



❖ MESSAGE NOTES ~ January 7, 2024

THE GIFTS ~ Week 1 Gold

Now after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea in the days of Herod the king, magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, "Where is He who has been born King of the Jews? For we saw His star in the east and have come to worship Him." ~ Matthew 2:1-2

When Herod the king heard this, he was troubled, and all Jerusalem with him. ~ Matthew 2:3

They said to him, "In Bethlehem of Judea; for this is what has been written by the prophet: 'And you, Bethlehem, land of Judah, Are by no means least among the leaders of Judah; For out of you shall come forth a Ruler Who will shepherd My people Israel.'" ~ Matthew 2:5-6

Then Herod secretly called the magi and determined from them the exact time the star appeared. ~ Matthew 2:7

And he sent them to Bethlehem and said, "Go and search carefully for the Child; and when you have found Him, report to me, so that I too may come and worship Him." ~ Matthew 2:8

~ **PAIDION - GREEK** ~ A young child

~ **BREPHOS - GREEK** ~ An infant

After hearing the king, they went their way; and the star, which they had seen in the east, went on before them until it came and stood over the place where the Child was. When they saw the star, they rejoiced exceedingly with great joy. ~ Matthew 2:9-10

After coming into the house they saw the Child with Mary His mother; and they fell to the ground and worshiped Him. Then, opening their treasures, they presented to Him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.. ~ Matthew 2:11

... the appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ, which He will bring about at the proper time—He who is the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of kings and Lord of lords ... ~ 1 Timothy 6:14b-15

All things came into being through Him, and apart from Him nothing came into being that has come into being. ~ John 1:3

He who has the Son has the life; he who does not have the Son of God does not have the life. ~ 1 John 5:12

He who believes in Him is not judged; he who does not believe has been judged already, because he has not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God. ~ John 3:18

Know Jesus, Know Peace. No Jesus, No Peace.

*... holding to a form of godliness, although they have denied its power ...
~ 2 Timothy 3:5a*

Wise Men Still Seek Him.

For this reason also, God highly exalted Him, and bestowed on Him the name which is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee will bow, of those who are in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and that every tongue will confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. ~ Philippians 2:9-11

And every created thing which is in heaven and on the earth and under the earth and on the sea, and all things in them, I heard saying, "To Him who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb, be blessing and honor and glory and dominion forever and ever." And the four living creatures kept saying, "Amen." And the elders fell down and worshiped. ~ Revelation 5:13-14



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