

What Made the Wise Men Wise?

1.	They were the seekers of the
	• Spectators
	• Seekers
2.	They were to go great lengths to find it. Numbers 24:17
3.	They didn't stop until they met Jesus.
	• Is Jesus your rival or is he your?
4.	They gave Jesus the they had. • <i>Gold</i> is the gift for
	• <u>Frankincense</u> is the incense that was used in the temple for the worship of God.
	• <u>Myrrh</u> is the used in antiquity to embalm dead bodies. It's the burial spice.
	What Should I Give to Jesus?
1.	Give Him your
2.	Give Him first place. Matthew 6:33
3.	Give Him your Matthew 6:21

Food for Thought for the Week of December 19, 2021

Questions and Scriptures for further study

- 1. What is the longest your have ever traveled? Where did you go? Did you encounter any delays? Did anyone with you make the trip difficult?
- 2. Pastor Lucas mentioned there are two kinds of people in life when it comes to truth. There are spectators, and there are seekers. If we are truthful, we all have been in one of those camps. Where are you right now? What is keeping your from being a seeker instead of sitting on the sidelines?

Review verses: Matthew 5:16; Hebrews 6:10; Philippians 2:4; Luke 10:27

3. We have a great and mighty God! Even better than that is the fact that this great and mighty God lives in us. How do the following verses expand our understanding of what it means to have God living in us?

Review verses: 1 Corinthians 3:16; 2 Corinthians 6:16; Romans 8:9-11; 1 John 2:27

4. God's dwelling in us has the power to shape us to become less like "us" and more like Him. This is often relfected in how we treat others. What examples do you see in the following verses of how He wants us to treat others, based on His own example that He first modeled to us?

Review verses: Ephesians 4:2; John 15:12; Philippians 2:5-11