaders: Jesus is the Shepherd over every shepherd.
"And when the chief Shepherd shall appear, ye shall receive a crown of glory that fadeth not away."

Names of Jesus with Meanings: Days 14-25

WEEK 2 • JESUS SAID, "I AM"

- 14 The Mediator** 1 TIMOTHY 2:5
 DEC 14 Meaning: The one go-between for God and us. A mediator brings two sides together. Jesus is fully God and fully man.
"For there is one God, and one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus"

WEEK 3 • SAVIOUR AND KING

- 15 The Author and Finisher of Our Faith** HEBREWS 12:2
 DEC 15 Meaning: He starts our faith and completes it. Like a runner keeping his eyes on the finish line, look to Jesus.
"Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith"

- 16 King of Kings and Lord of Lords** 1 TIMOTHY 6:15
 DEC 16 Meaning: The King over every king. A potentate is a ruler with real power. Every throne answers to Him.
"the blessed and only Potentate, the King of kings, and Lord of lords"

- 17 The Bright and Morning Star** REVELATION 22:16
 DEC 17 Meaning: The star that means morning is near. The morning star shines brightest just before sunrise.
"I am the root and the offspring of David, and the bright and morning star."

- 18 The Dayspring from on High** LUKE 1:78
 DEC 18 Meaning: Sunrise from heaven. Zacharias sang this when his son John (the Baptist) was born.
"the dayspring from on high hath visited us"

- 19 The Son of the Highest** LUKE 1:32
 DEC 19 Meaning: Son of God Most High. The angel Gabriel told Mary who her baby would be.
"He shall be great, and shall be called the Son of the Highest"

- 20 The Consolation of Israel** LUKE 2:25
 DEC 20 Meaning: The comfort God promised. Old Simeon waited for years, and then held the baby Jesus in his arms.
"waiting for the consolation of Israel"

- 21 The Governor** MATTHEW 2:6
 DEC 21 Meaning: The King from little Bethlehem. Herod's scribes quoted Micah: the promised King would come from Bethlehem.
"for out of thee shall come a Governor, that shall rule my people Israel"

WEEK 4 • BORN IN BETHLEHEM

- 22 The Son of God** LUKE 1:35
 DEC 22 Meaning: Fully God, born as a baby. Mary asked how this could be. The answer: the power of the Highest.
"that holy thing which shall be born of thee shall be called the Son of God"

- 23 Immanuel** ISAIAH 7:14
 DEC 23 Meaning: God with us. Matthew spells it Emmanuel and explains it: God with us (Matthew 1:23).
"Behold, a virgin shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel."

- 24 Jesus** MATTHEW 1:21
 DEC 24 Meaning: The LORD saves. The KJV prints the name in capitals here. Jesus is the Greek form of Joshua.
"thou shalt call his name JESUS: for he shall save his people from their sins."

- 25 Saviour, Christ the Lord** LUKE 2:11
 DEC 25 Meaning: Born for you, this day. Merry Christmas! The angel's good news is for "you," and that means you.
"For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord."

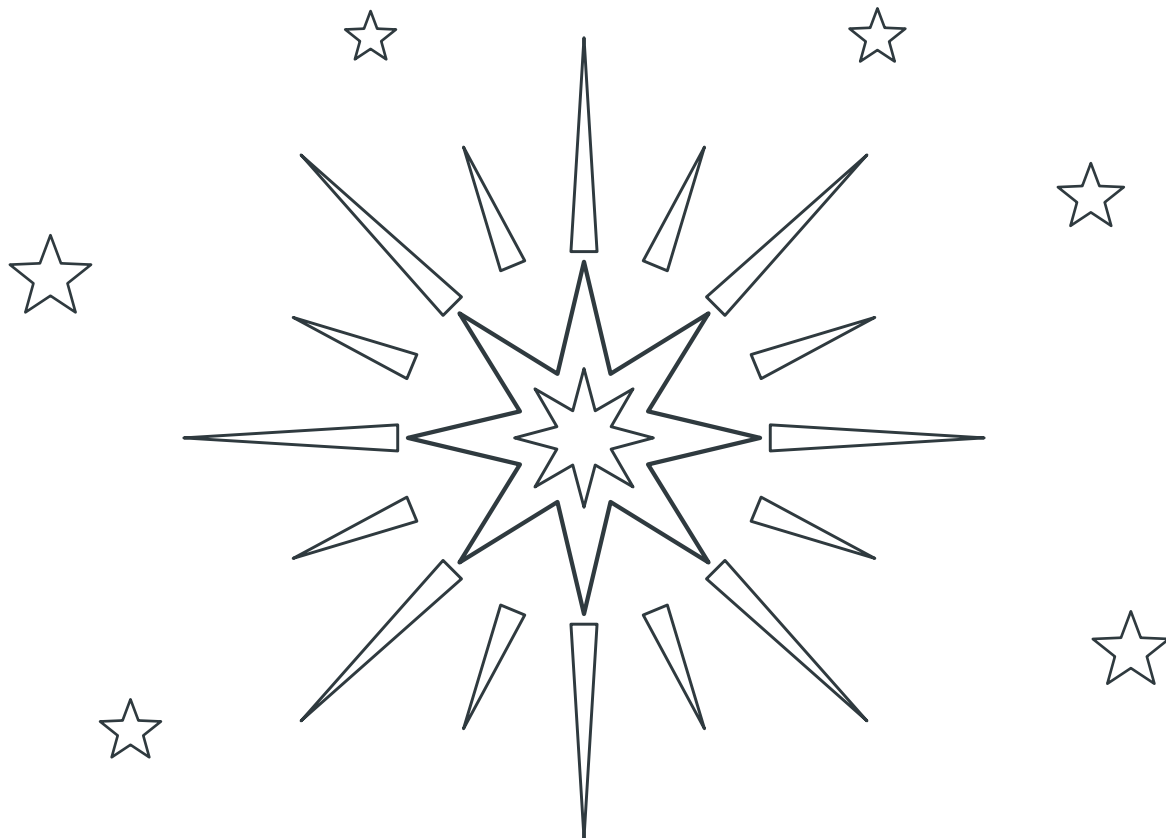


For unto us a child is born ...

his name shall be called

Wonderful,
Counsellor,
The mighty God,
The everlasting Father,
The Prince of Peace.

ISAIAH 9:6 (KJV)



JESUS

thou shalt call his name JESUS

for he shall save his people from their sins.

MATTHEW 1:21 (KJV)



NAMES OF JESUS COUNTDOWN CARDS • DAYS 1-9

Cut on the dashed lines. Punch the circle to hang each card as an ornament.



DAY 1 • TUE DEC 1

The Word

*"In the beginning was the Word, and
the Word was with God, and the
Word was God."*

JOHN 1:1 (KJV)



DAY 2 • WED DEC 2

Alpha and Omega

*"I am Alpha and Omega, the
beginning and the end, the first and
the last."*

REVELATION 22:13 (KJV)



DAY 3 • THU DEC 3

The Desire of All Nations

"the desire of all nations shall come"

HAGGAI 2:7 (KJV)



DAY 4 • FRI DEC 4

The Root of Jesse

*"there shall be a root of Jesse, which
shall stand for an ensign of the people"*

ISAIAH 11:10 (KJV)



DAY 5 • SAT DEC 5

The Branch

*"Behold the man whose name is The
BRANCH"*

ZECHARIAH 6:12 (KJV)



DAY 6 • SUN DEC 6

Wonderful, Counsellor

*"his name shall be called Wonderful,
Counsellor"*

ISAIAH 9:6 (KJV)



DAY 7 • MON DEC 7

The Prince of Peace

*"The mighty God, The everlasting
Father, The Prince of Peace."*

ISAIAH 9:6 (KJV)



DAY 8 • TUE DEC 8

The Bread of Life

"I am that bread of life."

JOHN 6:48 (KJV)



DAY 9 • WED DEC 9

The Light of the World

*"As long as I am in the world, I am the
light of the world."*

JOHN 9:5 (KJV)

NAMES OF JESUS COUNTDOWN CARDS • DAYS 10-18

Cut on the dashed lines. Punch the circle to hang each card as an ornament.



DAY 10 • THU DEC 10

The True Vine



"I am the true vine, and my Father is the husbandman."

JOHN 15:1 (KJV)



DAY 11 • FRI DEC 11

The Resurrection and the Life



"I am the resurrection, and the life"

JOHN 11:25 (KJV)



DAY 12 • SAT DEC 12

The Way, the Truth, and the Life



"I am the way, the truth, and the life"

JOHN 14:6 (KJV)



DAY 13 • SUN DEC 13

The Chief Shepherd



"And when the chief Shepherd shall appear, ye shall receive a crown of glory that fadeth not away."

1 PETER 5:4 (KJV)



DAY 14 • MON DEC 14

The Mediator



"For there is one God, and one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus"

1 TIMOTHY 2:5 (KJV)



DAY 15 • TUE DEC 15

The Author and Finisher of Our Faith



"Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith"

HEBREWS 12:2 (KJV)



DAY 16 • WED DEC 16

King of Kings and Lord of Lords



"the blessed and only Potentate, the King of kings, and Lord of lords"

1 TIMOTHY 6:15 (KJV)



DAY 17 • THU DEC 17

The Bright and Morning Star



"I am the root and the offspring of David, and the bright and morning star."

REVELATION 22:16 (KJV)



DAY 18 • FRI DEC 18

The Dayspring from on High



"the dayspring from on high hath visited us"

LUKE 1:78 (KJV)

NAMES OF JESUS COUNTDOWN CARDS • DAYS 19-25

Cut on the dashed lines. Punch the circle to hang each card as an ornament.



DAY 19 • SAT DEC 19

The Son of the Highest

*"He shall be great, and shall be called
the Son of the Highest"*

LUKE 1:32 (KJV)



DAY 20 • SUN DEC 20

The Consolation of Israel

"waiting for the consolation of Israel"

LUKE 2:25 (KJV)



DAY 21 • MON DEC 21

The Governor

*"for out of thee shall come a Governor,
that shall rule my people Israel"*

MATTHEW 2:6 (KJV)



DAY 22 • TUE DEC 22

The Son of God

*"that holy thing which shall be born of
thee shall be called the Son of God"*

LUKE 1:35 (KJV)



DAY 23 • WED DEC 23

Immanuel

*"Behold, a virgin shall conceive, and
bear a son, and shall call his name
Immanuel."*

ISAIAH 7:14 (KJV)



DAY 24 • THU DEC 24

Jesus

*"thou shalt call his name JESUS: for
he shall save his people from their
sins."*

MATTHEW 1:21 (KJV)



DAY 25 • FRI DEC 25

Saviour, Christ the Lord

*"For unto you is born this day in the
city of David a Saviour, which is
Christ the Lord."*

LUKE 2:11 (KJV)



WRITE YOUR OWN

**My favorite name
of Jesus**

Verse: _____



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**My favorite name
of Jesus**

Verse: _____

My Names of Jesus Calendar

Read the day's name, then color its star. Christmas Day is Friday, December 25.

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1  The Word	2  Alpha and Omega	3  The Desire of All Nations	4  The Root of Jesse	5  The Branch
6  Wonderful, Counsellor	7  The Prince of Peace	8  The Bread of Life	9  The Light of the World	10  The True Vine	11  The Resurrection and the Life	12  The Way, the Truth, and the Life
13  The Chief Shepherd	14  The Mediator	15  The Author and Finisher of Our Faith	16  King of Kings and Lord of Lords	17  The Bright and Morning Star	18  The Dayspring from on High	19  The Son of the Highest
20  The Consolation of Israel	21  The Governor	22  The Son of God	23  Immanuel	24  Jesus	25 CHRISTMAS  Saviour, Christ the Lord	26
27	28	29	30	31		

My favorite name of Jesus this Advent:

Starting another year or season? Just number the days 1 to 25 and begin any time.

Praying the Names of Jesus

Pray one name a day. Read the verse, pray the prayer, then add your own words.

DAY 1 **The Bread of Life**

JOHN 6:48

Lord Jesus, You are the Bread of Life. Fill the empty places in me today.

DAY 2 **The Light of the World**

JOHN 9:5

Light of the World, shine where I feel lost or afraid.

DAY 3 **The Way, the Truth, and the Life**

JOHN 14:6

You are the Way. Show me the next right step.

DAY 4 **The Chief Shepherd**

1 PETER 5:4

Chief Shepherd, lead and care for the people I love.

DAY 5 **The Prince of Peace**

ISAIAH 9:6

Prince of Peace, quiet my anxious thoughts.

DAY 6 **Immanuel**

ISAIAH 7:14

Immanuel, thank You that You are with me right now.

DAY 7 **Jesus**

MATTHEW 1:21

Jesus, my Saviour, thank You for saving me. Help me to tell someone about You.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

Keep Knowing Him by Name

"Jesus Christ the same yesterday, and to day, and for ever."

HEBREWS 13:8 (KJV)

Twenty-five names, and still only a beginning. The names of Jesus never change, because He never changes. Keep one card in your Bible, and keep talking to Him by name all year long.

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A CHRISTMAS PRAYER

Lord Jesus, thank You for every name You have shown us. You are Immanuel, God with us, and the Saviour of the world. Help me to know You better each day, and to honor Your name in all I do. Amen.

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