

December 2020

Merry Christmas

GOSPEL TABERNACLE NEWSLETTER

"SEE..SEEK..SURRENDER"

BY DANIELLE MAYNOR

What would it be like to interview the wise men of the Christmas story? Has anyone else ever wanted to know more about these mysterious visitors who traveled so far to see baby Jesus? In the book of Matthew 2:1-12, we find the biblical account of the magi (Greek) from eastern lands who inspired by a special star embarked on a journey that took them thousands of miles and multiple months to complete. Ever wondered what kind of star one could possibly SEE that would cause them to make such a costly commitment? That star or as Matthew states in verse two of the passage, "his star", is commonly referred to as the Star of Bethlehem or the Christmas star and yes it was that memorable of a star! However, these magi did not just gaze at this tremendous sight; no, they made preparation and chose to actively SEEK to worship this "newborn king". History explains that these wise men got this title or name because they were astrologers and therefore highly educated men of that time.

Some believe it was their background and course of study that led them to SEEK out this monumental event that forever changed history. Furthermore, it is interesting to note that these wise men or magi must have been wealthy, adventurous, risk-takers who because they believed became dreamers, givers, and worshippers of this Christ Child when many of "His chosen people" were not. The final step in the journey of these wise men involved SURRENDER. I am not simply talking about the three famous gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh that they dutifully presented to the "newborn king of the Jews". Nor am I referencing their SURRENDER to return home a different route than originally intended to avoid another confrontation with King Herod and thereby thwart his evil plan to kill this newborn king. No, more important was their personal SURRENDER of time, resources, and plans...all of which were of great value...to instead stop and worship the Messiah. What gift of value will you chose to bring this Christmas? Let us follow the example of the wise men and take the time to SEE, SEEK, and SURRENDER everything to the Savior of the World!

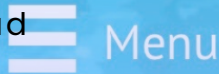




UPCOMING EVENTS

GREATEST GIFT NATIVITY | 12.04.20- 12.06.2 |

Drive- Thru Navitiy from 6:00-9:00 PM at the
Mclamb's Homestead



Menu

TUESDAY PRAYER

Every tuesday at 10:00 AM in the Sanctuary.

CHRISTMAS | 12.25.20 |

Enjoy time with family! Merry Christmas!

OFFICES CLOSED | 12.24.20- 1.1.20 |

Offices will be closed to observe Christmas &
New Years.

More Information:

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REMINDERS

1. Open Prayer: Every Tuesday
at 10:00 am.
2. Sunday Service:
10:30 am
LIVESTREAMED via
Facebook too!

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