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Dear Friend of the Family and the Innocent,

January is when we celebrate the visitation of the Magi to our Lord Jesus Christ after his birth on Christmas day. I took the liberty of quoting the scriptures for the "Scripture of the day" to remind us that it was a day of wonderment for the Magi, who represent the Gentile nations all over the world in their visit to Jesus. This meant that Jesus' ministry was for all nations and not just for the Jewish people. It also reminds us that their visit was a precarious situation because Herod who was king at that time, who told them he was interested in visiting the baby as well. We know from reading on that he had evil designs on the baby. Herod was an evil man_ he killed his favorite wife and killed his own son who was the heir to the throne, so he was going to kill the baby Jesus. Indeed, he killed all the male children two years old and under in the hopes that he would have killed the baby Jesus, who was the legitimate King of the Jews.

The Magi's gifts of gold represented Jesus' kingship, frankincense of Jesus' priesthood and myrrh of Jesus' passion and death. Although we don't have such elaborate gifts to give to the women and their families who come to our door, we certainly have royal intentions for them. We don't just offer free testing, maternity clothes and baby items but we offer them counseling, support and genuine friendship, which are royal gifts.

And for those of you who are donors to the center, rest assured that your donation are royal gifts as well. For without such donation of time, talent and treasure, the ministry to women and their families would not be able to continue.

May God bless you all and may you receive the gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh!!!

Annie Karns

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Scripture of the Day: Matthew 2:1-12 Abbreviated Visit of the Wise Men

Now when Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea in the days of Herod the king, behold, wise men from the East came to Jerusalem, saying, "Where is he who has been born king of the Jews? For we have seen his star in the East, and have come to worship him." When Herod the king heard this, he was troubled, and all Jerusalem with him.

Then Herod summoned the wise men secretly and ascertained from them what time the star appeared; and he sent them to Bethlehem, saying, "Go and search diligently for the child and when you have found him bring me word, that I too may come and worship him."

When they had heard the king they went their way; and behold, the star which they had seen in the East went before them, till it came to rest over the place where the child was. When they saw the star, they rejoiced exceedingly with great joy; and going into the house they saw the child with Mary his mother, and they fell down and worshipped him. Then, opening their treasures, they offered him gifts, gold and frankincense and myrrh. And being warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they departed to their own country by another way.

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