## **Best Christmas Pageant Ever Lesson 1 Spelling List**

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- 1. pageant 2. tradition 3. blackmail 4. contribution 5. hysterical 6. work 7. smart 8. word 9. hurt
- 10.serve

12. third

- 13. girl
- 14. clear
- 15. her

CHALLENGE WORDS 1. shepherd 2. congregation

## **Best Christmas Pageant Ever Lesson 1 Vocabulary List**

**pageant**: *n*. A show with participants or events; similar to a play. (*Example*: I wanted to play the character of Mary in the Christmas pageant at church.)

tradition: n. Something that is handed down from generation to generation. (Example: My family's tradition on Thanksgiving is to eat a big meal *together.*)

blackmail: v. To force someone to do something in order to get what you want by threatening to do or tell something. (Example: I was blackmailed by my sister when she said she would tell my mom what I did unless I gave her my only piece of candy.)

**contribution:** *n*. The act of giving something (money, time, supplies, etc) to something. (Example: The missionaries' contribution to the village was to bring in medical supplies and food to the people.

**hysterical**: adj. Uncontrollably emotional, such as laughing, crying, etc. (Example: The baby was hysterical when she dropped her bottle on the *floor.*)