

Magic Carpet

Aim - A Visit to Mary

1. Sitting
2. Listening
3. In front of you is a carpet of brilliant colours. When you sit on it you say a magic word that makes it rise through the air. Think of a word. (pause)
4. Sit on the carpet and say the magic word, which only you know.
5. The carpet is rising.
6. It moves through the air gathering speed rising higher and higher.
7. You are whizzing over mountains, seas, rivers and cities.
8. You are now in a country where the sky is very blue. The sun is shining. Below you is a little white walled town.
9. The carpet descends and reaches the ground.
10. Step off and roll up your carpet placing it behind a palm tree.

Part 2

1. You see an archway in the wall. Walk through it. A little way up the street a young woman is sweeping the street in front of a white washed house. She waves to you. You realise it is Mary. She looks so happy to see you. (pause)
2. Mary sees you are hot after your journey and invites you to sit on the bench outside the house. She goes inside to fetch some lemonade and returns with a cool drink for both of you. (pause)

3. You sit with Mary on the bench sipping your drinks. She tells you about the visit of the angel and how happy she is to be carrying God's son, Jesus. She places your hands on her stomach. You can feel the baby kicking inside. (pause)
4. Realise that this growing baby is Jesus who will give his life for you. Tell Mary how much you want to love her son and ask her to help you. (pause)
5. It is time to go. Say goodbye. Walk towards the archway. Turn and wave.
6. Find your carpet. Say your magic word. The carpet rises and moves swiftly through the air.
7. Return home to this room.
8. Listen.
9. Open your eyes. 1 2 3

'I actually felt the baby kicking!'
(Katrina 9 years)

