***All Wrapped Up***

**Object:** Teams wrap one preteen to create a human Christmas package.

**Supplies:**

Rolls of wrapping paper; tape; scissors; bows; ribbon (enough for each team to wrap one student)

**Preparation:**

* Divide the wrapping supplies for each team.
* Decide if you’ll award points for neatness, creativity or both.

**How to Play:**

* Divide the group into even teams.
* Explain that preteens are to choose one team member who will be wrapped up to become a human Christmas package!
* Give the teams 10 minutes to wrap their human package.
* Explain what points you will be awarding
* Get everyone in position and start wrapping!
* Allow each team to see each other’s amazing ‘packages,’ then choose your award winners.

***Break It Down***

**Scripture:** John 3:16 (God gave us Jesus, an amazing gift!)

**Main Point:** It’s easy to get ‘wrapped up’ in all the ‘stuff’ that goes on at Christmas, but we have to remember it’s all about one thing, the **gift** of Jesus. *Presents* are expected. ***Gifts*** are unexpected and often undeserved. Jesus was most definitely an undeserved gift to the world. And this gift says tons about the Giver! God loved us so much that He gave His Son, His only Son, so that we could have awesome, eternal lives with Him!

Take time to think about what you’ll be giving and receiving this Christmas. Are they presents or gifts? What do they say about the giver?

This Christmas, get wrapped up in Jesus!