

**The Attentive Ones**  
Matthew 2:1-12

**Outline:**

- I. Arrival of the magi in Jerusalem ----- vs. 1-2**
  - 1. The timing of the arrival**
  
  - 2. The purpose for the arrival**
  
- II. While the magi were in Jerusalem ----- vs. 3-8**
  - 1. The sitting king is upset**
  
  - 2. The sitting king makes inquiries**
  
  - 3. The sitting king misuses the magi**
  
- III. Departure of the magi from Jerusalem ---- vs. 9-12**
  - 1. A star accompanies their departure**
  
  - 2. The magi finally make their discovery**