

**SERMON CHALLENGE**  
**What Will You Do With Jesus?**  
**Matthew 2:1–12**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**MULTIPLE CHOICE**

*Circle the best answer.*

**1. According to the sermon, why is it impossible to remain neutral about Jesus?**

- A. Because everyone who hears of Him will respond in some way, whether they intend to or not
- B. Because the Bible commands every person to make a public decision immediately
- C. Because Herod forced all of Jerusalem to take a side
- D. Because the wise men required everyone to travel to Bethlehem

**2. What was the problem with the chief priests and scribes, according to the sermon?**

- A. They misquoted the prophet Micah
- B. They knew the Scriptures accurately but never personally went to seek Christ
- C. They refused to speak with Herod
- D. They did not believe a Messiah had been prophesied

**3. What did the sermon say was revealed by Herod using the word worship while secretly planning harm?**

- A. That religious language can cover a heart that is actually set against Christ
- B. That Herod truly wanted to worship Jesus but changed his mind later
- C. That the wise men misunderstood Herod's intentions
- D. That worship always requires public declaration to be genuine

**4. What did the wise men's changed route home illustrate, according to the sermon?**

- A. That a real encounter with Christ changes the direction of a life
- B. That the star had led them the wrong way the first time
- C. That Herod discovered their location and forced them to leave
- D. That traveling a different route was a Jewish custom

**5. How does the sermon describe the way eternal life is received?**

- A. Through costly gifts brought to Christ in worship
- B. By faith alone in Christ, not earned through works or performance
- C. By first correcting sinful behavior and then trusting Christ
- D. By publicly declaring belief before a congregation

**TRUE OR FALSE**

*Write T for true or F for false.*

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. The sermon taught that hearing about Jesus always produces some kind of response, even if that response is quiet avoidance.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. The sermon taught that the scribes were condemned for having inaccurate knowledge of the Scriptures.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. The sermon used the illustration of a man owning an accurate map to a hospital but never visiting his sick friend to describe the danger of knowing truth without acting on it.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. According to the sermon, the wise men's joy came from finally finishing a long and difficult trip, not from finding the child himself.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. The sermon taught that bringing costly worship to Christ is how a person originally earns eternal life.



**SERMON CHALLENGE — CONTINUED**  
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**SHORT ANSWER**

*Answer each question in your own words.*

**1. What is the central truth this sermon wants you to remember about how people respond to Jesus?**

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**2. Explain the contrast the sermon drew between the scribes and the wise men.**

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**3. What warning did the sermon give about using religious words like Herod did?**

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**4. What is one specific way the sermon challenged you to bring costly worship to Christ this week?**

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**MEMORY VERSE**

**Matthew 2:11**

And when they were come into the house, they saw the young child with Mary his mother, and fell down, and worshipped him: and when they had opened their treasures, they presented unto him gifts; gold, and frankincense, and myrrh.