



Matthew's Revelation

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The Sower

- **The word of the kingdom to be sown**
- **It will be received in one of four ways**
- **With one of four results**
- **Only some are fruitful**



The Tares of the Field

- Satan is also sowing
- The children of the wicked one are among us
- Jesus will send angels to gather them at the end of the age unto judgement
- The kingdom period to follow that judgement



A Grain of Mustard Seed

- Jesus sows a single new seed in his field
- Less than all seeds
- Grows greater than herbs into grotesque tree
- Birds of the air lodge in branches and corrupt



Leaven

- **Work of wickedness**
- **Hid in the meal**
- **Corrupts the entire thing**
- **Christendom to eventually be entirely pervaded by false doctrine**



Treasure Hid in a Field

- Israel hidden in the world
- Jesus found it
- For the joy, hid it in the world, then bought the world!



One Pearl of Great Price

- Jesus is looking only for the pearl in this age
- Jesus paid it all
- There is one church, purchased at enormous cost, gradually formed from among all nations



A Dragnet

- At the end of the age
- Angels will sever the wicked from among the just in all nations
- The just are gathered in vessels during this time

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GENESIS vs MATTHEW

Genesis

- Begins OT
- Book of the generations of Adam (5:1)
- First Adam to Abraham
- 10 generations either side of Noah
- Flood & Nations between

Matthew

- Begins NT
- Book of the generation of Jesus Christ (1:1)
- Abraham to Last Adam
- 14 generations either side of David's dynasty
- Kingdom & Exile between

How Good is Your Messiah?

- Perfect pedigree from David
- Curse of Jeconiah avoided
- Virgin birth
- Fits with Balaam's words
- Born in time for Dan 9
- Born in Bethlehem
- Called out of Egypt
- Massacre of infants
- A Nazarene

