



Life Guide

applying God's Word to life

“Nations Will Come to Your Light” January 2-4, 2021

*1 “Arise, shine, for your light has come,
and the glory of the Lord rises upon you.*

*2 See, darkness covers the earth
and thick darkness is over the peoples,
but the Lord rises upon you*

and his glory appears over you.

*3 Nations will come to your light,
and kings to the brightness of your dawn.*

*4 “Lift up your eyes and look about you:
All assemble and come to you;*

*your sons come from afar,
and your daughters are carried on the hip.*

*5 Then you will look and be radiant,
your heart will throb and swell with joy;
the wealth on the seas will be brought to you,
to you the riches of the nations will come.*

*6 Herds of camels will cover your land,
young camels of Midian and Ephah.*

*And all from Sheba will come,
bearing gold and incense
and proclaiming the praise of the Lord.*

1. Between what two events do “The Twelve Days of Christmas” fall? (You can sing the song if you prefer.)

2. In Isaiah 60:1, who is talking and who is he talking to/about?

3. What event is Isaiah referring to in v. 1?

4. In what way does darkness cover the earth?

5. Agree/disagree: Jesus came as a Jew, for the Jews.

6. How has Isaiah 60:3 been fulfilled throughout history?

7. Why do you think the Magi came looking for the King of the Jews? Why is this remarkable/not remarkable?

8. “To you the riches of the nations will come” (v. 5) In what way is this true today?

9. Agree/disagree: These days, it would be better to celebrate Epiphany than celebrate Christmas.

10. Why do you think God included Isaiah 60:1-6 in the Bible?