



SIGNS OF CHRISTMAS
PART THREE: THE STAR OF HEAVEN

Matthew 2:2

1. An _____ Star

God reveals Himself to those who are willing to see. When these men from the east saw the star, they understood the meaning of this heavenly revelation. It marked the identity of the newborn King.

But when he who had set me apart before I was born, and who called me by his grace, was pleased to reveal his Son to me, in order that I might preach him among the Gentiles. ~ Galatians 1:15-16a

2. An _____ Star

Inspired by the sight of this star, the magi journeyed, perhaps more than 1000 miles, in order to see Jesus. Two years of preparation and travel brought these men from the east to see the King of kings.

Indeed, I count everything as loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things and count them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ. ~ Philippians 3:8

3. An _____ Star

At the sight of the star, the magi aimed at one thing—to find the One born and worship Him. They did not merely send their gifts, but were compelled to answer the invitation of the star and offer themselves in worship.

And again, when he brings the firstborn into the world, he says, "Let all God's angels worship him." ~ Hebrews 1:6

PHILIPPIANS 2:14-15

DO ALL THINGS WITHOUT GRUMBLING OR DISPUTING, THAT YOU MAY BE BLAMELESS AND INNOCENT, CHILDREN OF GOD WITHOUT BLEMISH IN THE MIDST OF A CROOKED AND TWISTED GENERATION, AMONG WHOM YOU SHINE AS LIGHTS IN THE WORLD.



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Additional Scripture References
(And Rabbit Trails Bible Study)

Psalms 19:1

The heavens declare the glory of God, and the sky above proclaims his handiwork.

Genesis 1:14

And God said, "Let there be lights in the expanse of the heavens to separate the day from the night. And let them be for signs and for seasons, and for days and years."

Romans 1:20

For his invisible attributes, namely, his eternal power and divine nature, have been clearly perceived, ever since the creation of the world, in the things that have been made. So they are without excuse.

Matthew 13:44

"The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which a man found and covered up. Then in his joy he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field."

Mark 10:28

Peter began to say to him, "See, we have left everything and followed you."

Hebrews 11:16

But as it is, they desire a better country, that is, a heavenly one. Therefore God is not ashamed to be called their God, for he has prepared for them a city.

Isaiah 60:3

And nations shall come to your light, and kings to the brightness of your rising.

John 9:38

He said, "Lord, I believe," and he worshiped him.