

///--→ What does the KINGDOM of HEAVEN / the REALITY of HEAVEN **LOOK** Like?

- **JESUS/ Gods Will**

John 14:6

⁶ Jesus said to him, “I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me.

⁷ “If you had known Me, you would have known My Father also; and from now on you know Him and have seen Him.”

Christ Answers Philip

⁸ Philip said to Him, “Lord, show us the Father, and it is sufficient for us.”

⁹ Jesus said to him, “Have I been with you so long, and yet you have not known Me, Philip? **He who has seen Me has seen the Father**; so how can you say, ‘Show us the Father’? ¹⁰ Do you not believe that I am in the Father, and the Father in Me? The words that I speak to you I do not speak on My own *authority*; but the Father who dwells in Me does the works. ¹¹ Believe Me that I *am* in the Father and the Father in Me, or else believe Me for the sake of the works themselves.

¹² “Most assuredly, I say to you, he who believes in Me, the works that I do he will do also; and greater *works* than these he will do, because I go to My Father”

John 6:38

³⁸ For I have come down from heaven, not to do My own will, but the will of Him who sent Me”

- **RELATIONSHIP not RELIGION**

Matt 5:20

²⁰ For I say to you, that unless your righteousness exceeds *the righteousness* of the scribes and Pharisees, you will by no means enter the kingdom of heaven”

Mark 7:9

⁹ He said to them, “*All too* well you reject the commandment of God, that you may keep your tradition. ¹³ You make the word of God of no effect through your tradition which you have handed down. And many such things you do.”

Matt 15:3

Thus you have made the commandment of God of no effect by your tradition. ⁷ Hypocrites! Well did Isaiah prophesy about you, saying:

⁸ *‘These people draw near to Me with their mouth,
And honor Me with their lips,
But their heart is far from Me.*

⁹ *And in vain they worship Me,
Teaching as doctrines the commandments of men.’ ”*

- **HEALING**

Matt 4:23

²³ And Jesus went about all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing all kinds of sickness and all kinds of disease among the people. ²⁴ Then His fame went throughout all Syria; and they brought to Him all sick people who were afflicted with various diseases and torments, and those who were demon-possessed, epileptics, and paralytics; and He healed them.

Matt 9:35

³⁵ Then Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing **every** sickness and **every** disease among the people.

Matt 10:7

⁷ And as you go, preach, saying, ‘**The kingdom of heaven is at hand -**’ ⁸ **Heal the sick**, cleanse the lepers, raise the dead, cast out demons. Freely you have received, freely give.

Luke 9:1

Then He called His twelve disciples together and gave them **power** and **authority** over all demons, and to **cure diseases**. ² He sent them to preach the **kingdom of God and to heal the sick**. ³ And He said to them, “Take nothing for the journey, neither staffs nor bag nor bread nor money; and do not have two tunics apiece.

⁴ “Whatever house you enter, stay there, and from there depart. ⁵ And whoever will not receive you, when you go out of that city, shake off the very dust from your feet as a testimony against them.”

⁶ So they departed and went through the towns, preaching the gospel and **healing everywhere**.

¹¹ But when the multitudes knew *it*, they followed Him; and He received them and spoke to them about the kingdom of God, and **healed** those who had need of **healing**.

Luke 10:9

⁹ **And heal the sick there, and say to them, ‘The kingdom of God has come near to you.**

- **NOT RELYING on your OWN UNDERSTANDING**

Prov 3:5

⁵ Trust in the LORD with all your heart,
And lean not on your own understanding;

⁶ In all your ways acknowledge Him,
And He shall direct your paths.

⁷ Do not be wise in your own eyes;
Fear the LORD and depart from evil.

⁸ It will be health to your flesh,
And strength to your bones.

⁹ Honor the LORD with your possessions,
And with the firstfruits of all your increase;

¹⁰ So your barns will be filled with plenty,
And your vats will overflow with new wine.

- **SUPERNATURAL/ MIRACULOUS**

1 Cor 4:20

²⁰ For the **kingdom of God** is not in **word** but in **power**.

- **STEPPING OUT/ FAITH**

Matt 14:29

²⁹ So He said, "Come." And when Peter had come down out of the boat, he walked on the water to go to Jesus.

- **KINGDOM/ HEAVEN Coming to EARTH**

Matt 3:1

- **3** In those days John the Baptist came preaching in the wilderness of Judea, ² and saying, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand!"

Matt 13:31 ³¹ Another parable He put forth to them, saying: "The kingdom of heaven is like a mustard seed, which a man took and sowed in his field, ³² which indeed is the least of all the seeds; but when it is grown it is greater than the herbs and becomes a tree, so that the birds of the air come and nest in its branches."

³³ Another parable He spoke to them: "The kingdom of heaven is like leaven, which a woman took and hid in three measures of meal till it was all leavened."

Luke 12:31

³¹ But seek the kingdom of God, and all these things shall be added to you."

- **HOPE / PEACE / JOY**

Rom 14:14

The Law of Love

¹⁴ I know and am convinced by the Lord Jesus that *there is* nothing unclean of itself; but to him who considers anything to be unclean, to him *it is* unclean. ¹⁵ Yet if your brother is grieved because of *your* food, you are no longer walking in love. Do not destroy with your food the one for whom Christ died. ¹⁶ Therefore do not let your good be spoken of as evil; **¹⁷ for the kingdom of God is not eating and drinking, but righteousness and peace and joy in the Holy Spirit.**

Acts 13:52

⁵² And the disciples were filled with joy and with the Holy Spirit.

Ps 16:11

¹¹ You will show me the path of life;
In Your presence *is* fullness of joy;

John 15:9

¹¹ “These things I have spoken to you, that My joy may remain in you, and *that* your joy may be full.

Matt 13:44

⁴⁴ “Again, the kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which a man found and hid; and for joy over it he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field.

- **CHILDLIKE**

Matt 18:1

At that time the disciples came to Jesus, saying, “Who then is greatest in the kingdom of heaven?”

² Then Jesus called a little child to Him, set him in the midst of them, ³ and said, “Assuredly, I say to you, unless you are converted and become as little children, you will by no means enter the kingdom of heaven. ⁴ Therefore whoever humbles himself as this little child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven. ⁵ Whoever receives one little child like this in My name receives Me.”

Matt 19:14

¹⁴ But Jesus said, “Let the little children come to Me, and do not forbid them; for of such is the kingdom of heaven.”