

They Wished To See Jesus: Wise Men

*“When they saw the star, they rejoiced exceedingly with great joy.”
Matthew 2:10, English Standard Version*

Why did these men make such a _____ journey? To see _____.

Matthew 2: The Wise Men’s Visit To See The Child Jesus

- A. 2:11 – By the time they arrive, Mary and Joseph were in a _____ . It was sometime less than _____ years later.
- B. Matthew’s account of the wise men’s visit:
1. 2:1,2 – They came from the _____ after seeing a _____ . They knew that the _____ of _____ could be found.
 2. 2:3-8 – King _____ learned that the _____ was to be born in _____ . He ordered the wise men to come back and _____ where they found the _____ .
 3. 2:9-11 – The _____ again appeared, and led them to the place where the child and His _____ were. They _____ Him and gave Him _____ .
- C. The fulfillment of prophecies:
1. Micah 5:2 – The one who is to be _____ in _____ would come from _____ .
 2. Numbers 24:17 – A _____ would come out of Jacob, and a _____ from Israel.
 3. Isaiah 60:1-3,6 – The _____ of the Lord would _____ upon them. _____ would come with expensive _____ .

Wisdom Will Lead Anyone To Come To The Christ

- A. Pagan astrologers?!
1. Daniel 2:27,28 – The ability to know _____ can only come through the _____ in _____ .
 2. Acts 8:13 – Simon was a _____ , but he left his trade to follow _____ .
- B. The continuing wisdom of coming to the light:
1. Hebrews 1:1-3a – God’s _____ is the _____ of His glory.
 2. Revelation 22:16 – Jesus is the _____ morning _____ .
 3. Philippians 2:9-11 – God has _____ Christ so that every knee might _____ and every tongue _____ Him.
- C. A cliché that is true: “ _____ men _____ seek Him.”

Matthew 28:18 – The _____ news is for _____ the nations.

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