

# 2023 ADVENT CHRISTMAS COUNTDOWN

Countdown to Christmas with an Advent Christmas paper chain!  
For a fun learning experience, follow the directions on the back.



<b>READ:</b> John 1:1-3	<b>DISCUSS:</b> What did Jesus create that amazes you the most?	<b>1</b>
<b>READ:</b> Genesis 3:15	<b>DISCUSS:</b> How would you have punished the serpent for lying to Adam and Eve?	<b>2</b>
<b>READ:</b> Genesis 6:5-8	<b>DISCUSS:</b> Why did God save Noah from the flood?	<b>3</b>
<b>READ:</b> Genesis 17:7	<b>DISCUSS:</b> When have you made a forever promise to someone?	<b>4</b>
<b>READ:</b> Genesis 22:9-14	<b>DISCUSS:</b> If you had to give your most loved thing to God, what would it be?	<b>5</b>
<b>READ:</b> Numbers 24:17	<b>DISCUSS:</b> Have you ever been super excited about something that hasn't happened yet?	<b>6</b>
<b>READ:</b> Genesis 45:1-8	<b>DISCUSS:</b> When did you have to forgive someone?	<b>7</b>
<b>READ:</b> Genesis 49:8-10	<b>DISCUSS:</b> Why is a lion considered strong?	<b>8</b>
<b>READ:</b> Exodus 3:1-12	<b>DISCUSS:</b> Have you ever been asked to do something you weren't sure you could do?	<b>9</b>
<b>READ:</b> Joshua 2:8-11	<b>DISCUSS:</b> Do people know you love Jesus? How?	<b>10</b>
<b>READ:</b> Ruth 2:1-12	<b>DISCUSS:</b> When have you been rewarded for being kind?	<b>11</b>
<b>READ:</b> Isaiah 11:10	<b>DISCUSS:</b> Would you be excited to have Jesus living on the earth again? Why?	<b>12</b>
<b>READ:</b> Isaiah 9:6-7	<b>DISCUSS:</b> How would you describe Jesus?	<b>13</b>
<b>READ:</b> John 8:12	<b>DISCUSS:</b> Are you afraid of the dark? What helps you?	<b>14</b>
<b>READ:</b> John 1:6-8	<b>DISCUSS:</b> Why is it important that you tell others about Jesus?	<b>15</b>
<b>READ:</b> Luke 1:38, 46-55	<b>DISCUSS:</b> If God asked you to do something important, would you do it?	<b>16</b>
<b>READ:</b> Luke 2:1-6	<b>DISCUSS:</b> Have you ever been given a big responsibility?	<b>17</b>
<b>READ:</b> Luke 2:7	<b>DISCUSS:</b> How do you feel about Jesus being born in a manger?	<b>18</b>
<b>READ:</b> Luke 2:8-20	<b>DISCUSS:</b> Would you have been afraid if you were the shepherds?	<b>19</b>
<b>READ:</b> Luke 2:8-20	<b>DISCUSS:</b> What might Mary have been thinking?	<b>20</b>
<b>READ:</b> Luke 2:22-38	<b>DISCUSS:</b> Did you ever receive a gift you had been wanting for a really long time?	<b>21</b>
<b>READ:</b> Matthew 2:1-12	<b>DISCUSS:</b> What gift would you have taken to Jesus?	<b>22</b>
<b>READ:</b> Ezekiel 34:11-15	<b>DISCUSS:</b> Have you ever lost something very precious to you?	<b>23</b>
<b>READ:</b> Isaiah 53:2-6	<b>DISCUSS:</b> Have you ever been punished for something you didn't do?	<b>24</b>
<b>READ:</b> John 3:16-17	<b>DISCUSS:</b> How do you show how much you love someone?	<b>25</b>



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## HOW TO CREATE AN ADVENT CHRISTMAS COUNTDOWN:

1. Cut this paper into strips using the color rows as a guide.
2. Tape the ends of your first strip together, with the number on top.
3. Loop your second strip through the first, and repeat Step 2.
4. Continue Steps 3 and 2 (in that order) until your chain is complete.
5. Starting December 1st, break the chain for the corresponding day and follow the prompts.
6. Have fun, & enjoy spending the extra time each day remembering the Reason for the season!

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