

BIG QUESTION:

Why did Herod want Jesus to be dead?



King Herod

Herod was King of Judea. He was made King by Marc Anthony who told the Roman leaders to make him the King in return for his loyalty. Jesus was born in Bethlehem when Herod was king of Judea. Herod tried to trick the three Magi (wise men) to lead him to Jesus but they were warned by God about what Herod was trying to do and followed the star of Bethlehem to get to Jesus instead,



Mary and Joseph

Joseph

Joseph was the husband of Mary, the mother of Jesus. He was a righteous man who was an observant Jew and who obeyed all of God's laws.

Mary |

Mary was the mother of Jesus who was told by the Angel Gabriel that she would have God's son and he would be called Jesus.

The Family of Jesus



Important words	What they mean
Judea	Is a term used for the mountainous southern part of the historic land of Israel and the Southern part of Palestine
Messiah	The figure promised by God to the Jews for the salvation of the world
Davidic line	Refers to the lineage of the Israelites King David through texts in the Hebrew Bible and the New Testament
Nazareth	The home village of Mary and where the Angel Gabriel told Mary that she would give birth to Jesus
Old Testament	The first part of the Christian Bible based on the 24 books of the Jewish Hebrew Bible
New Testament	The second part of the Christian Bible which tells us about the life and teachings of Jesus
Gospels	Means good news and are the first 4 books of the New Testament - Matthew, Mark, Luke and John.
Annunciation	Was the announcement by the angel Gabriel to the Virgin Mary that she would have a son called Jesus and he would be the son of God.
Hail Mary	A Christian prayer that is addressed to Mary, the mother of Jesus Christ



Judea where the New Testament states Jesus was born



The Annunciation,
by a 16th Century Greek artist called El Greco (grack-i-o).



National Treasures



Lincoln Cathedral - the oldest cathedral in the UK which dates back to Roman times



King Henry VIII who founded the Church of England

Rights of the Child/Global Goals

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| 1 | 14. Freedom of thought and religion | Children can choose their own thoughts, opinions and religion, but this should not stop other people from enjoying their rights. Parents can guide children so that as they grow up, they learn to properly use this right |
| 2 | 30. Minority culture, language and religion | Children have the right to use their own language, culture and religion - even if these are not shared by most people in the country where they live. |

