

Parable of the Sower

Discussion Questions for Matthew 13

Sermon taught on July 4th, 2021

The questions below are designed to facilitate group discussion. Feel free to take the discussion in an organic direction as the Holy Spirit leads. These questions are simply a starting point to help you get the most out of your reflection and discussion.

Passage

Matthew 13

1. Read Colossians 1:13-14 and list four things Christ has done for us:

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____
- D. _____

Discuss how these things have affected your life. What benefits do you feel you lack and need help with?

2. Read Matthew 13:10 - 15. From these six verses answer the question: "Describe the people who cannot UNDERSTAND HIS MYSTERIES. It is the same people He said he only teach in parables (Hint: see verses):

3. Read Matthew 13:18 - 23 Discuss these topics from these verses:

A. What is being sown in each person's heart?

B. What are the four heart conditions? Using Jesus' own words, discuss HOW to identify each heart condition He taught:

C. How will you cultivate your heart to become "good ground"?
