

The Righteous Will Shine Like the Sun

Matthew 13:24-43

Key Verse: 43

1. How did Jesus begin the parable? (24-26) What question did the servants ask and how did the owner reply? (27-28a) What additional questions the servants ask and how did the owner reply? (28b-30)
2. What shows the disciples' spiritual desire? (36-43) What does each element mean? (37-39) What does Jesus tell us about the end of age? (40-42) What kind of hope does this give to the believers? (43) How does this confirm the existence of evil? (28a,41-42) How does this parable reveal God's heart? (29-30a)
3. What do you know about mustard seeds? (31) How does mustard seed characterize the work of the kingdom of heaven? (32) How is the parable of yeast similar? (33) Why did Jesus speak to the crowd in parables? (34-35)