

Matthew Lesson Chapter 25b

The Gospel According to Matthew -- Chapter 25:14-46

Historical background – Jesus is on the Mount of Olives. He continues to teach using two more parables.

Vocabulary

- entrusted
- “bags of gold”
- “put his money to work”
- dug a hole and hid the money
- “Well done, good and faithful servant!”
- wicked, lazy
- “Son of Man comes in his glory”
- sheep and goats
- inheritance

Questions about Chapter 25

1. In the second parable, a man entrusts others with his wealth. How did the men respond to receiving the gold? (v. 14-18)
2. After a while the master returned home. How did he respond to his servants – one with 5 bags of gold? --- one with 2 bags of gold? Why did the master respond like he did? (v. 19-23)
3. How did the master respond to the servant who had 1 bag of gold? (v. 24-30) Why do you think he responded like that?
4. In Chapter 25, verse 31 – 32, Matthew is describing when Jesus returns. What will happen at that time?
5. How does the King describe those on his right? Why? (v. 34-40)
6. How does the king respond to those on his left? Why? (v. 41-45) What happens to them in verse 46?