

Parables of the Kingdom of God Description Cards

A The Kingdom of God is like bread dough, which will grow only when leavened with yeast. It takes only a small amount of yeast to make the dough grow large in size.

B The Kingdom of God is of great value, and it is worth giving all that we have in order to gain it.

C The good and the bad dwell together in this world. God will separate those who are good from those who are bad, and the bad will not be allowed to enter the Kingdom of God.

D The Kingdom of God brings great joy and is worth more than anything we have.

E

We are the “soil” in which the Kingdom of God is “planted.” We can choose to be good soil and allow the Kingdom to grow within us and produce fruit in our lives. We can choose to allow the things of this world to overtake the Kingdom or fail to hear the message of the Kingdom at all. We can also be weak soil that allows the Kingdom to take root for a short time, but when things get difficult we abandon the Kingdom.

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Everyone is gathered to be a part of the Kingdom, but not everyone will be allowed into the Kingdom. The bad will be thrown away.

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The Kingdom of God begins small and humble in our lives, like a tiny seed, but will grow larger and larger when nurtured.