Advent Paper Chain

Gather five different colors of construction paper (e.g. white, yellow, green, red, blue). If your printer can print on 9 x 12-inch construction paper, print each of the following pages on a different color. If not, instead make marks 1 3/4 inches apart down both sides of the short side of the paper. Cut out the strips so you have five 1 3/4 x 12-inch strips of each color. Then, in alternating colors, hand write the below information on the construction paper strips (e.g. day 1 on white, day 2 on green, day 3 on red, day 4 on yellow, day 5 on blue, etc.)

Keep the strips in the back of you Bible, and each day of advent, pull out the appropriate strip for the day, read the Scripture and use the discussion question. Then add each new day's strip to the paper chain by using glue or a stapler (curling so the writing is on the inside). Use it as a decoration throughout Advent, and enjoy watching it grow!

1	Luke 1:26, 27	What was the angel's name?
2	Luke 1:26, 27	Who did the angel come to talk to?
3	Luke 1:28, 29	Who did the angel say was with Mary?
4	Luke 1:28, 29	How did Mary feel?
5	Luke 1:30, 31	What did the angel tell Mary?
6	Luke 1:30, 31	What was Mary to name her new baby?
7	Luke 1:37	Can God really do everything He wants?
8	Luke 2:1-5	Find Bethlehem on the map in your Bible.
9	Luke 2:6, 7	Where did baby Jesus sleep?
10	Luke 2:8, 9	How did the shepherds feel? (Happy, afraid, etc.)
11	Luke 2:10-12	What was the angel's message?
12	Luke 2:13, 14	What do you think a multitude is?
13	Luke 2:15	What did the shepherds do?
14	Luke 2:12-16	Did they find what the angel said they would?
15	Luke 2:17-20	Could the shepherds keep the news a secret?
16	Matthew 1:21	Why did Jesus come to earth?
17	Matthew 2:1, 2	Who were the Kings of the East looking for?
18	Matthew 2:1, 2	Why did the Kings of the East come?
19	Matthew 2:3, 4	Did King Herod like what he heard?
20	Matthew 2:4-6	Did the scribe know where to find Jesus?
21	Matthew 2:9, 10	What led the Kings to Jesus?
22	Matthew 2:10	Were the Kings happy to see the star?
23	Matthew 2:11	What gifts did the Kings bring?
24	Romans 12:1, 2	What gift does Jesus want from us?
25	Luke 2:1-20	Who was the precious gift God gave us?

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Day 18 Matt. 2:1, 2 Why did the Kings of the East come?

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Day 4 Luke 1:38, 29 How did Mary feel? (Afraid, happy, etc.)

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