

3. Live _____

A. _____ is Coming

1 John 2:28; And now, little children abide in Him that when He shall appear, we may have confidence and not be ashamed before Him at His coming. (2 Cor.5:9,10)

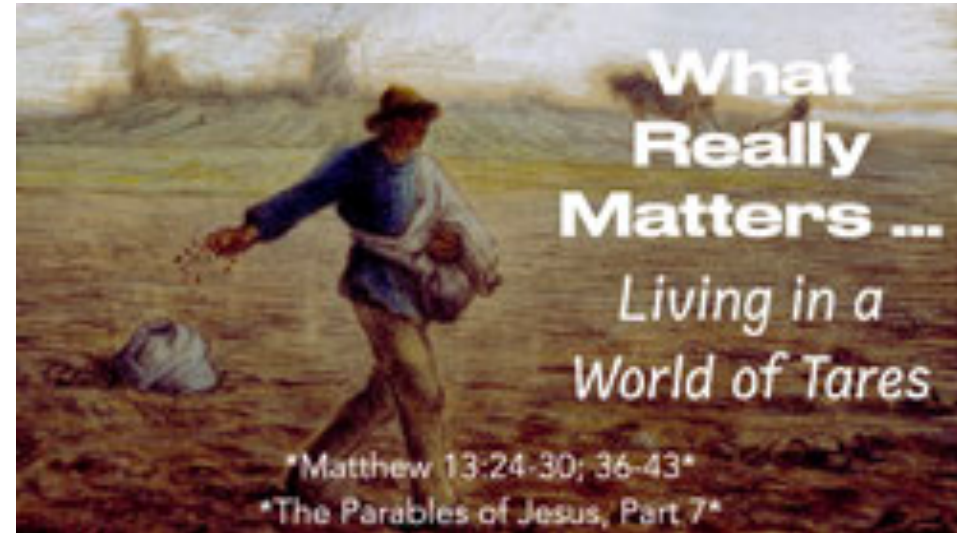
B. _____ Coming

- If you are a child of the wicked one, be reconciled to God!

Romans 5:10; For if, when we were enemies, we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, being reconciled, we shall be saved by his life.

- If you are God's child "of the kingdom," love and pray for your enemies:

Rom.12:20; Therefore if thine enemy hunger, feed him; if he thirst, give him drink: for in so doing thou shalt heap coals of fire on his head.



What Really Matters ...
Living in a World of Tares

Matthew 13:24-30; 36-44
The Parables of Jesus, part 7

- What really matters in all of life? That is the question this parable “of the tares of the field” (13:36) answers. At the heart of this parable is the Lordship of Jesus Christ over all the world (v.24, 37-38).
- You can frame your _____ from this parable, because Jesus gives a synopsis of what really matters while living in this world of tares.
- Here are three world-view principles that matter in this world of tares:

1. Live _____

A. Believing in _____

Psalm 29:10; The LORD sitteth King forever.

B. Believing in _____

2. Live Wisely to _____

Matt.13:28, 39; “An enemy hath done this... the enemy that sowed them is the devil.”

- TARES are a weed that looks like wheat and is indistinguishable in its early stages of growth, but it produces no edible seed. It becomes a host to a fungus which if eaten, is poisonous. Vines Dictionary says: “the seeds are poisonous to man and plant eating animals, producing sleepiness, nausea, convulsions, and even death.” Not only does the Devil plant false seed counterfeiting the truth, but _____.

A. Satan’s work is _____

B. Satan’s work is _____