

PARABLES OF JESUS (Appendix 2)

Parable Main Characters	Text	
1. Lamp under a bowl	Matt. 5:15; Mark 4:21; Luke 8:16, 11:33	lamp, bowl
2. Wise & foolish builders	Matt. 7:24-27; Luke 6:47-49	wise & foolish builders
3. New cloth on an old coat	Matt. 9:16; Mark 2:21; Luke 5:36	sewer, pitch, garment
4. New wine in old wineskins	Matt. 9:17; Mark 2:22; Luke 5:37-38	pourer, wine, wineskins
5. Sower & the soils sower, bad soils, good soil	Matt. 13:3-8, 18-23; Mark 4:3-8, 14-20 Luke 8:5-8, 11-15	
6. Weeds	Matt. 13:24-30, 36-43	wheat, weeds, harvester
7. Mustard seed	Matt. 13:31-32; Mark 4:30-32; Luke 13:18-19	Gardner, mustard seed
8. Yeast	Matt. 13:33; Luke 13:20-21	woman, yeast
9. Hidden treasure	Matt. 13:44	man, hidden treasure, land owner,
10. Valuable pearl	Matt. 13:45-46	merchant, pearl, seller
11. Net	Matt. 13:47-50	good & bad fish, fishermen
12. Owner of a house	Matt. 13:52	house owner, new & old treasures
13. Lost sheep	Matt. 18:12-14; Luke 15:4-7	shepherd, lost sheep, the 99 sheep
14. Unmerciful servant	Matt. 18:23-34	master, unmerciful and other servant
15. Workers in the vineyard	Matt. 20:1-16	land owner, first set and other workers
16. Two sons	Matt. 21:28-32	two sons, father
17. Tenants	Matt. 21:33-44; Mark 12:1-11; Luke 20:9-18	landlord, original and and next tenants
18. Wedding banquet	Matt. 22:2-14	King, invited & uninvited guests, ill clad man
19. Fig tree	Matt. 24:32; Mark 13:28;	leaves of the fig tree

	Luke 21:30	
20. Faithful & wise servant	Matt. 24:45-51; Luke 12:42-48 (Mark 13:33-37; Luke 12:35-38)	master, faithful & unfaithful servants
21. Ten virgins	Matt. 25:1-13	10 virgins & bridegroom
22. Talents (minas)	Matt. 25:14-30; Luke 19:12-27	master, faithful & unfaithful servants
23. Sheep & goats	Matt. 25:31-46	shepherd, sheep, goats
24. Growing seed	Mark 4:26-29	man, seed, grain
25. Thief of night	Matt 24:43-44; Luke 12:39-40	householder, thief
26. Moneylender	Luke 7:41-43	master, two debtors
27. Good Samaritan	Luke 10:30-37	victim, priest/Levite, Samaritan
28. Friend in need	Luke 11:5-8	friend, traveler, neighbor
29. Rich fool	Luke 12:16-21	rich man, God
30. Unfruitful fig tree	Luke 13:6-9	vineyard owner, fig tree, caretaker
31. Lowest seat at the feast	Luke 14:7-14	host, two guests
32. Great banquet	Luke 14:16-24	master, invited & uninvited guests
33. Man builds a tower	Luke 14:28-30	builder, tower, people
34. King plans a war	Luke 14:31-33	king, enemy
35. Lost coin	Luke 15:8-10	woman, lost coin, the 9 coins
36. Lost (prodigal) son	Luke 15:11-32	father, son, brother
37. Shrewd manager	Luke 16:1-8	steward, master, debtors
38. Rich man & Lazarus	Luke 16:19-31	Lazarus, rich man, Abraham
39. Master & his servant	Luke 17:7-10	master, servant
40. Persistent widow	Luke 18:2-8	judge, widow, adversary
41. Pharisee & tax collector	Luke 18:10-14	Pharisee, tax collector, God