

THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO

MATTHEW



Proof of the Anticipated

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THE PARABLE OF THE SOWER

Matthew 13:1-23

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I. The details of the parable expressed (vv. 1-9).

A. People are excited to hear Jesus (vv. 1-2).

B. Not all have ears to hear Jesus (vv. 3-9).

**II. The purpose of parables explained
(vv. 10-17).**

**A. Jesus used parables to exclude some
(vv. 10-12).**

**B. Jesus used parables to expose some
(vv. 13-15).**

**C. Jesus used parables to educate some
(vv. 16-17).**

III. The meaning of the parable expounded (vv. 18-23).

A. Some are attacked by the evil one (vv. 18-19).

B. Some lack endurance (vv. 20-21).

C. Some are enticed by the world (v. 22).

D. Some are established by the Word (v. 23).

Conclusion:

Are you sowing seed, trusting God for the increase?