

## ***Study Guide on Matthew 13:24-33***

### **English Standard Version**

Assign each person in the class one or more verses to study.  
Each person should answer these two questions on their assigned verse.

1. What does this verse say?
2. What does this verse mean to me?
3. Discuss your answers with the class.

(Matthew 13:24) He put another parable before them, saying, “The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a man who sowed good seed in his field,

(Matthew 13:25) but while his men were sleeping, his enemy came and sowed weeds among the wheat and went away.

(Matthew 13:26) So when the plants came up and bore grain, then the weeds appeared also.

(Matthew 13:27) And the servants of the master of the house came and said to him, ‘Master, did you not sow good seed in your field? How then does it have weeds?’

(Matthew 13:28) He said to them, ‘An enemy has done this.’ So the servants said to him, ‘Then do you want us to go and gather them?’

(Matthew 13:29) But he said, ‘No, lest in gathering the weeds you root up the wheat along with them.

(Matthew 13:30) Let both grow together until the harvest, and at harvest time I will tell the reapers, Gather the weeds first and bind them in bundles to be burned, but gather the wheat into my barn.”

(Matthew 13:31) He put another parable before them, saying, “The kingdom of heaven is like a grain of mustard seed that a man took and sowed in his field.

(Matthew 13:32) It is the smallest of all seeds, but when it has grown it is larger than all the garden plants and becomes a tree, so that the birds of the air come and make nests in its branches.”

(Matthew 13:33) He told them another parable. “The kingdom of heaven is like leaven that a woman took and hid in three measures of flour, till it was all leavened.”

**Write the verse or verses you have been assigned in the space below:**

**Answer These Questions for Class Discussion or Study**

1. What does the verse say?
2. What does the verse mean to me?