

Parables in the Gospels

Parable	Matthew	Mark	Luke
1 A Lamp on a Stand	Matt. 5:14-16	Mark 4:21-22	Luke 8:16-17; 11:33-36
2 The Wise and Foolish Builders	Matt. 7:24-27		Luke 6:47-49
3 New Cloth on an Old Garment	Matt. 9:16	Mark 2:21	Luke 5:36
4 New Wine in Old Wineskins	Matt. 9:17	Mark 2:22	Luke 5:37-38
5 The Sower	Matt. 13:3-9	Mark 4:2-9	Luke 8:4-8
6 The Weeds	Matt. 13:24-30		
7 The Mustard Seed	Matt. 13:31-32	Mark 4:30-32	Luke 13:18-19
8 The Yeast	Matt. 13:33		Luke 13:20-21
9 The Hidden Treasure	Matt. 13:44		
10 The Pearl	Matt. 13:45-46		
11 The Net	Matt. 13:47-50		
12 The Lost Sheep	Matt. 18:12-14		Luke 15:3-7
13 The Unmerciful Servant	Matt. 18:23-35		
14 The Workers in the Vineyard	Matt. 20:1-16		
15 The Two Sons	Matt. 21:28-32		
16 The Tenants	Matt. 21:33-45	Mark 12:1-12	Luke 20:9-19
17 The Wedding Banquet	Matt. 22:2-14		
18 The Ten Virgins	Matt. 25:1-13		
19 The Talents	Matt. 25:14-30		
20 The Growing Seed		Mark 4:26-29	
21 The Absent Householder		Mark 13:34-37	
22 The Creditor and the Two Debtors			Luke 7:41-43
23 The Good Samaritan			Luke 10:30-37
24 A Friend in Need			Luke 11:5-13
25 The Rich Fool			Luke 12:16-21
26 The Watchful Servants			Luke 12:35-40
27 The Faithful Servant	Matt. 24:45-51		Luke 12:42-48
28 The Barren Fig Tree			Luke 13:6-9
29 The Place of Honor			Luke 14:7-11
30 The Great Banquet			Luke 14:16-24
31 The Cost of Being a Disciple			Luke 14:25-35
32 The Lost Coin			Luke 15:8-10
33 The Prodigal Son			Luke 15:11-32
34 The Shrewd Steward			Luke 16:1-13
35 The Rich Man and Lazarus			Luke 16:19-31
36 The Obedient Servant			Luke 17:7-10
37 The Persistent Widow			Luke 18:1-8
38 The Pharisee and the Tax Collector			Luke 18:9-14
39 The Ten Minas			Luke 19:11-27
Total Parables in each Gospel	20	8	27
Unique Parables in each Gospel	10	2	17