

St. Paul's Notes

Keep Your Eye On The Goal

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Matthew 2:1-12

Three things to do to achieve our Goals:

1. Decide _____ you want.
2. Decide _____ to get it.
3. _____ to arrive at the goal.

Goal Setting Illustration

Out of 100 people

___ do not know what they want (___ left)

Out of the ___ that are left

___ do know, but don't know how to get it. (___ left)

___ know what they want and how to get it

___ out of the ___ are unwilling to pay the price

Only ___ out of 100 will ever achieve their goal

OBSERVATIONS:

1. The Wise Men _____ what they wanted.

GOD COMMUNICATES IN OUR OWN LANGUAGE

Shepherds - _____

Wise Men - _____

Incarnation – I John 1:1

God becoming flesh

He has _____ it.

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“From the beginning”

2. They were willing to _____ the price
3. They would not _____.
4. They experienced the _____ of reaching the goal.
5. They made the _____ of it.

They worshipped Him

They gave themselves and then they gave their treasures.

What are your goals?