

PARABLE OF THE TARES – Part 3

8/9/23

- Tonight – Opportunity to give a Bible study
 - Title tonight – Parable of the Tares – Part 3
 - Matthew 13:24-30 – the presentation of the parable
 - Matthew 13:37-43 – an explanation of the parable
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1. Sower = The Son of God
2. His Field = the World
3. Good Seed = Children of the Kingdom
4. Tares = Children of the Wicked One
5. Enemy = devil

6. The Harvest = End of This World
(Focus on the when)

Matt. 13:30	let both grow until the harvest
Matt. 13:39	the harvest is the end of the age
Matt. 24:14	then the end will come
Rev. 20:4	thrones and judgment – before the 1,000 years
5	after the 1,000 years
2 Pet. 3:10	the heavens will pass away with a great noise – the earth will be burned up

7. The Reapers = Angels
(Focus on the how)

Matt. 13:30	the reapers will gather
Matt. 13:39	the reapers are the angels
Matt. 24:30	they will see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of heaven with power and great glory
31	He will send His angels with a great sound of a trumpet, and they will gather his elect from the four winds (from one end of heaven to the other)

8. The Fire = Furnace of Fire

Matt. 13:30	bundles to burn them
Matt. 13:40	burned in the fire
42	cast them into a furnace of fire
Matt. 3:10	every tree that does not bear fruit = cut down and thrown into the fire

12	burn up the chaff – gather the wheat into the barn
Matt. 5:22	danger of hell fire
Matt. 7:19	cut down and thrown into the fire
Matt. 18:8	physically maimed & alive – physically whole & cast into everlasting fire
9	1 eye & alive – 2 eyes & cast into everlasting fire
Matt. 25:41	everlasting fire – prepared for the devil and his angels
46	everlasting punishment
Rev. 14:10	tormented with fire and brimstone
Rev. 19:20	these 2 were cast alive into the lake of fire
Rev. 20:10	the devil (who deceived them) was cast into the lake of fire – where the beast and false prophet are – they will be tormented day and night, forever and ever
14	death and Hades – were cast into the lake of fire – the second death
15	anyone not found written in the Book of Life – was cast into lake of fire

Weeping and gnashing of teeth – (6 times in Matthew – 1 time in Luke)

Matt. 8:12	outer darkness – weeping and gnashing of teeth
Matt. 13:42	furnace of fire – wailing and gnashing of teeth
Matt. 13:50	furnace of fire – wailing and gnashing of teeth
Matt. 22:13	outer darkness – weeping and gnashing of teeth
Matt. 24:51	weeping and gnashing of teeth
Matt. 25:30	outer darkness – weeping and gnashing of teeth

9. The Barn = the Kingdom
(Focus on the where)

Matt. 13:30	gather the wheat into my barn
Matt. 13:43	in the Kingdom of their Father
Matt. 3:12	will gather his wheat into the barn
1 Thes. 4:16	for the Lord Himself will descend from heaven – with a shout – with the voice of the archangel – and with the trumpet of God – and the dead in Christ will rise first
17	then we who are alive and remain will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air – always be with the Lord
Rev. 11:15	then the 7 th angel sounded – there were loud voices in heaven saying, “the kingdoms of this world have become the kingdoms of our Lord and of His Christ, and He shall reign forever and ever”
Rev. 21:1-4	new heaven and new earth