**Приложение 4 аудирование**

About 2, 000 years ago a young woman named Mary lived in the town of Nazareth. She was going to marry Joseph. One day an angel appeared before her and told her that she had been chosen to have a special baby, a god’s son and she had to call him Jesus.

Soon Mary and Joseph were married. Marry was going to have a baby but they had to go on a long journey to Bethlehem where Joseph was born. It happened because Joseph had to pay a special tax. At last they arrived in Bethlehem. There were a lot of people in the town. Mary was tired but they couldn’t find a place to stay. Finally, one kind man put them up in his stable. A few hours later Mary gave a birth to her son. Jesus was born in the stable.

At the same time some shepherds saw a bright star in the sky. They were afraid but it was an angel who brought them news about the God’s son. The shepherds wanted to go and see the baby. When they came to the stable they were full of joy.

Far away in the East wise men saw a new star in the sky. They studied the stars and knew what it meant that a great ruler had been born. The wise men decided to find this new ruler, they went to see King Herod because they thought the baby was in the palace. The king was worried he thought that a new ruler might take his throne. So he told his men to find the baby and kill him.

But the wise men found the baby guided by the star. They gave him gifts and went back. They didn’t go to Herod because they learnt that he wanted to kill Jesus. Soon after that Joseph had a dream where an angel told him to take Mary and Jesus to Egypt as the king wanted to kill the baby. They left Bethlehem right away. At that time King Herod ordered to kill all baby boys. But the king’s men didn’t find Jesus, the God’s son was safe.