

Introduction

- I. A focus of the Christmas story is worship!
- II. These wisemen were saved to worship. And so are we. II Corinthians 5:15.

**Worshipping the King of the Jews**

**I. The Unlikely Worshippers**

A. The wisemen were unlikely, but willing, worshipers of King Jesus because of God's sovereign grace working in their hearts.

1. The wisemen are unlikely worshippers because they are Gentile magi from the east.

2. These wisemen come to worship the King of Jews because of God's gracious work.

B. The faith of the wisemen is contrasted to the unbelief found in Jerusalem.

**II. The Humble Worship**

A. The wisemen were saved to worship their King instead of themselves.

1. What characterizes their worship?

2. We have been saved to worship Jesus, our Savior, as we read in I Cor. 5:15.

B. Those who worship Jesus bring their gifts.

**III. The Great King**

A. We know this because we see Him not as a young child in Bethlehem, but as the Lord of all ascended into heavenly glory. He is the Savior we need and love.

B. Because we know so much more of what it means that Christ is our King, we should want to worship Him in our lives all the more.