





The Wise Men: Matthew 2:1-12 Main Idea of Text The Wise Men that visited Jesus were wise because they followed the will and direction of God





- 1. The Arrival of the Wise Men
- 2. A False Sense of Worship
- 3. Wisdom Leads to True Worship



1. The Arrival of the Wise Men

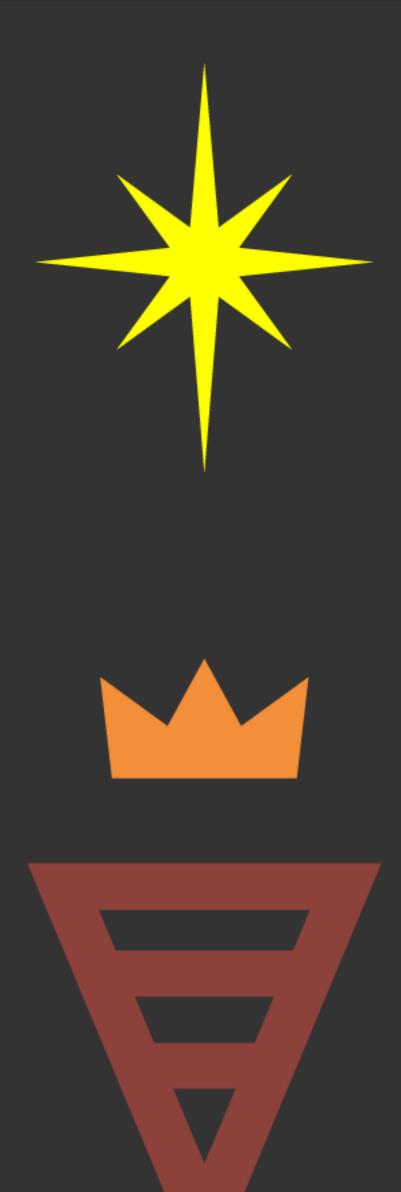




-Verses 1-2 -A tremendous journey

-Wisdom applied

- -A needed sense of motivation and purpose



2. <u>A False Sense of Worship</u>

-Verses 3-8
-A violent life and background
-A telling reaction
-An apathetic culture and city





3. Wisdom Leads to True Worship

- -Verses 9-12
 -A supernatural act of God
 -A right attitude of worship
 -Gifts for the King
- -Examples of wisdom



Next Step

-Reflect on your own walk with Christ. How has this year been? Positive/negative? Have you grown closer with God or been drawn away?

-Set measurable goals for next year to walk close with Jesus Christ, the King.



