

## YES or NO

- \_\_\_ 1. The various types of soil represents types of hearers; can you identify yourself?
- \_\_\_ 2. Did you note the number of times Jesus mentioned sow, sower, sown?
- \_\_\_ 3. Does Jesus mention hear, hearing, heard, very often?
- \_\_\_ 4. Can you explain why so many people are still in their sins?
- \_\_\_ 5. Do all who gladly receive the Word endure unto the end?
- \_\_\_ 6. May one who was once fruitful become unfruitful?
- \_\_\_ 7. Does it make any difference what one hears in religion?
- \_\_\_ 8. Should we sow the Word, and trust God to give it growth?
- \_\_\_ 9. Could Jesus sleep soundly amid a storm which scared the disciples?
- \_\_\_ 10. Do you believe Jesus, the Master of wind and sea, to be obeyed by man?

## TRUE OR FALSE

- \_\_\_ 1. Since three-fourths of the seed sown is wasted, we should quit sowing.
- \_\_\_ 2. Men do not know of God's kingdom, because God will not let them.
- \_\_\_ 3. A fine harvest of oats may be reaped from any kind of seed sown.
- \_\_\_ 4. What one hears and does determines what he has and will have.
- \_\_\_ 5. If seed is good and pure, it will grow without being sown.
- \_\_\_ 6. Many fail to see the danger of perishing until they almost do.
- \_\_\_ 7. Christ's written Word has less power than His oral Word.

(Please put the verse(s) number that provides the answer in the margin.)

## Studies in Mark 4:1-41

### The Sower: Nothing Hidden: Seed Grows: Wind Rebuked

1. Where did multitudes gather? \_\_\_\_\_ Where did Jesus sit? \_\_\_\_\_ How did He teach them? \_\_\_\_\_ What is a parable? \_\_\_\_\_
2. In parable of the sower, what is first mentioned? \_\_\_\_\_ List places where the seed fell: 1 \_\_\_\_\_ 2 \_\_\_\_\_ 3 \_\_\_\_\_ 4 \_\_\_\_\_
3. Explain: 1) Fowls devoured, \_\_\_\_\_ 2) No depth, \_\_\_\_\_ 3) Thorns choked, \_\_\_\_\_ 4) Yielded fruit, \_\_\_\_\_
4. Why did Jesus speak in parables? 1 \_\_\_\_\_ 2 \_\_\_\_\_ Why are men not converted? \_\_\_\_\_ Sins not forgiven? \_\_\_\_\_
5. Where should a candle be placed? \_\_\_\_\_ What of things hid? \_\_\_\_\_ Things secret? \_\_\_\_\_ To what should we take heed? \_\_\_\_\_
6. How shall we be measured? \_\_\_\_\_ What of him who hears right and has? \_\_\_\_\_ What of him who has not? \_\_\_\_\_
7. What does seed cast into the ground do? \_\_\_\_\_ How does the earth bring forth? \_\_\_\_\_ Give the order of growth? 1 \_\_\_\_\_ 2 \_\_\_\_\_ 3 \_\_\_\_\_
8. What is said of the mustard seed? 1 \_\_\_\_\_ 2 \_\_\_\_\_ 3 \_\_\_\_\_ 4 \_\_\_\_\_ Why liken God's kingdom to this? \_\_\_\_\_
9. When alone, what did Jesus do for the disciples? \_\_\_\_\_ In crossing the sea, what happened? \_\_\_\_\_ Where was Jesus? \_\_\_\_\_
10. Awaking Jesus, what did the disciples say? \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus say to the wind? \_\_\_\_\_ Give the results: \_\_\_\_\_

**MATCH CORRECTLY (Group 1)**

**SELECT THE CORRECT ANSWER(s)**

- \_\_\_ 1. Seed sown fell: 1) by the way side (the path); 2) on stony ground; 3) among thorns; 4) in good ground; and: 5) birds devoured; 6) plant withered; 7) it choked; 8) it bore fruit.
- \_\_\_ 2. The Word may be: 1) taken away by Satan; 2) abandoned under persecution; 3) choked by worldliness; 4) or bear many fold.
- \_\_\_ 3. Mystery of the kingdom may be known by those who: 1) see not; 2) hear not; 3) understand not; 4) really want to be converted (turn again).
- \_\_\_ 4. Things hidden will be: 1) kept secret; 2) manifested; 3) kept hidden; Candles (lamps) are put: 4) under a basket; 5) under a bed; 6) on a candlestick (lampstand).
- \_\_\_ 5. He who takes heed to what he hears and has, will: 1) be given more; 2) lose what he has; 3) measured out an unjust measure; 4) be given a short measure.
- \_\_\_ 6. He who reaps a good harvest must: 1) sleep days; 2) rise at night; 3) sow seed; and the earth: 4) resents seed; 5) kills the seed; 6) brings fruit.
- \_\_\_ 7. A mustard seed: 1) is small; 2) is sown; 3) becomes great; 4) comforts birds; God's kingdom: 5) begins small; 6) sows the Word; 7) grows; 8) comforts.
- \_\_\_ 8. Jesus spoke to all who are: 1) able; 2) too young; 3) unable; to hear.
- \_\_\_ 9. A storm: 1) arose; 2) caused waves; 3) caused water to fill the ship; Jesus: 4) arose; 5) said, Peace be still; 6) brought a great calm.
- \_\_\_ 10. The disciples: 1) were fearful; 2) said, Do you not care that we perish; 3) were rebuked for their little faith; 4) said, the winds and the waves obey Jesus.

Verse:

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| ___ 1. Ship    | ___ Fowls devour seed           |
| ___ 2. Sea     | ___ Choke out seed              |
| ___ 3. Wayside | ___ Should be forgiven          |
| ___ 4. Stony   | ___ Jesus taught from it        |
| ___ 5. Thorns  | ___ Takes away the Word         |
| ___ 6. Good    | ___ Multitude gathered by       |
| ___ 7. Sins    | ___ Sows the Word               |
| ___ 8. Sower   | ___ Receive it gladly           |
| ___ 9. Satan   | ___ Has little earth            |
| ___ 10. Word   | ___ Thirty, sixty, hundred fold |

**MATCH CORRECTLY (Group 2)**

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| ___ 1. Offended      | ___ Brings fruit of herself |
| ___ 2. Word          | ___ Waves beat it           |
| ___ 3. Candle (lamp) | ___ Said, Peace, be still   |
| ___ 4. Secrets       | ___ Like a mustard seed     |
| ___ 5. Hear          | ___ Because of persecution  |
| ___ 6. Earth         | ___ The Master does care    |
| ___ 7. Kingdom       | ___ Cannot be hidden        |
| ___ 8. Ship          | ___ Choked by worldliness   |
| ___ 9. Perish        | ___ Take heed what          |
| ___ 10. Jesus        | ___ Dangerous under a bed   |