

Christian Basics Video Series Worksheet

Class #38 – The Parables of Jesus, Part 1

- 1. When Jesus says that the parables will be hard to understand, what Old Testament book and chapter does he reference?
 - a. Isaiah 9
 - b. Jeremiah 6
 - c. Isaiah 46
 - d. Isaiah 6
- 2. What does it mean to "hear but not understand?" And what is needed to understand the parables of Jesus?
- 3. What is the Parable of the Mustard Seed about?
 - a. The power of childlike faith
 - b. Best agricultural practices
 - c. The correlation between large faith and large rewards
 - d. God's preference for large bushes
- 4. The Parable of the Sower (or the Soils) speaks to...(circle all that apply)
 - a. The proclaiming of the Word of God.
 - b. The different kinds of reception the Word of God receives.
 - c. The carelessness of the sower.
 - d. The way the rewards in the kingdom are generational.
- 5. In the Parable of the Wheat and Tares (Weeds),
 - a. The tares overtake the wheat.
 - b. The wheat overtakes the tares.
 - c. The farmer puts weedkiller on the ground to kill the tares at the root.
 - d. The wheat and tares grow fully together.
- 6. When will the final and complete victory of Christ's resurrection take place?
 - a. It already has.
 - b. When Jesus comes again.
 - c. When Jesus and Satan have one last battle for 1,000 years.
 - d. At the next presidential election.