

Profiting From The Parables

The Parables Of The Hidden Treasure And Priceless Pearl

Where can you read these parables? What is the main point of the parables?

1. The Context

What is the greater context of the parables?

What is the immediate context of the parables?

2. The Parable Of The Hidden Treasure

What was located in a field (13:44a)?

What happened to the treasure (13:44b)?

What did the man do with the treasure (13:44c)?

What kind of sacrifice was made concerning the treasure (13:44d)?

3. The Parable Of The Priceless Pearl

What was the merchant looking for (13:45)?

What was found (13:46a)?

What kind of sacrifice was made concerning the pearl (13:46b)?

4. Applications

How does the value of the kingdom of Heaven compare with earthly things?

Could you buy entrance to the kingdom for yourself? Why or why not?

How will some discover their opportunity to be part of the kingdom in different ways?

What kind of effort is required to enter the kingdom of Heaven?

What will being part of the kingdom cost you?

What will being part of the kingdom impact in your life?

What should your perspective be in making sacrifices for the kingdom's sake?