## Two Reactions to the Birth of Christ

**Matthew 2:1-23** 

INTRODUCTION:	
*What is your attitude toward Jesus Christ?  Are you for Him or against Him?	

Note the two different reactions to the birth of the King of Kings.

I. The King is <u>WORSHIPPED</u> by wise men (v. 1 - 11) (Reaction #1 - The <u>Worship</u> of the Wise Men) He who is wise <u>worships</u> Jesus!

II. The King is OPPOSED by Wicked Herod (v. 12 - 23)
(Reaction #2 - The Wrath of King Herod)
He who is wicked is at war with Jesus!

CONCLUSION: