

11. The field of verse 5 wasn't a field of what?
12. The rock beds in the field were usually what kind of stone?
13. What word appears 13 times in this chapter?
14. What is a truth which was not revealed to the Old Testament saints but has now been revealed to the New Testament saints?
15. What is the mystery that Jesus is referring to?
16. We are in what form of the kingdom?
17. John 12:37 says that the people would not do what?
18. The first part of John 12:39 says that they what?
19. Do you realize that you can choose for so long that you will not believe that your heart can grow so hard that you cannot believe?
20. Do you realize that you can reject the Bible so long that eventually it will all seem like a bunch of nonsense to you?
21. Ted Turner once planned to be a missionary at one point in his life but now he says that the death of Jesus for our sins is what?
22. Mark 4:13-15 describes what kind of heart?
23. What is the first way mentioned that Satan snatches the Word?
24. Another way that Satan snatches the word is by making people feel comfortable in what?
25. A third way that Satan snatches the word is by using the fear of what?
26. A fourth way that Satan snatches the word is by saying what?
27. A fifth way that Satan snatches the word is through what?
28. A Sixth way that Satan snatches the word is to confuse the issue by pointing out Christians who have what?
29. What is a seventh way that Satan snatches the word?
30. An eighth way Satan snatches the word is by giving people a false what?
31. And last, Satan snatches the Word by encouraging what?
32. Mark 4:16-17 describes what kind of heart?
33. The person of verses 16-17 might be attracted to the fact that God loves him/her, but it's purely what?
34. The person of verses 16-17 may have a lot of zeal and enthusiasm, but there's no what?
35. Where did John speak about the person of verses 16-17?
36. What reveals a lot about the true nature of a person's heart condition?
37. Mark 4:18-19 present the person with what kind of heart?
38. Does Mark 4:18-19 describe you?
39. What three things win out over the word in the first three cases?
40. What is the kind of heart spoken about in verse 20?
41. The hearts in this fourth group are good in the sense that they are what?
42. All of the people in the first three groups are what?

43. All believers do what?

44. Galatians 5:22-23 teaches that fruit is what?

45. According to Hebrews 13:15, Romans 1:13; Romans 6:22; Romans 15:23; and John 4:36 what are examples of fruit?

46. According to John 15 all Christians do what?

47. What is your heart like? Really evaluate this today.

Remember: Your responsibility, by God's enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Philippians 2:12-13; I Timothy 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you meditate on this message, ask yourself these questions:

»»How does God want my beliefs/actions to change?

»»How can I accomplish this change?

»»What is the first step toward bringing about this change

**FOR NEXT TIME:**

Ponder the Glories of God's Creation, from the amazing heavens to the smallest atom.

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**THE PARABLE OF THE SOILS**

Mark 4:1-20

**Series #18**

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon: **“The Parable of The Soils”** All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

1. If you are a Christian who deeply cares about seeing others embrace God's Word, then you know that life can be what?

2. Are you one of those people who have a spiritual heart that is in bad condition but you refuse to let it be examined?

3. The passage we look at today helps answer the question, “Why is there so little” what in relation to the word of God today?

4. This parable tells us that the heart of every issue is the what?

5. In the parable, the sower isn't the issue. What is?

6. Matthew tells us that the parable of the sower was given on the same day that the Jewish leaders did what?

7. The leaders made their official decision that Jesus was what?

8. Jesus' family felt like they had to do what for Jesus?

9. What was a typical rabbinical position for teaching in Jesus' day?

10. What word refers primarily to the narrow paths that separated one field from another?

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