Day 27 - God's Great Wisdom (Part 2)

Saturday, December 21, 2019

"Now when Jesus was born...behold, there came wise men from the east to Jerusalem..."
(Matthew 2:1)

In yesterday's devotional, we saw how God, in His great wisdom concealed Jesus' birth by virtue of His location in a stables type area. Later on, an angel would instruct Joseph in a dream to flee to Egypt in order to escape a zealous enemy of Jesus, King Herod. King Herod was a destiny killer who wanted to put out Jesus' star before it could shine. Even as God implemented His plan to conceal Jesus' whereabouts from His enemies, He was also instructing and directing the right people to the Christ child. Matthew 2:1 says, "Now when Jesus was born...behold, there came wise men from the east to Jerusalem." Verse 9 states, "and, lo, the star, which they saw in the east, went before them, till it came and stood over where the young child was." The wise men rejoiced and worshipped Jesus and presented Him with gifts of gold frankincense and myrrh. The enemy wanted to steal everything from Jesus, but in the midst of that, God sent the right people to Jesus to bless Him. So, the enemy had a plan to harm Jesus, but God had a plan to prosper Him. Ultimately God's plan wins. I am so glad to serve a God that is all wise and all powerful! Be encouraged today knowing that your God is not only able to deliver you from your enemies but He can send specific people to you to bless you. Praise Him today for His marvelous works.

Prayer: "God I praise you today because you are my protector and my great reward. Thank you for your son Jesus and for your infinite wisdom. Thank you for shielding me from my enemies and directing only the right people my way. In Jesus' name I pray. Amen."

Pray for God's continued guidance, protection, provision and success for Cliffard Whitby (Macon-Bibb 2020 mayoral candidate) and the Whitby2020 campaign team and supporters.
Pray that God would grow and increase this movement and energize individuals to co-labor with us for positive change.