THE WAY OF THE

Kingdom

THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO MATTHEW

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Notes

(Passage on reverse side)

Matthew 16:13-28

Also found in Mark 8:27-9:1, Luke 9:18-27

13 When Jesus came to the region of Caesarea Philippi, he
asked his disciples, "Who do people say the Son of Man is?"
14 They replied, "Some say John the Baptist; others say Elijah;
and still others, Jeremiah or one of the prophets." 15 "But what
about you?" he asked. "Who do you say I am?" 16 Simon Peter
answered, "You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God."

17 Jesus replied, "Blessed are you, Simon son of Jonah, for this
was not revealed to you by flesh and blood, but by my Father in
heaven. 18 And I tell you that you are Peter, and on this rock I will
build my church, and the gates of Hades will not overcome it.
19 I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven; whatever
you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you
loose on earth will be loosed in heaven." 20 Then he ordered his
disciples not to tell anyone that he was the Messiah. 21 From that
time on Jesus began to explain to his disciples that he must go to
Jerusalem and suffer many things at the hands of the elders, the
chief priests and the teachers of the law, and that he must be
killed and on the third day be raised to life. 22 Peter took him
aside and began to rebuke him. "Never, Lord!" he said. "This shall
never happen to you!"

23 Jesus turned and said to Peter, "Get behind me, Satan! You
are a stumbling block to me; you do not have in mind the
concerns of God, but merely human concerns."

24 Then Jesus said to his disciples, "Whoever wants to be my
disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross and follow
me. 25 For whoever wants to save their life will lose it, but
whoever loses their life for me will find it. 26 What good will it be
for someone to gain the whole world, yet forfeit their soul? Or
what can anyone give in exchange for their soul? 27 For the Son
of Man is going to come in his Father's glory with his angels, and
then he will reward each person according to what they have
done. 28 "Truly I tell you, some who are standing here will not
taste death before they see the Son of Man coming in his
kingdom."