

THE TRUTHS OF THE KINGDOM

PART 7: THE PARABLE OF THE TREASURE SHARERS (Matthew 13:51-52)

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THE CONCLUSION OF THE PARABLES:

⁵¹ "Have you understood all these things?' Jesus asked." Matthew 13:51a (NIV)

⁵¹ "...Yes,' they replied." Matthew 13:51b (NIV)

⁵² "He said to them, 'Therefore every teacher of the law who has become a disciple in the kingdom of heaven is like the owner of a house who brings out of his storeroom new treasures as well as old.'"

Matthew 13:52 (NIV)

WHAT ARE THE KEY ELEMENTS OF THIS PARABLE?

⁵² "He said to them, 'Therefore every teacher of the law..." Matthew 13:52 (NIV)

- TEACHER OF THE LAW = _____

¹⁰ "...Ezra had set his heart to study the Law of the LORD, to practice it, and to teach its statutes and ordinances in Israel."

Ezra 7:10 (BSB)

⁵² "He said to them, 'Therefore every teacher of the law who has become a disciple in the kingdom of heaven..."

Matthew 13:52 (NIV)

- SCRIBE + DISCIPLE OF THE KINGDOM ("DISCIPLES") = ONE THAT _____, _____, AND _____ OLD TESTAMENT TRUTH, WHILE ALSO RECEIVING CHRIST AS _____ AND THE _____ MESSAGE.

- JESUS IS CALLING THE _____ THE

"_____ " OF THE KINGDOM.

⁵² "... is like the owner of a house..." Matthew 13:52 (NIV)

⁵² "...who brings out of his storeroom new treasures as well as old."

Matthew 13:52 (NIV)

- "BRING OUT" = TO _____ FOR THE _____ OF OTHERS.
- THE NEW TREASURES = CHRIST'S NEW _____ AND NEW FORMS OF _____.

¹⁶ “No one sews a patch of unshrunk cloth on an old garment, for the patch will pull away from the garment, making the tear worse. ¹⁷ Neither do people pour new wine into old wineskins. If they do, the skins will burst; the wine will run out and the wineskins will be ruined. No, they pour new wine into new wineskins, and both are preserved.” Matthew 9:16-17 (NIV)

- THE OLD TREASURES = THE _____
_____ THAT FORM THE FOUNDATION OF _____
_____ AND _____.

²⁵ He said to them, “How foolish you are, and how slow to believe all that the prophets have spoken! ²⁶ Did not the Messiah have to suffer these things and then enter his glory?” ²⁷ And beginning with Moses and all the Prophets, he explained to them what was said in all the Scriptures concerning himself. Luke 24:25-27 (NIV)

WHAT IS THIS PARABLE ABOUT?

- HOW KINGDOM CITIZENS _____ THE _____ OF THE KINGDOM.

BOTTOM LINE:

THE BEST KINGDOM BUILDERS ARE _____ - _____ CHRISTIANS WHO
_____, _____, AND _____ SHARE
THE TRUTH WITH OTHERS.

¹⁷ “Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets. I have not come to abolish them, but to fulfill them.” Matthew 5:17 (BSB)

⁹ “Whoever has ears, let them hear.” Matthew 13:9 (NIV)

NEXT STEPS

- **DIGGING DEEPER LIVE: Learning from the Master’s of Family Worship**
 - Friday, August first, from 6pm to whenever we finish, at the GNG Ministry Center.
 - This event will review Biblical and historical resources to describe the positive outcomes of a disciplined pattern of family worship.
- **FAMILY WORSHIP RESOURCES**
 - Stop at the Resource Counter for FREE family worship/discipleship resources.
- **CONNECT CARD**
 - 1st and 2nd time guests fill out and return to the GET Connected Hub for a free gift!