

Merry Christmas!

Experiencing Christmas With The Three Wise Men

Matthew 2:1-12



The Bread Of Life Is Christmas

Matthew 2:1-2 *Now after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea in the days of Herod the king, behold, wise men from the East came to Jerusalem saying, where is He who has been born King of the Jews? For we have seen His star in the East and have come to worship Him.*

(see John 6:47-51)



Matthew 2:3-8

When Herod the king heard this, he was troubled, and all Jerusalem with him. And when he had gathered all the chief priests and scribes of the people together, he inquired of them where the Christ was to be born.



Matthew 2:3-8

So they said to him, In Bethlehem of Judea, for thus it is written by the prophet: But you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are not the least among the rulers of Judah; For out of you shall come a Ruler who will shepherd My people Israel.



Matthew 2:3-8

Then Herod, when he had secretly called the wise men, determined from them what time the star appeared. And he sent them to Bethlehem and said, Go and search diligently for the young Child, and when you have found Him, bring back word to me, that I may come and worship Him also.



Experiencing Christmas Is Finding Christmas

Matthew 2:9-10 *When they heard the king, they departed; and behold, the star which they had seen in the East went before them, till it came and stood over where the young Child was. When they saw the star, they rejoiced with exceedingly great joy.*



Christmas Is the Light

Ephesians 5:8-9 *For once you were full of darkness, but now you have light from the Lord. So live as people of light! For this light within you produces only what is good and right and true.*





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1 Timothy 6:16 He alone can never die, and he lives in light so brilliant that no human can approach him. No human eye has ever seen him, nor ever will. All honor and power to him forever! Amen.



Christmas Is Jesus Who Is The Light

John 1:1-9 *In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God. All things were made through Him, and without Him nothing was made that was made. In Him was life, and the life was the light of men. And the light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not comprehend it...that was the true Light which gives light to every man coming into the world.*

