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Put on this Christmas program with your family or Primary.

- Make a poster for each letter in Merry Christmas. Write the part for each letter on the back of its poster.
- · Choose a narrator and someone to hold up each poster. If you don't have enough people, everyone can read more than one part.
- If you'd like, dress up like shepherds, angels, and Wise Men. Line up in order as you read your parts.

NARRATOR: Of all the Christmas wishes you can share this time of year,

There's one phrase in particular we love to say and hear.

Those two words, Merry Christmas, put a grin on every face.

We thought you'd like to see each letter's meaning, in its place.

M is for the manger filled with hay so soft and deep. A humble bed where baby Jesus cuddled down to sleep.

SONG: "Away in a Manger," Children's Songbook, 42-43.

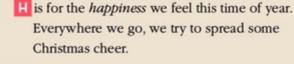
is for excitement that we feel the whole month through.

We laugh and play, sing Christmas songs, and smile at people too!

- R can stand for red, a Christmas color, fun and bright. Combined with green it makes our decorations look just right.
- R also means reverent. As we think of Jesus's birth, We remember that our Savior came to live for us on earth.
- Y is for yuletide, which means the Christmas season— A magic time of love and kindness. Jesus is the reason!

SONG: "Have a Very Merry Christmas!" Children's Songbook, 51.

c is for candles that can fill our homes with light. It also means the Christ child who was born that holy night.



R is for rejoicing, living life with love and joy. Our Savior gave a precious gift to every girl and boy.

SONG: "Joy to the World," Hymns, no. 201.

- is for inviting, reaching out to make new friends— Plates of cookies to deliver. Christmas cards to send!
- S is for the shepherds watching over flocks with care. They hurried off to Bethlehem to meet the Christ child there.
- is for togetherness, seeing family near and far, Long trips to visit relatives by plane or train or car.
- M is for a miracle. Heavenly Father sent His Son. No one else could take His place. He was the Chosen One.

A is for the angels who brought tidings of good news. To share those tidings with our friends is

S is for the star that guided seekers long ago. That Christmas light still guides us now, no matter where we go.

NARRATOR: We wish you, "Merry Christmas!" It's a lovely thing to say.

We're glad you came to celebrate and sing with us today.

There's only one more song to share before we soon depart,

A Christmas tune that touches each and every Christmas heart.

SONG: "Silent Night," Hymns, no. 204.

