



“They saw a star.”

Wise Men Follow the Star to Jesus –
Matthew 2:1, 2, 9-11

Granny B and Pops walked hand-in-hand down the path. Pops was wearing the scarf Granny B made for him for Christmas. They were walking and enjoying the cool weather. As they turned past the garden, they spotted Delbert and Lello.

“Delbert! Lello!” Pops called cheerfully.

Delbert and Lello turned around and jumped up and down when they saw Pops and Granny B. Before Granny B could even yell a greeting, Delbert and Lello had run to meet them.

“Hello, little ones. How was your Christmas?” Granny B asked.

“Haw! Mine was great! I had so much fun celebrating Jesus’ birthday with my family,” Delbert answered.

“Mine was great, too,” Lello added.

“How did your mom like the angel you made her?” Granny B asked curiously.

“She loved it!” Lello replied proudly. “Right after she opened her present, she put it on top of the tree so everyone could see it!” Lello added.

“Haw! That was a great gift, Lello! It sure is fun to give gifts,” Delbert exclaimed.

“Yeah. Did anyone bring Jesus gifts?” Lello asked thoughtfully.

“Why, yes!” Granny B answered, “the wise men brought gifts to Jesus.” She pulled her Bible out of her apron and flipped through the pages until she came to the story she wanted.

“In the Bible, it says the wise men traveled from far away looking for Jesus. They followed a special star God placed in the sky,” Granny B explained.

"The star stopped over the place where Jesus was," Pops added.

"Haw! I bet the wise men were excited to find Him after looking for so long," said Delbert.

"That's right. The Bible says when they saw the star they were filled with joy," Granny B said.

"What gifts did they bring?" Lello asked.

Pops smiled and replied, "They brought gold, frankincense, and myrrh. Those were expensive, special gifts fit for a king."

"Haw! Jesus is our King forever!" Delbert shouted as he bounced up and down.

Granny B, Pops, and Lello laughed. Pops suggested they all sing a Christmas carol about the wise men. He taught Delbert and Lello the words, and before long, all four were joyfully singing together.