



## Matthew 2:1—12

### THREE REACTIONS TO JESUS



Herod: Disturbed  
Religious Leaders:  
Disinterested  
Magi: Determined





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came to Jerusalem  
and asked, 'Where is  
the one who has been  
born king of the Jews?  
We have come to  
worship him.' When  
King Herod heard this  
he was disturbed..."



**HEROD**

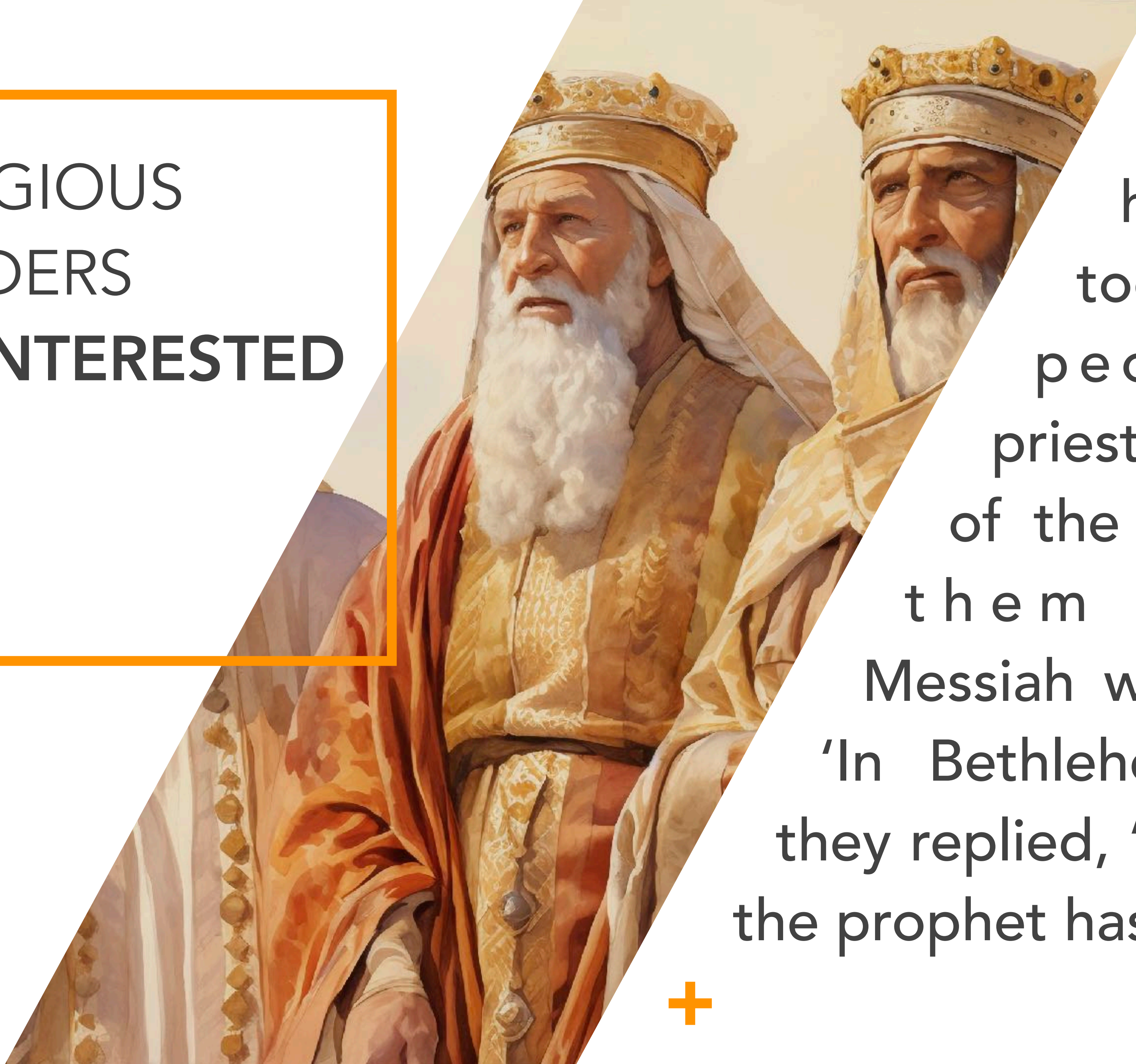
**DISTURBED**

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RELIGIOUS  
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**DISINTERESTED**

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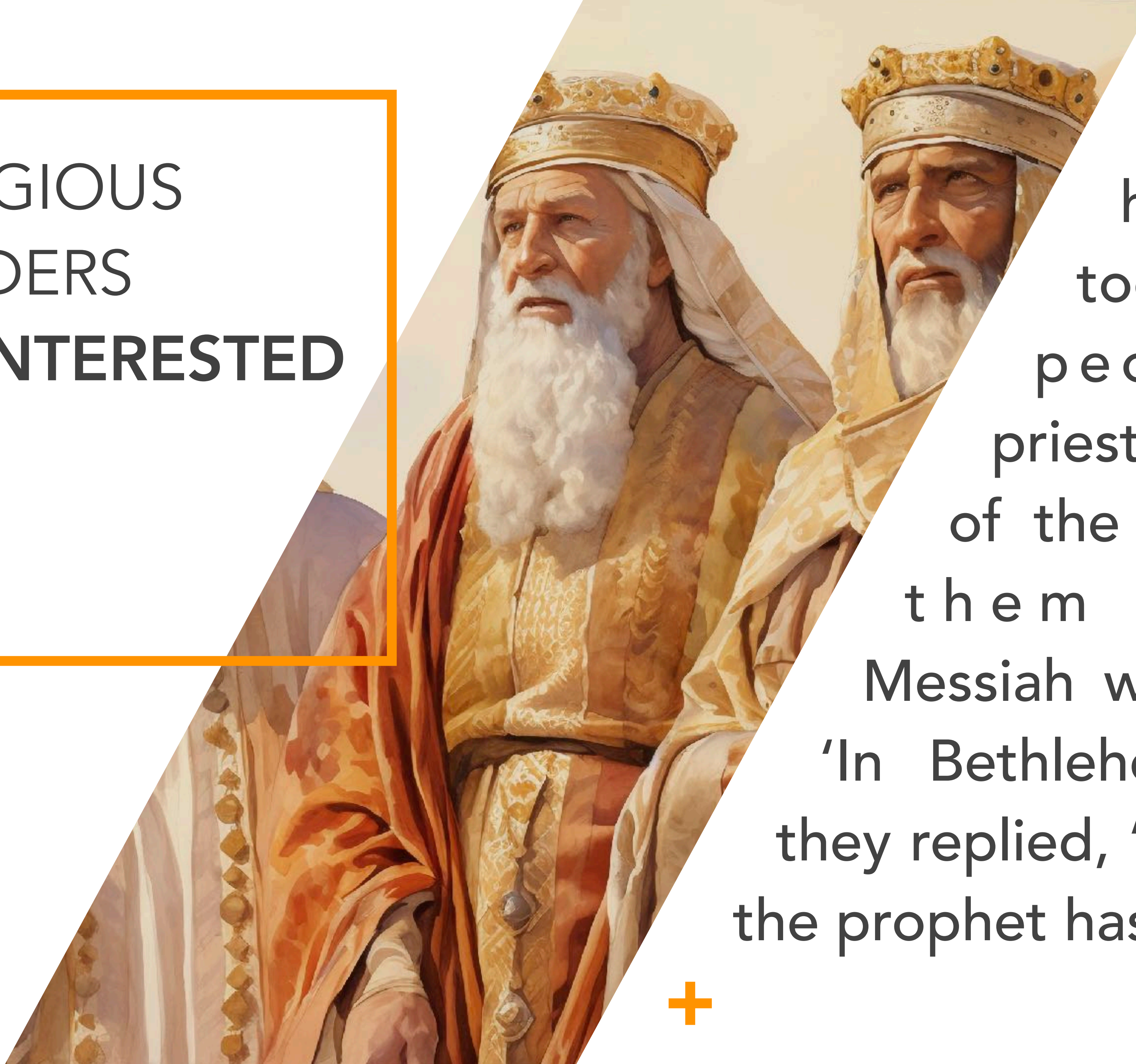






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"After Jesus was born, Magi from the east came to Jerusalem and asked, 'Where is the one who has been born king of the Jews? We have come to worship him.'"



**THE MAGI**

**DETERMINED**