



OUR COMING KING

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WARM-UP QUESTIONS: What is the farthest you have ever traveled to experience something you were excited about? What was it?

READ: Matthew 2:1-12, 28:18-20, John 3:16-17

FOCUS: God loves us so much He gave us a promise before we ever existed, and our response is worship.

OBSERVE:

God's incredible love is available to all:

- God displays His love to us as He guides us through this life. God is both our author and perfecter, making Him the most qualified to guide us through this journey. The main place God guides us to is Himself.
- God displays His love to us as a protector. Whether life seems good or we are in what seems like an impossible circumstance, God is with us, and He protects us. His love can protect all of who we are: our mind, emotions, physical body, lives, etc. However, ultimately God's love has come to protect and secure our eternal relationship with Him.
- God displays His love to us by revealing Himself to us. It is because of His love that He desires us to know Him as He is. The ultimate revelation of God came through the loving gift of Jesus Christ.

Our response to God should be worship:

- We worship God by being humble, not that we think less of ourselves but that we think rightly about ourselves. Humility is displayed through a life of devout dependency upon God. We must strive to view God as He is and who we are in light of what He says about us in the Bible.
- We worship God through the act of worship itself. We do our spiritual disciplines (prayer, reading the Bible, corporate worship, etc.), not out of obligation, but in response to His love towards us. We worship God because we love Him and desire to know and experience Him more.
- We worship God by giving to Him. God gave us His best, and we need to give God the best of our time, talents and treasures.

REFLECT:

- Do you truly believe that God loves you? How have you concretely experienced that love?
- How can you grow in your humility towards God?
- What areas of your life do you need help giving to God?

TAKE ACTION:

- Take time to intentionally reflect on God's love for you and how He has tangibly displayed it to you. Then express your love back to Him.
- Think of one way you can better give God the best of your time and put it in your schedule.

PRAY: *Father God, thank You for the amazing gift of Your love. Thank You for Your ultimate display of love through sending Jesus Christ. Help me to know You better and experience Your love. Give me grace to respond to your love with loving worship. Amen*