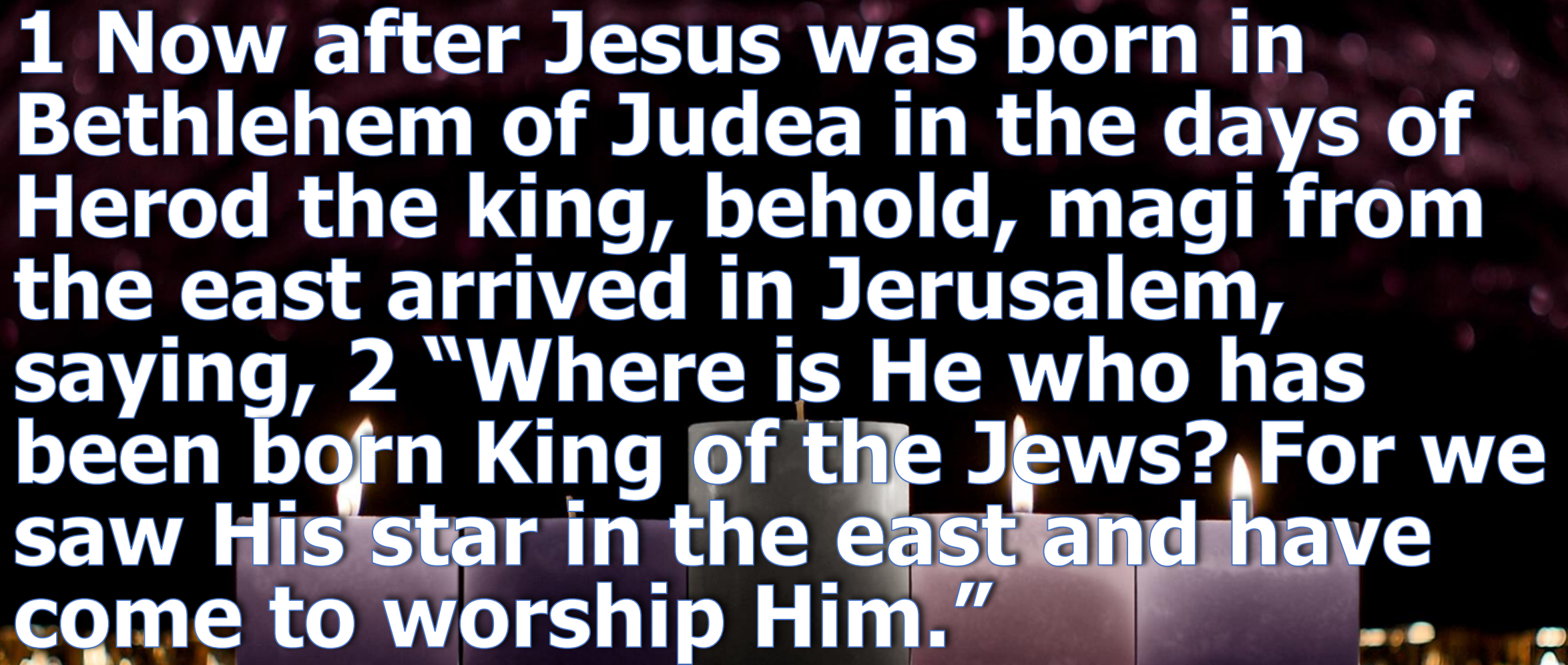
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16 All Scripture is inspired by God and beneficial for teaching, for rebuke, for correction, for training in righteousness; 17 so that the man or woman of God may be fully capable, equipped for every good work.

2 Timothy 3:16-17(NASB)

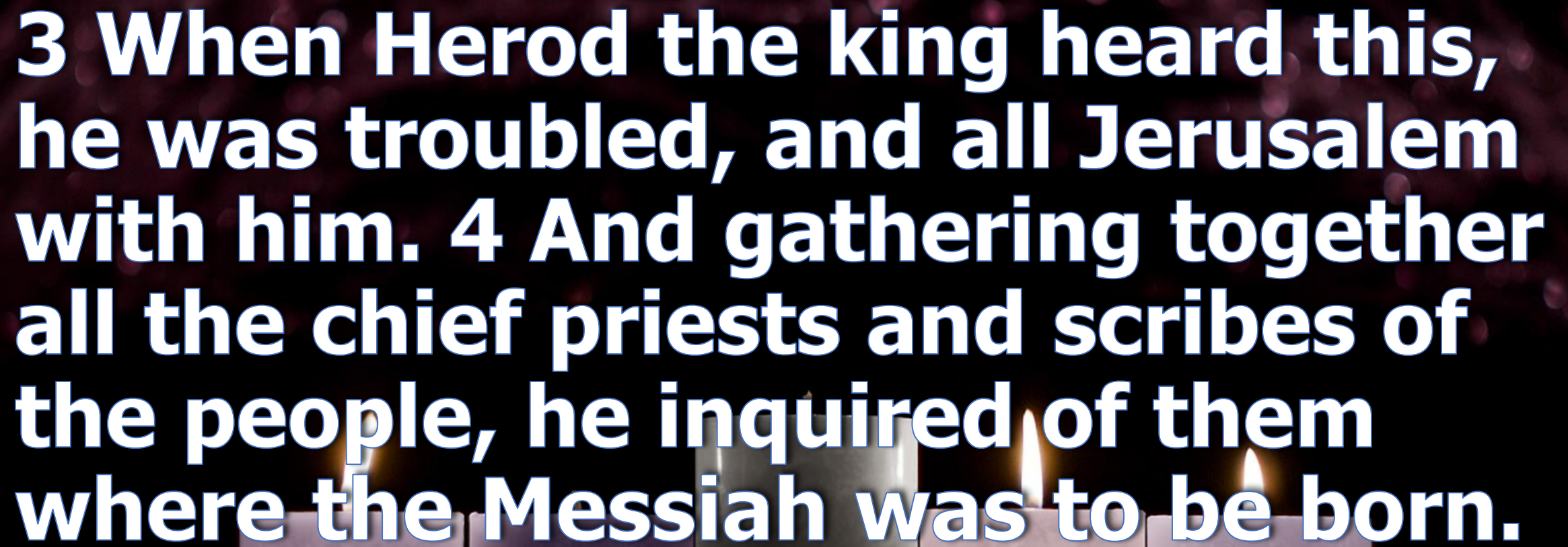
Wise Men Still Seek King Jesus



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1 Now after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea in the days of Herod the king, behold, magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, 2 “Where is He who has been born King of the Jews? For we saw His star in the east and have come to worship Him.”

Matthew 2:1-12 (NASB)

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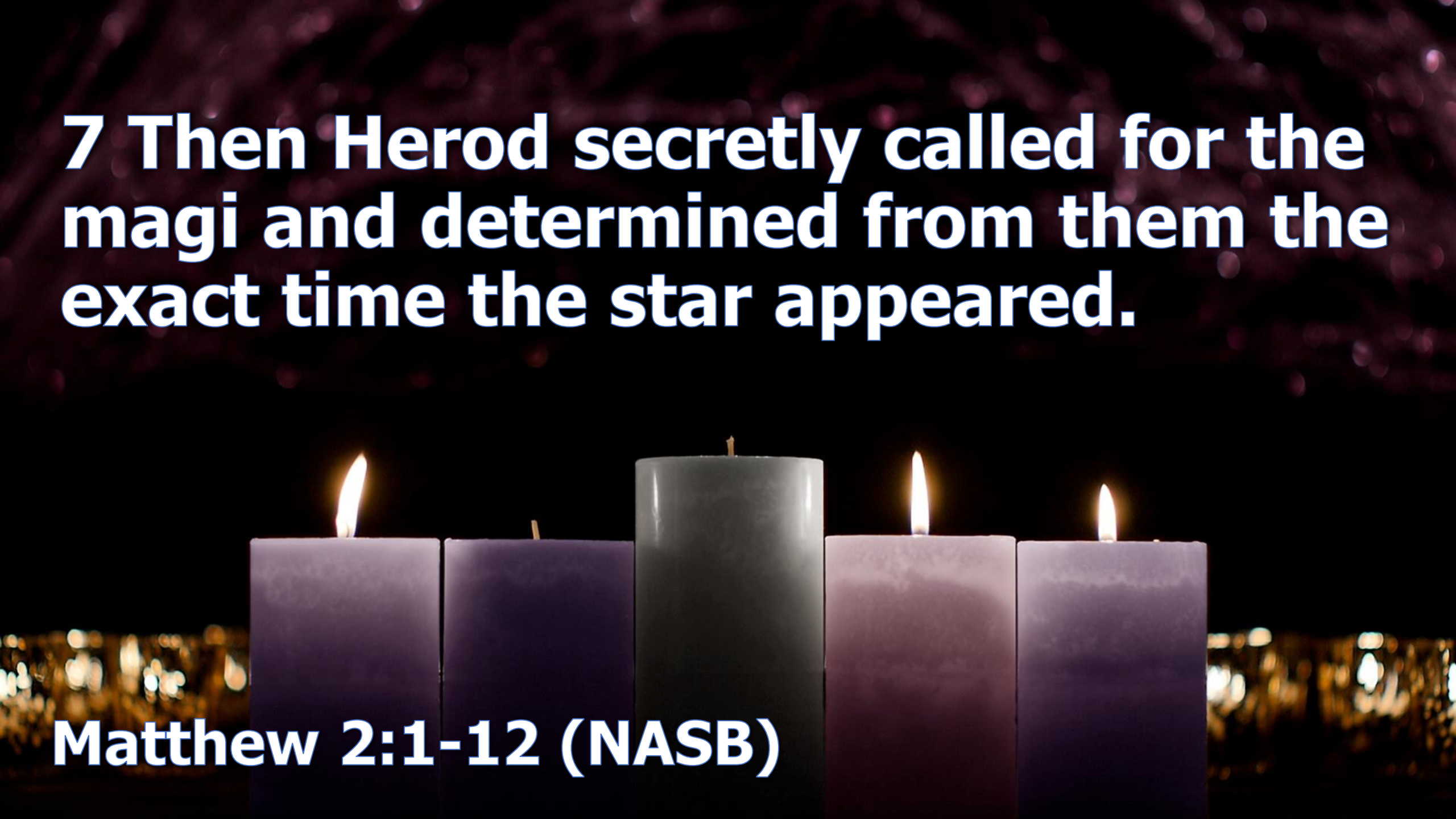
**3 When Herod the king heard this,
he was troubled, and all Jerusalem
with him. 4 And gathering together
all the chief priests and scribes of
the people, he inquired of them
where the Messiah was to be born.**

Matthew 2:1-12 (NASB)

5 They said to him, "In Bethlehem of Judea; for this is what has been written by the prophet: 6 'AND YOU, BETHLEHEM, LAND OF JUDAH, ARE BY NO MEANS LEAST AMONG THE LEADERS OF JUDAH; FOR FROM YOU WILL COME FORTH A RULER WHO WILL SHEPHERD MY PEOPLE ISRAEL.'"

Matthew 2:1-12 (NASB)

7 Then Herod secretly called for the magi and determined from them the exact time the star appeared.

The image features four lit candles in the foreground. From left to right, the first, second, and fourth candles are purple, while the third candle in the center is grey. All four candles have small, bright yellow flames. The background is dark, with out-of-focus bokeh lights in shades of purple and gold, suggesting a festive or religious setting like Christmas. The text is overlaid on the image in a bold, white, sans-serif font.

Matthew 2:1-12 (NASB)

8 And he sent them to Bethlehem and said, "Go and search carefully for the Child; and when you have found Him, report to me, so that I too may come and worship Him."

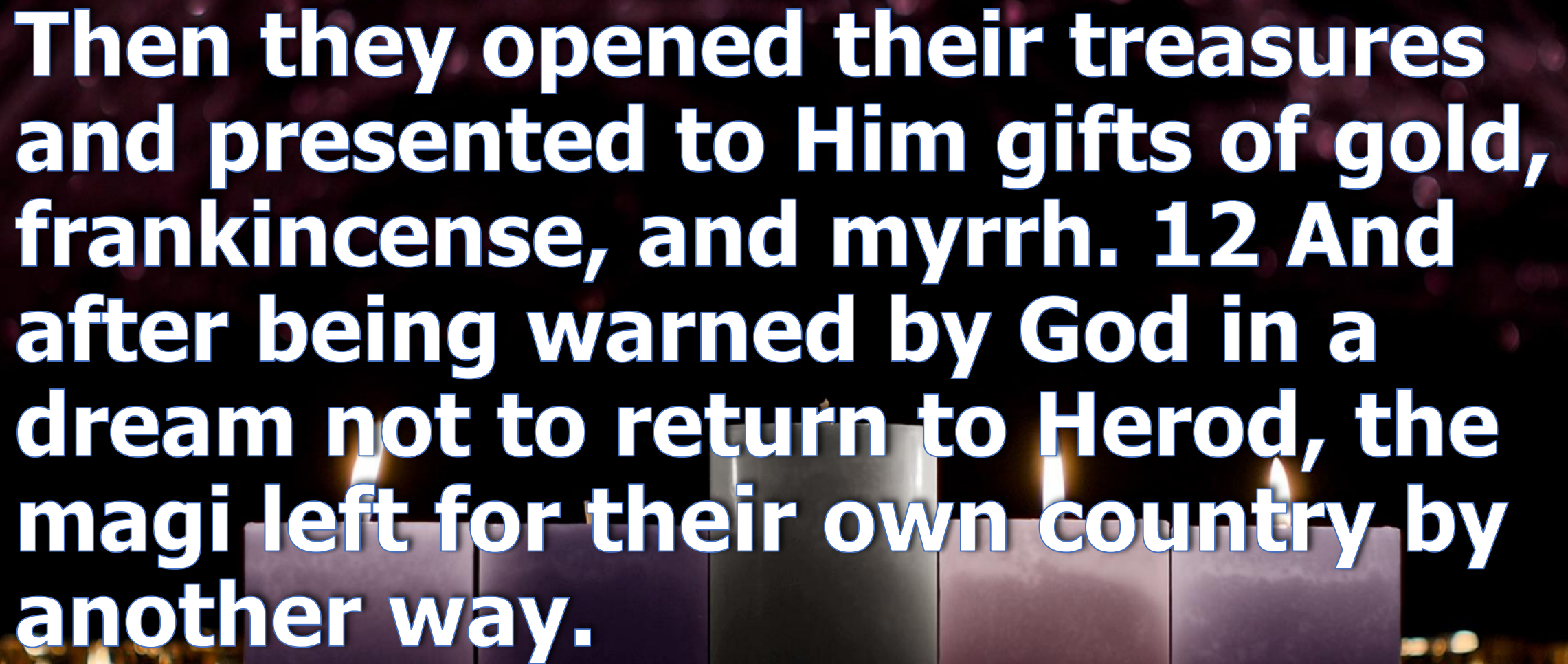
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9 After hearing the king, they went on their way; and behold, the star, which they had seen in the east, went on ahead of them until it came to a stop over the place where the Child was to be found.

Matthew 2:1-12 (NASB)

**10 When they saw the star, they rejoiced exceedingly with great joy.
11 And after they came into the house, they saw the Child with His mother Mary; and they fell down and worshiped Him.**

Matthew 2:1-12 (NASB)

The background of the image features several lit candles in the foreground, their flames glowing warmly. The background is dark, filled with out-of-focus bokeh lights in shades of purple, pink, and gold, creating a festive and atmospheric setting.

**Then they opened their treasures
and presented to Him gifts of gold,
frankincense, and myrrh. 12 And
after being warned by God in a
dream not to return to Herod, the
magi left for their own country by
another way.**

Matthew 2:1-12 (NASB)