

Scene 5: The Visitors

Hymn: Angels We Have Heard on High

Narrator #1:

Sometime later more people came to visit. But they didn't come straight to the stable. These three important people—sometimes called Kings, sometimes Wise Men—were Magi.

Narrator #2:

'Magi' is the same word we use when we say 'magic'. And these were very clever people, who knew all the secrets of the stars. They knew from examining the heavens that an important event was taking place. A bright star rose in the sky.

Star #1 Addison R.:

May all who are looking find peace everlasting.

Star #2 Skyler M.:

The star brightly gleaming shows God is now living.

Star #3 Manny H.:

The baby who's born and now breathes among us,...

Star #4 Arden B.:

...is God's greatest gift to the world all around us!

Magi #1 Sage Q.: *(looking up and pointing)*

Look at that star, it can mean only one thing!

Star #5 Cosette H.:

The baby is born!

Star #6 Jordan H.:

He is the King!

Magi #2 Jocelyn H.: *(holding a brightly wrapped gift)*

We'll take him some presents—a sight to behold!

Magi #3 Emma B.: *(holding a brightly wrapped gift)*

We'll take him some frankincense, myrrh, and some gold.

Narrator #1:

And they followed it to worship the person whose birth it foretold. They knew that the star heralded the King of the Jews. And where would a king be born? Yes, they went straight to the palace! But they didn't find him there.

Narrator #2: Then they saw the bright star ahead of them again and followed it until it stopped. The Magi saw the child and they worshipped him. Each of them brought their special gift to give to the baby Jesus.

Narrator #1: And that's why we give gifts at Christmas. Because we have been given a miraculous gift. And every year, people re-tell the story of the birth of Jesus.

Narrator #2:

This story reveals something very special about God—that he loved us so much he came to live among us.

Pastor Robin

Sending song: "Go Tell it On the Mountain"