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Using What You Know

Read each of the following Scripture passages. Then answer the question about the passage.

1. **Luke 2:1-4** How long was Mary and Joseph's journey?

2. **Matthew 2:1-3,16** How does this massacre fit with what you know about Herod?

3. **Luke 6:1-2** What did the disciples do wrong according to the Pharisees?

4. **John 1:46** When Nathanael heard that Jesus was from Nazareth, why did he ask, "Can anything good come from Nazareth?"

5. **Mark 2:3-4** What features of the Jewish house made it easy for the men to have their friend "drop in" on Jesus?

6. **Mark 12:15-17** Why was the coin that the Pharisees gave Jesus imprinted with the head of Caesar?

7. **Luke 5:30** Why did the Pharisees criticize Jesus for eating with tax collectors?

8. **Matthew 23:24** What did Jesus mean when he said that the Pharisees strained out the gnat (a tiny insect) and swallowed the camel?

9. **Luke 5:13** Why was it unusual for Jesus or anyone else to touch a leper?

10. **Luke 15:23** In the parable of the Lost Son, why was the fattened calf the sign of a special occasion?

11. **Luke 15:8-10** In this parable, why must the woman light a lamp to look for the coin?

12. **John 2:15-16** Why were people selling animals in the Temple?

13. **Matthew 26:57-59** Why was Jesus taken before the Sanhedrin after his arrest?

14. **Matthew 27:1-2** Why was Jesus taken to Pilate?
