

# Come to Worship



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<sup>1</sup> Jesus was born in Bethlehem in Judea when Herod was king. After Jesus' birth wise men from the east arrived in Jerusalem. <sup>2</sup> They asked, "Where is the one who was born to be the king of the Jews? We saw his star rising and have come to worship him." <sup>3</sup> When King Herod and all Jerusalem heard about this, they became disturbed. <sup>4</sup> He called together all the chief priests and scribes and tried to find out from them where the Messiah was supposed to be born. <sup>5</sup> They told him, "In Bethlehem in Judea. The prophet wrote about this: <sup>6</sup> Bethlehem in the land of Judah, you are by no means least among the leaders of Judah. A leader will come from you. He will shepherd my people Israel." <sup>7</sup> Then Herod secretly called the wise men and found out from them exactly when the star had appeared. <sup>8</sup> As he sent them to Bethlehem, he said, "Go and search carefully for the child. When you have found him, report to me so that I may go and worship him too." <sup>9</sup> After they had heard the king, they started out. The star they had seen rising led them until it stopped over the place where the child was. <sup>10</sup> They were overwhelmed with joy to see the star. <sup>11</sup> When they entered the house, they saw the child with his mother Mary. So they bowed down and worshiped him. Then they opened their treasure chests and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.

**Matthew 2:1-11 (GW)**

When You Come to Worship Jesus You will ...

- Embark on a \_\_\_\_\_

Jesus called out to them, "Come, follow me...."

**Matthew 4:19a (NLT)**

- Be overwhelmed with \_\_\_\_\_

"The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field. When a man found it, he hid it again, and then in his joy went and sold all he had and bought that field.

**Matthew 13:44 (NIV2011)**

- Be \_\_\_\_\_

<sup>2</sup> Jesus called a little child to him and put the child among them.

<sup>3</sup> Then he said, "I tell you the truth, unless you turn from your sins and become like little children, you will never get into the Kingdom of Heaven. <sup>4</sup> So anyone who becomes as humble as this little child is the greatest in the Kingdom of Heaven.

**Matthew 18:2-4 (NLT)**

- Give your \_\_\_\_\_

They entered the house and saw the child with his mother, Mary, and they bowed down and worshiped him. Then they opened their treasure chests and gave him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.

**Matthew 2:11 (NLT)**

## My Next Step Today Is To...

- Memorize and/or meditate on Matthew 2:11
- Grow in the area of being a worshiper of God
- Make time tomorrow, by myself or with family and/or friends, to worship Jesus.
- Come to Jesus, repenting of my broken way of living, in order to embark on the journey with Him.