



The Promise Pt. 3
Promise of Significance

LifeGroup Discussion Guide
for the week of 12/18/2021

Please read Matthew 2:1-12

[1] What kinds of dreams do you feel God is putting in your heart as we go into a new year?

If you cannot answer this question our "IF" Community Series will help you do just that!

[2] The Magi were powerful and well-resourced yet they humbly worshiped Jesus and recognized him as a king far above their rank in a setting that was far from opulent. What role does humility play in fulfilling the dreams God has placed in your heart?

[3] How does this story encourage you to follow your "star" when you are feeling insignificant or running into situations that don't seem to fit the path you envision your dream is taking you?

[4] The gold, frankincense and myrrh were symbols of royalty and they were also God's provision for Jesus, Joseph and Mary when they had to flee Herod and hide out in Egypt. Are there aspects of your dream that need provision as you follow your star? What type of provision do you need from God?

[5] Many times a dream will start small and seem insignificant at first yet as we take each step God reveals more and more. How do you see your dream growing and expanding? If your dream has grown dormant, what about today's message has encouraged you to dream again?

[6] Joseph and Mary went from the excitement of her pregnancy to having a baby in a manger. When King Herod found out he hunted them down out of jealousy in having a rival leader (Jesus) as a contender for his throne. What about today's message will help you keep your dream alive and encourage you to follow your star through adversity and disappointment?

[7] What's one thing in your life where you need to make a U-turn and start going in a different direction?

[8] What steps do you need to take to make this course correction? How and when are you going to take these steps?