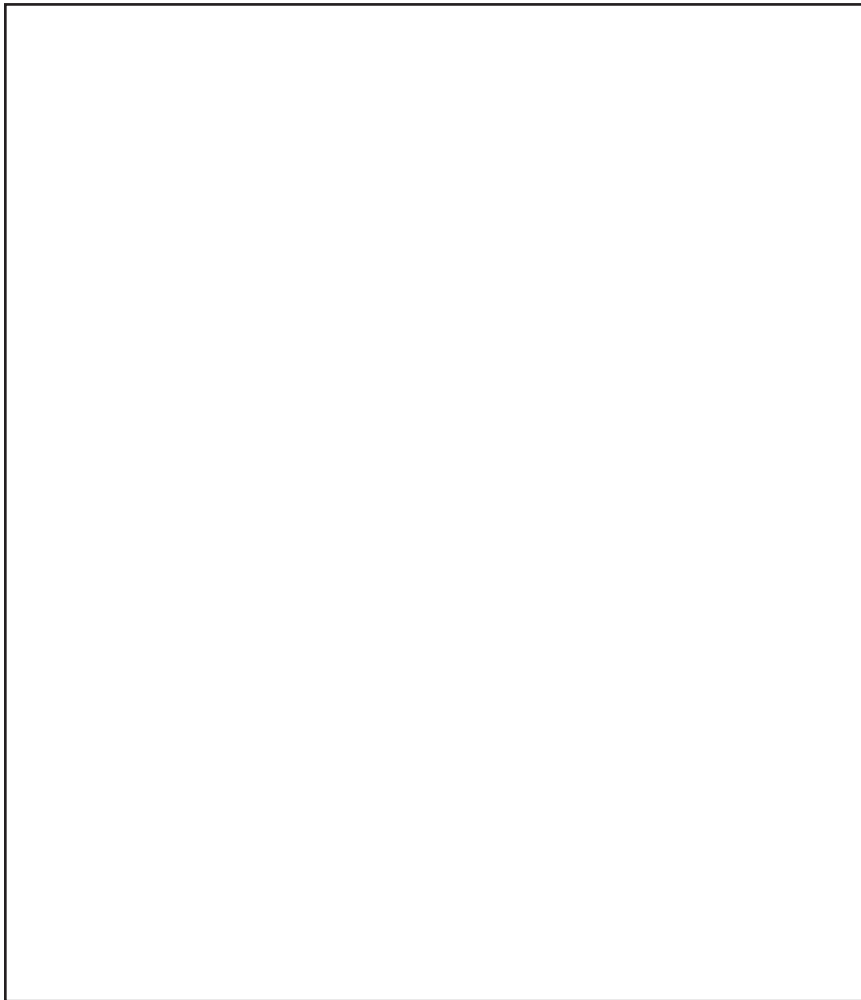


The Boy Jesus in the Temple

(Luke 2)



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Every year Jesus' family went to Jerusalem for Passover. The year he was 12 they went as usual. When they started for home, they traveled for 3 days before they realized that Jesus wasn't with them!



They thought that he was walking with some of the other people they were traveling with.

Joseph and Mary went back to Jerusalem. They looked everywhere for him. Finally they found him in the Temple. He was sitting in the middle of the very educated and wise men listening to them and asking them questions.



Everyone was amazed at how much he knew and understood!

Joseph and Mary were upset with him. They asked him why he had done something like that to them. They had been worried! Jesus said to them, "Don't you know that I must be about my

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