

A long time ago, there was a king named Herod. He liked being in charge. He didn't want any other king around him or his land.

Well, Baby Jesus was born to Mary. And word spread that a new king had been born. Herod didn't like this. He didn't want another king. He wanted to be the ONLY king.

King Herod sent three men – the Magi – to find out who this new king was. The Magi were astronomers. They loved the stars. They loved to study the stars. The Magi left to go find this new born king and saw that a NEW STAR was in the sky. It was big. So, the Magi decided to follow that star.

The star led the three Magi to Mary and Joseph. The Magi met Jesus and something special happened to their hearts. After meeting Him, they didn't want to tell King Herod about Jesus. They knew that King Herod wouldn't be kind. He would be mean and try to hurt Jesus.

So, the Magi left after giving Jesus their gifts. The Magi became Wise and were known as the Wise Men from that time forward. The Wise Men left Mary, Joseph, and Jesus and took a different way so that they wouldn't find King Herod.