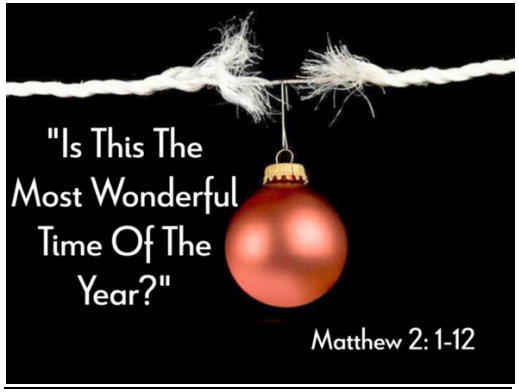


Sermon Notes

Pikes Peak Park Baptist Church

"Is This The Most Wonderful Time Of The Year?"

Matthew 2: 1-12 ESV | 12/13/2020

Pastor Mark Hensley

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,2 saying, "Where is he who has been born king of
the Jews? For we saw his star when it rose and have come to
worship him." 3 When Herod the king heard this, he was
troubled, and all Jerusalem with him; 4 and assembling all
the chief priests and scribes of the people, he inquired of them
where the Christ was to be born. 5 They told him, "In Bethlehem
of Judea, for so it is written by the prophet:

Matthew 2: 1-5 ESV

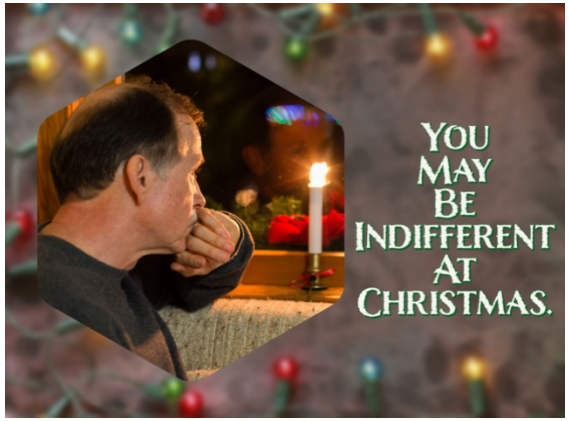
9 After listening to the king, they went on their way. And
behold, the star that they had seen when it rose went before
them until it came to rest over the place where the child was.
10 When they saw the star, they rejoiced exceedingly with
great joy. 11 And going into the house, they saw the child with
Mary his mother, and they fell down and worshiped him. Then,
opening their treasures, they offered him gifts, gold and
frankincense and myrrh. 12 And being warned in a dream not
to return to Herod, they departed to their own country by
another way.

Matthew 2: 9-12 ESV

6 "And you, O Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are by no
means least among the rulers of Judah; for from you shall
come a ruler who will shepherd my people Israel." 7 Then
Herod summoned the wise men secretly and ascertained
from them what time the star had appeared. 8 And he sent
them to Bethlehem, saying, "Go and search diligently for the
child, and when you have found him, bring me word, that I too
may come and worship him."

Matthew 2: 6-8 ESV

You May Be Troubled At Christmas



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