



(name) _____ : Bible detective!

List some of the things that you think could be part of the Christmas story, then tick them off if they can be found in the original versions written by Matthew and Luke.

Character, event or other element which might be part of the story	Matthew 1:18-25 2:1-18	Luke 1:26-38 2:1-20
<i>Mary is told she will be having God's baby</i>		
<i>They go to Bethlehem on a donkey</i>		
<i>Jesus is born in a stable</i>		

List here any parts of the original narratives that surprised you, and say why.