

SPIRITUAL TASK — GIFTS FOR THE LORD

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The wisemen gave the Lord gold, frankincense, and myrrh. What gifts can we give the Lord on His birthday?

How can we bring the gift of gold—love to the Lord?

- Try to find a quiet time to talk with the Lord each day.
- Thank Him for His gifts to you and ask for His help in using them wisely.

How can we bring the gift of frankincense to the Lord—loving the truths?

- Read the Word and cherish the truths that you find there.
- Start a journal in which you make note of statements in the Word that you find especially striking.

How can we bring the gift of myrrh—obedience?

- Practice obeying the Lord's commandments.
- Choose one of the commandments, perhaps focusing on its deeper meaning.