



2023

# Christmas Coloring Contest

## The MESSAGE

### Annual coloring contest open to children in kindergarten through grade 5

Children in kindergarten through fifth grade are invited to participate in the annual **Message** Christmas Coloring Contest.

Entries may be colored with markers, crayons, pencils or watercolors and will be judged on neatness and creativity. You may enter as many times as you wish, but you can win only one prize.

To be eligible, your name, address, school or parish, age, grade and phone number must be printed and legible in the spaces provided.

Entries must be received at **The Message** by 5 p.m. CST, December 11. Winners' names will be published in **The Message** on December 22.

*Prizes will be mailed after publication of names.*

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### Prizes and Categories:

Four prizes will be awarded in each of three grade levels:

**kindergarten/first grade,  
second/third grade and  
fourth/fifth grade.**

**Prizes: Amazon gift card AND  
Bonus Ritzy's gift card**

**Grand prize:** \$75 Amazon card  
plus \$20 Ritzy's card

**First prize:** \$30 Amazon card  
plus \$10 Ritzy's card

**Second prize:** \$20 Amazon card  
plus \$5 Ritzy's card

**Third prize:** \$10 Amazon card  
plus \$5 Ritzy's card

*Note: Due to delays in mail service, we highly recommend mailing entries as early as possible. All entries must be received on or before Dec. 11 to be considered eligible.*

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

School/Parish \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

To be eligible, your name, home address, school or parish, age, grade and phone number must be printed and legible in the spaces provided.

Mail to: **The Message**, P.O. Box 4169,  
Evansville, IN 47724-0169.

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