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# The Three Kingdoms

## Part 2 The Kingdom of God

Revelation 11:15 And the seventh angel sounded; and there were great voices in heaven, saying, The kingdoms of this world are become the kingdoms of our Lord, and of his Christ; and he shall reign for ever and ever.

# Kingdom Of Heaven

32 Times ONLY in the book of Matthew



# Kingdom Of God

69 Times, (once in the book of Matthew)

Is there a difference ?

# Kingdom of God



21 Neither shall they say,  
Lo here! or, lo there! for,  
behold, the kingdom of  
God is within you.

- Romans 14:17 For the kingdom of God is not meat and drink; but righteousness, and peace, and joy in the Holy Ghost.
- Luke 17:20 ¶And when he was demanded of the Pharisees, when the kingdom of God should come, he answered them and said, **The kingdom of God cometh not with observation:**

# The Kingdom Of God, is a Spiritual Kingdom!



- Romans 14:17 ..**RIGHTEOUSNESS**
- Romans 8:4 That the **righteousness of the law** might be fulfilled in us, who walk not after the flesh, **but after the Spirit.**

Galatians 5:5 For we through the Spirit wait for the hope of righteousness by faith.

# The Spiritual Kingdom



Romans 14:17 and  
**PEACE,**

- Galatians 5:22 But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith,

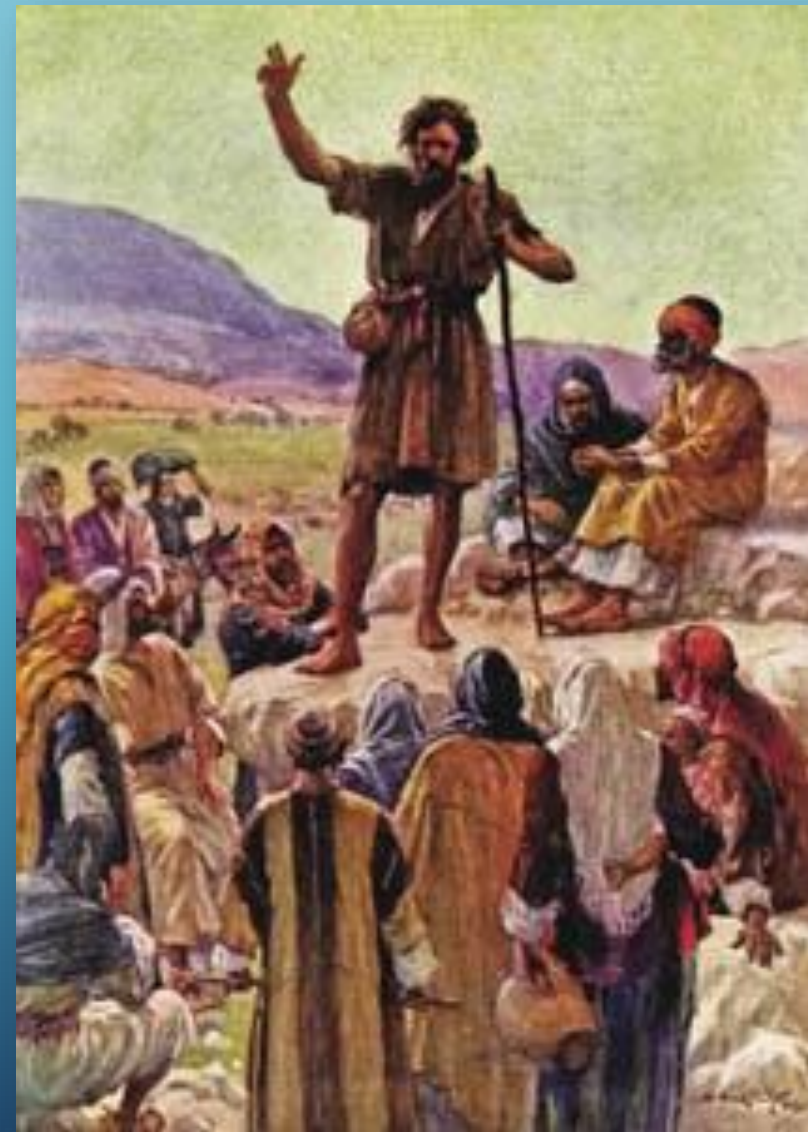
# The Spiritual Kingdom

The Joy of the Lord  
is my Strength



- Romans 14:17 ...**JOY** in the Holy Ghost.
- Romans 15:13 ¶ Now the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, that ye may abound in hope, through the power of the Holy Ghost.
- 1 Thessalonians 1:6 ¶ And ye became followers of us, and of the Lord, having received the word in much affliction, with joy of the Holy Ghost:

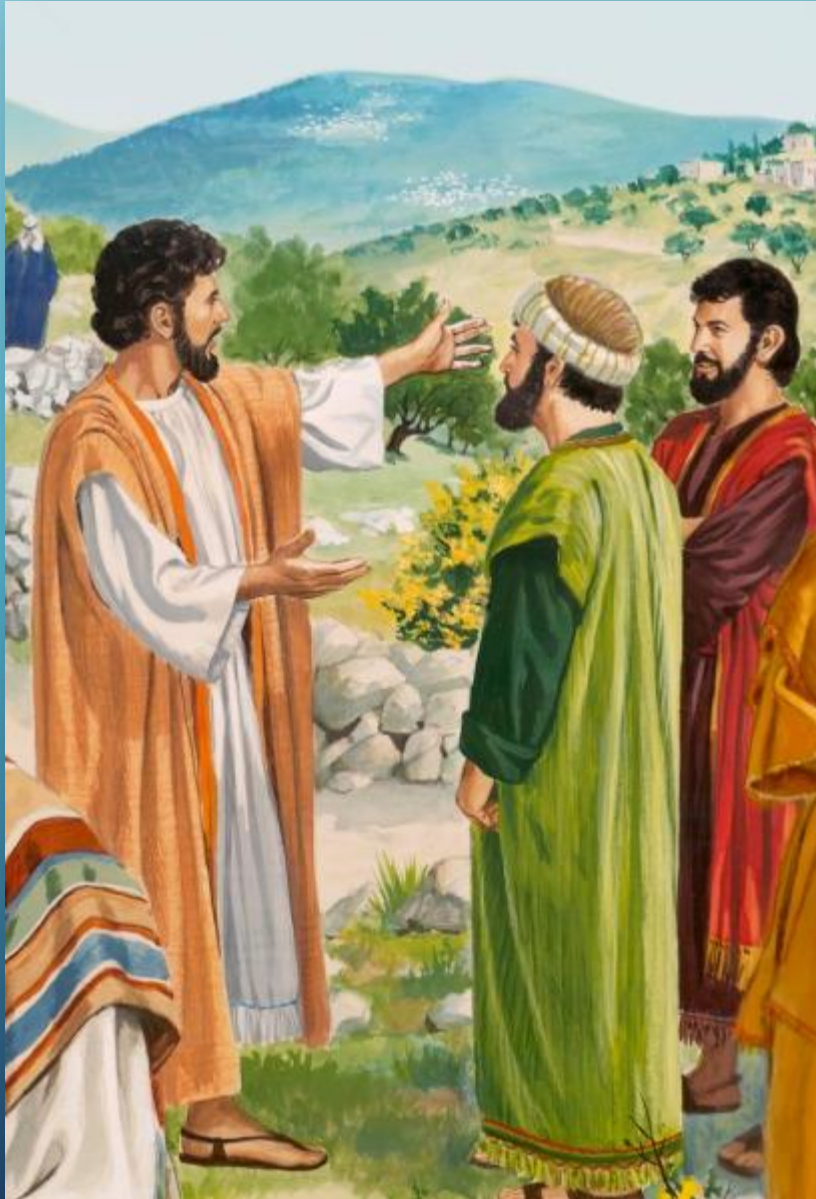
# Preparing the Way



- Matthew 3:1 ¶ In those days came John the Baptist, preaching in the wilderness of Judaea,
- 2 And saying, Repent ye: for **the kingdom of heaven is at hand.**
- Matthew 4:17 From that time Jesus began to preach, and to say, Repent: **for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.**



# Heaven on Earth



- Matthew 15:24 But he answered and said, I am not sent but unto **the lost sheep of the house of Israel.**
- Matthew 10:5 ¶These twelve Jesus sent forth, and commanded them, saying, **Go not into the way of the Gentiles,** and into any city of the Samaritans enter ye not:
- 6 But go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.
- 7 And as ye go, preach, saying, **The kingdom of heaven is at hand.**

# The Kingdom Message

## MATTHEW

### Announcement and Arrival of the King

**Main Emphasis: His Credentials**

Birth  
Baptism  
Temptation

*CHAPTERS*  
1-4

### Proclamation and Reception of the King

**Main Emphasis: His Message**

Sermon on the Mount  
Miracles  
Discourses  
Parables

*CHAPTERS*  
5-15

### Opposition and Rejection of the King

**Main Emphasis: His Suffering and Death**

Spread of opposition  
Preparation of disciples  
Final predictions  
Crucifixion

*CHAPTERS*  
16-27

### Resurrection and Triumph of the King

**Main Emphasis: His Conquest**

God's power  
Great Commission

*CHAPTER*  
28

<b>The King</b>	His identity: Israel's promised King		His destiny: "Crucify Him!"	
<b>Scope</b>	Teaching the vast multitudes		Teaching the Twelve	
<b>Location</b>	Bethlehem and Nazareth	Ministry in Galilee	Ministry in Judea	
<b>People's Reaction</b>	Increased popularity		Increased hostility	
<b>Theme</b>	Jesus is the King, Israel's long-awaited Messiah.			
<b>Key Verses</b>	16:16-19; 28:18-20			
<b>Christ in Matthew</b>	Jesus, the Messiah, fulfills the prophecies, promises, types, and expectations of the Old Testament Scriptures (16:16-19; 28:18-20).			

# The Throne Of David



Isaiah 9:7 Of the increase of his government and peace there shall be no end, upon **the throne of David, and upon his kingdom**, to order it, and to establish it with judgment and with justice from henceforth even for ever. The zeal of the LORD of hosts will perform this.

Luke 1:32 He shall be great, and shall be called the Son of the Highest: and the Lord God shall give unto him the throne of his father David:

# Heavenly Kingdom Come ?



Mark 11:10 **Blessed be the kingdom of our father David,** that cometh in the name of the Lord: Hosanna in the highest.

Matthew 11:12 And from the days of John the Baptist until now the kingdom of heaven suffereth violence, and the violent take it by force.

13 For all the prophets and the law prophesied until John.

14 And if ye will receive it, this is Elias, which was for to come.

15 He that hath ears to hear, let him hear.

# The True Heavenly Kingdom!



John 3:2 The same came to Jesus by night, and said unto him, Rabbi, we know that thou art a teacher come from God: for no man can do these miracles that thou doest, except God be with him.

3 Jesus answered and said unto him, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God.

4 Nicodemus saith unto him, How can a man be born when he is old? can he enter the second time into his mother's womb, and be born?

5 Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God.

# The Spiritual Kingdom

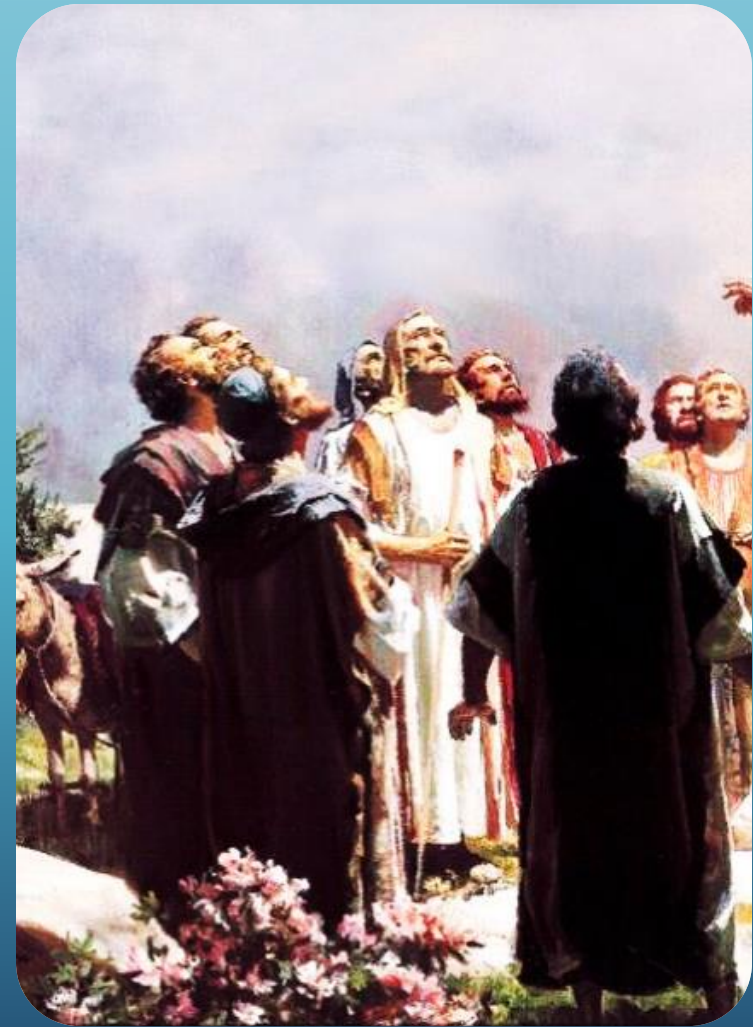
Acts 1:2 Until the day in which he was taken up, after that he through the Holy Ghost had given commandments unto the apostles whom he had chosen:

3 To whom also he shewed himself alive after his passion by many infallible proofs, being seen of them forty days, and speaking of the things pertaining to the kingdom of God:

4 And, being assembled together with them, commanded them that they should not depart from Jerusalem, but wait for the promise of the Father, which, saith he, ye have heard of me.

5 For John truly baptized with water; but ye shall be baptized with the Holy Ghost not many days hence.

6 ¶When they therefore were come together, they asked of him, saying, Lord, wilt thou at **this time restore again the kingdom to Israel?**



# Seek which Kingdom ?



Matthew 6:33 But seek ye **first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness;** and all these things shall be added unto you.

34 Take therefore no thought for the morrow: for the morrow shall take thought for the things of itself. Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof.