



# Irving

Hello, my name is Irving! I'm very different than the rest of Annie's horses. That's because I'm not even a horse, I'm a donkey! I've been living with Annie for about five years now. One of my favorite things to do is to be a part of the Nativity Scene during Christmas time! But honestly, I'm very shy. I'm not much of a leader, so I get a little uncomfortable if I'm the center of attention for too long. Because of this, it can be hard for me to do some stuff that the other horses do. This is why I like the Nativity scene. I get to help show people Jesus with my friends, and this makes me much more confident in myself! I'm okay with not doing everything the other horses do because I still get to help show people Jesus in my own way! All of us use our own talents and gifts to show the world how awesome Jesus is, which is better because we get to reach all different types of people! Just because I'm not a big fan of attention, that doesn't make me any less of a witness than the other horses who do big performances and stuff. Just like me and the others, you and your friends are all different too! Serving in the way that God equips us to is the best way! If we work together and use our different talents, we can reach so many people!

**1 Corinthians 12:4-6**

**"There are different kinds of gifts, but the same Spirit distributes them. There are different kinds of service, but the same Lord. There are different kinds of working, but in all of them and in everyone it is the same God at work."**