

Sermon Study Questions

October 17, 2021

1. Read Matthew 13:44-52
2. What is the main point of these three parables?
3. In considering why it is that the Kingdom of Heaven (KOH) is of supreme value, we pointed out that there is a present experience of it and a future experience of it. With that in mind, in considering the present value of the KOH we isolated a few of the most prominent reasons why it is of supreme value. The first of those reasons is forgiveness. What is forgiveness, and why is it so valuable in this life?
4. What about imputed righteousness? What is it? How does knowing you have Christ's righteousness credited to your account provide value to you in this life?
5. Why do you have peace with God? How does knowing you have peace with God provide value to you in this life?
6. What is hope, and how does it connect the blessedness of our experience of the KOH in this life with what our experience of it will be like in the life to come?
7. Why is the KOH in its consummation worth immeasurably more than all the material possessions you own?
8. How is the Parable of the Net further emphasizing the point of these three parables, that the KOH is of supreme value?
9. Do you understand and agree with the point Jesus is making in these parables? Assuming you do, what practical application can you make from them?
10. Pray!