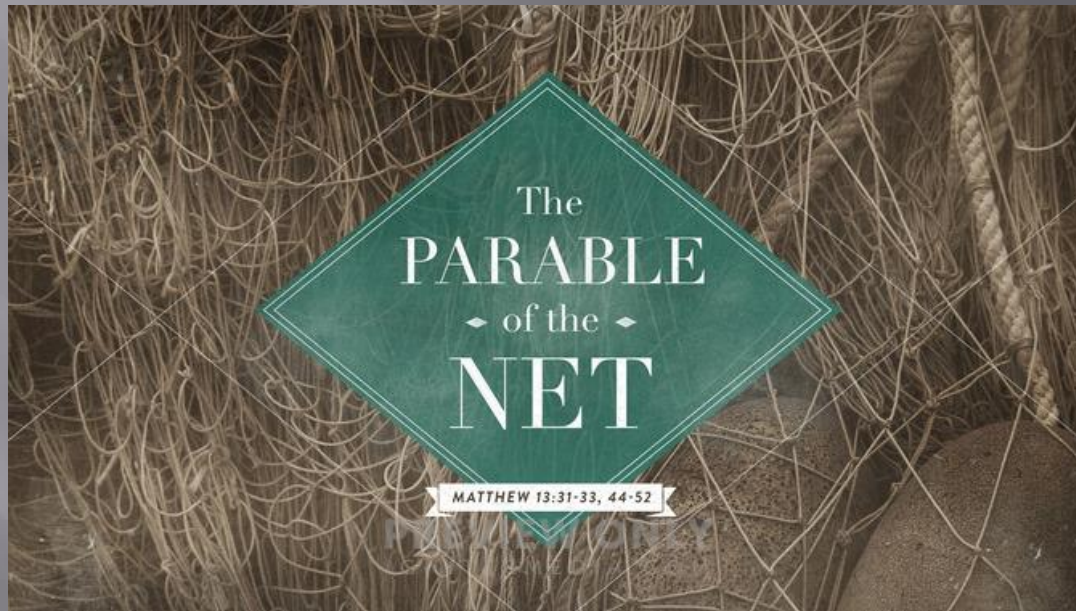


KINGDOM AND DISCIPLESHIP

WEEK 7



NOTICED :

- 1.) Nets or Rods.
- 2.) Different kinds of fishes.
(the good and the bad catches)
- 3.) Different containers.
- 4.) “ Zero “ or “ nice catch”.
- 5.) Different attitudes of men fishing.
- 6.) -----



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Matthew 13:47-50 English Standard Version

The Parable of the Net

47 “Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a 1net that was thrown into the sea and gathered 2fish of every kind. 48 When it was full, men drew it ashore and sat down and sorted 4a the good into 3containers but threw away 4b the bad. 49 So it will be at the end of the age. The angels will come out and separate the evil from the righteous. 50 and throw them into the fiery furnace. In that place there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.

What does the parable of the net tells us about the kingdom of God ?



1.) We are to preach the Gospel regardless of who receives it.

47 “Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a net that was thrown into the sea and gathered fish of every kind.

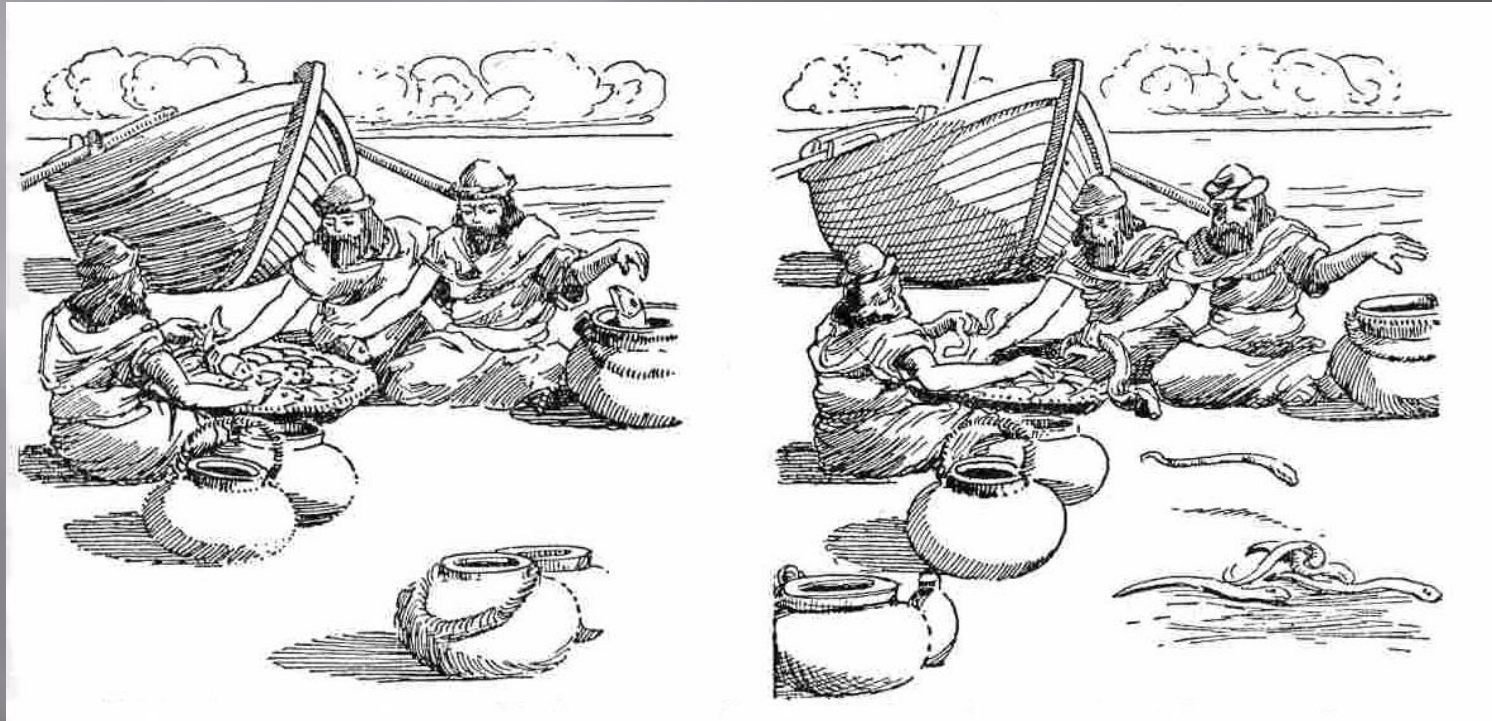


The net, representing the preaching of the Gospel , gathered ***fish of every kind*** . It is not our role to choose the fish we attract. In the same way, it is not our role to prejudge those whom we preach the Gospel to.



2.) There is a coming judgement

48 When it was full, men drew it ashore and sat down and sorted a the good into containers but threw away b the bad. 49 So it will be at the end of the age. The angels will come out and separate the evil from the righteous. 50 and throw them into the fiery furnace. In that place there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.



Revelation 20:11-15 English Standard Version

Judgment Before the Great White Throne

11 Then I saw a great white throne and him who was seated on it. From his presence earth and sky fled away, and no place was found for them. 12 And I saw the dead, great and small, standing before the throne, and books were opened. Then another book was opened, which is the book of life. And the dead were judged by what was written in the books, according to what they had done. 13 And the sea gave up the dead who were in it, Death and Hades gave up the dead who were in them, and they were judged, each one of them, according to what they had done. 14 Then Death and Hades were thrown into the lake of fire. This is the second death, the lake of fire. 15 And if anyone's name was not found written in the book of life, he was thrown into the lake of fire.

The men who sorted the fish into good or bad represent the angels that will separate the evil from the righteous at the end of the age. Those who have sinned and not put their faith in King Jesus for their forgiveness are considered evil.



Matthew 13:50 The Parable of the Net

50 and throw them into the fiery furnace. In that place there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.
ill be taken away.

Matthew 25:30 The Parable of the Talents

30 And cast the worthless servant into the outer darkness. In that place there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.'

The Parable of the Weeds

with them. 30..... "Gather the weeds first and bind them in bundles to be burned.....

The Faithful vs. The Wicked Servant - Matthew 24:51

..... He will cut him to pieces and assign him a place with the hypocrites, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.

Ten Talents or Gold Coins - Matthew 25:14-30

does not have, even what they have will be taken from them. And throw that worthless servant outside, into the darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.'

The righteous on the other hand, are sinners who have responded to the Gospel and put their trust in Jesus to forgive them of all of their sins and give them right standing before God, God is the final judge. He knows those who are really His.



If we confess our sins,
He is faithful and righteous to
forgive us our sins and cleanse
us from all unrighteousness.

1 JOHN 1:9



sunny



cloudy



snowy



rainy



windy



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