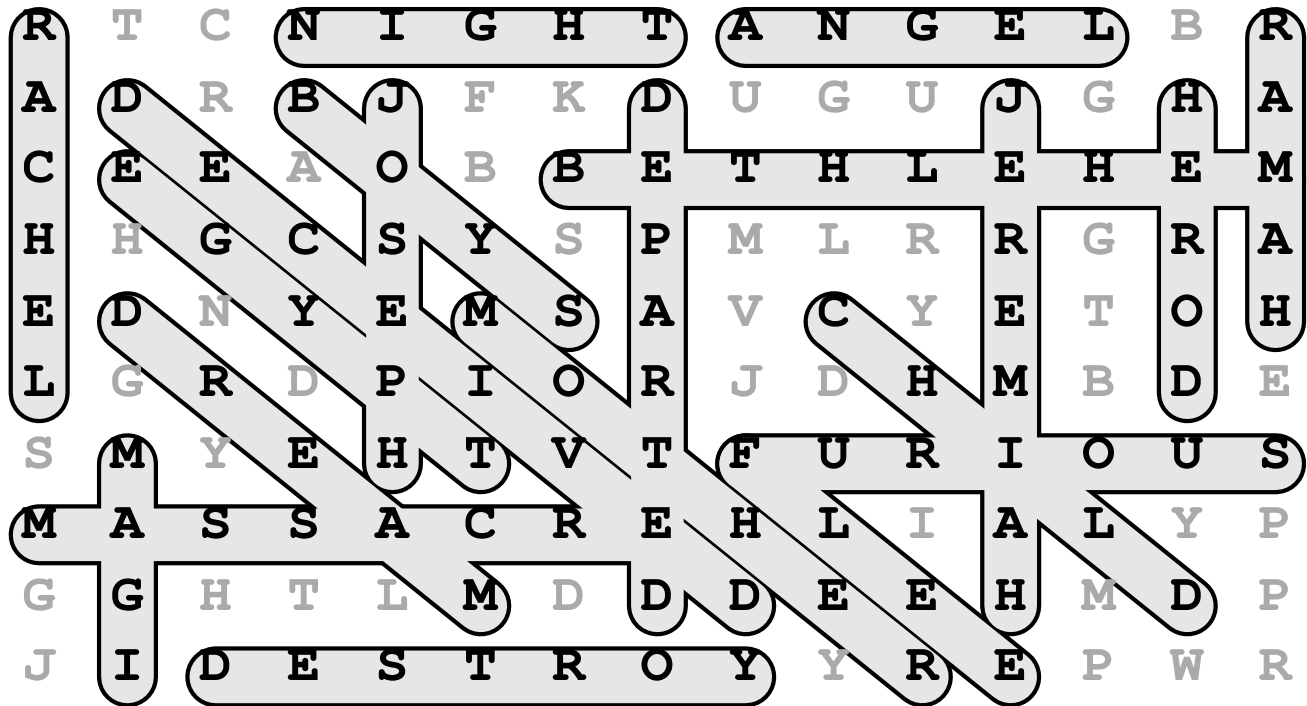


ANSWER KEY — Daily Gospel Word Find Puzzle

(Matthew 2:13-18, December 28, 2026)

Find the all-capitalized words in bold print.



ANGEL (row 1, col 9, across) BETHLEHEM (row 3, col 7, across) BOYS (row 2, col 4, diagonal)
CHILD (row 5, col 10, diagonal) DECEIVED (row 2, col 2, diagonal) DEPARTED (row 2, col 8, down)
DESTROY (row 10, col 3, across) DREAM (row 5, col 2, diagonal) EGYPT (row 3, col 2, diagonal)
FLEE (row 7, col 9, diagonal) FURIOUS (row 7, col 9, across) HEROD (row 2, col 14, down)
JEREMIAH (row 2, col 12, down) JOSEPH (row 2, col 5, down) MAGI (row 7, col 2, down)
MASSACRE (row 8, col 1, across) MOTHER (row 5, col 6, diagonal) NIGHT (row 1, col 4, across)
RACHEL (row 1, col 1, down) RAMAH (row 1, col 15, down)

Morse Code Solution: FROM THE WICKED ENEMY DEFEND ME

"From the wicked enemy defend me."

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About Today's Symbol: Christmas: The Lamb and the Crook (Revelation 14:4). A lamb with a shepherd's crook, from the Roman catacombs. The Holy Innocents "follow the Lamb wherever he goes," and shepherds were the first to visit the Child.

Source: H. J. Smith, *Illustrated Symbols and Emblems of the Jewish, Early Christian, Greek, Latin and Modern Churches* (1900), plate "Emblems from the Catacombs," scan p. 122, fig. 3