

# Outline: A Study in the Book of



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**Note from Pastor: Please feel free to ask questions don't be too shy to inquire, before, during, after class or contact us through the web through our YouTube page or email at [www.4176sbaptist@gmail.com](mailto:www.4176sbaptist@gmail.com).**

- *All questions are welcomed and encouraged.*
- *Questions can make the teacher better able to communicate and give us a better sense in the application of the Word in our walk with GOD.*

*(John 8:32) And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.*

### **Pastor's Comments:**

- **Reading, praying and meditating are helpful in living for Christ Jesus.**
- **The bible has both literal and spiritual meaning and application; don't over spiritualize taking it out of context.**
- **Carefully and critically listen to any person standing before you to teach the Word of God.**
- **Glorify God not men!**
- **Don't use your experience as the standard instead take it and let the Word of God be the arbitrator.**
- **"New birth" means partnership with the Holy Spirit.**
- **Weigh things on God's scale; His is never unbalanced.**
- **(Ephesians 5:15) See then that ye walk circumspectly, not as fools, but as wise,**
- **(1 Peter 5:7) Casting all your care upon him; for he careth for you.**
- **(Matthew 11:30) For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.**



## ***Study in the Gospel of Matthew:***

### ***Review:***

#### Pastor's Comment:

- John, knew **Jesus** was the **Messiah** by the **Holy Spirit**.
- Can we face death with life not with fear?
  - Trials don't come to make you strong-when you get through it is **God** that supplied you the strength to go through it. God doesn't wait until the circumstances arrive; He has already provided for every one before you through the trial. **God** never tests.
  - The adversity, the enemy does the testing. **God** knows.
- **Jesus** gives challenges of entering in-enter into the Kingdom through the narrow gates, which is **His** Kingdom.
- Be mindful of the two gates!
- Spiritual/precepts (The Beatitudes).
- The **Spirit** will be expressed out of the life you are living.
- Legalism; being legally made okay-**God** did not want this **He** wants your heart to change.
- (Matthew 22:37) Jesus said unto him, Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind.
- Let your giving be worship; the very life you live should be worship!

#### Review: Chp. 7

(Matthew 7:14) Because strait is the gate, and narrow is the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it.

- Be mindful, careful of the gate you enter; the narrow gate is difficult and requires fighting the flesh and the devil.

(Matthew 7:15) Beware of false prophets, which come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ravening wolves.

- False prophets-you must know about sheep and wolves; the more you know about sheep is vital.
- (John 10:11) I am the good shepherd: the good shepherd giveth his life for the sheep.
- Beware of pastors who forget they are sheep.
- **Jesus** highlights the inward; who has your heart?

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(Matthew 7:16) Ye shall know them by their fruits. Do men gather grapes of thorns, or figs of thistles?

- All were born sinners; no one that is a sheep was not a wolf first.
- (Luke 15:10) Likewise, I say unto you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner that repenteth.
- "I once was lost but now I'm found....."

(Matthew 7:17) Even so every good tree bringeth forth good fruit; but a corrupt tree bringeth forth evil fruit.

- Tree is good by the fruit it bears-a good tree. Our goodness is not our goodness because there is nothing good but **God**.
- We are the fruit of the tree of **Jesus Christ**; seeds from the **Good Tree**.
- No fruit does not have seeds, able to produce more fruit.
- (**John 15:1**) I am the true vine, and my Father is the husbandman.
- If you live in sin, you are definitely a wolf.

(Matthew 7:18) A good tree cannot bring forth evil fruit, neither can a corrupt tree bring forth good fruit.

(Matthew 7:19) Every tree that bringeth not forth good fruit is hewn down, and cast into the fire.

(Matthew 7:20) Wherefore by their fruits ye shall know them.

- Fruits, you will know them (multiple acts)
- (**Galatians 5:22**) But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith,
- Don't worry-trust in the **Lord**.
- (Proverbs 3:5) Trust in the LORD with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding.

(Matthew 7:21) Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven.

(Matthew 7:23) And then will I profess unto them, I never knew you: depart from me, ye that work iniquity.

- Do you definitely know where you will be?
- Practice: it is you who are. (lawlessness; the rule of **God** doesn't affect you) they were never true disciples of **Christ**.

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(Matthew 7:24) Therefore whosoever heareth these sayings of mine, and doeth them, I will liken him unto a wise man, which built his house upon a rock:

(Matthew 7:25) And the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house; and it fell not: for it was founded upon a rock.

(Matthew 7:26) And every one that heareth these sayings of mine, and doeth them not, shall be likened unto a foolish man, which built his house upon the sand:

- Except the **Lord** builds the house...**He is The Rock!**
- **The house that God built, nothing can tear it down.**

(Matthew 7:27) And the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house; and it fell: and great was the fall of it.

- The basis for the building is the **Word of God**.

(Matthew 7:28) And it came to pass, when Jesus had ended these sayings, the people were astonished at his doctrine:

- **Jesus** taught with authority.

## Chp. 8:

(Matthew 8:1) When he was come down from the mountain, great multitudes followed him.

(Matthew 8:2) And, behold, there came a leper and worshipped him, saying, Lord, if thou wilt, thou canst make me clean.

- Leper had surety that **Jesus** could make him clean.

(Matthew 8:3) And Jesus put forth his hand, and touched him, saying, I will; be thou clean. And immediately his leprosy was cleansed.

- **Jesus** violated the Law by touching a leper.

(Matthew 8:4) And Jesus saith unto him, See thou tell no man; but go thy way, shew thyself to the priest, and offer the gift that Moses commanded, for a testimony unto them.

- Authentic faith is always seen, should be recognized.
- To deny belief in **Jesus** is blaspheme, the ultimate curse.
- The leper was to obey the law-to show testimony to them.
- **Jesus** said I have come to fulfil the Law.