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Stories of Kingdom Grace
Summary of The Purpose of Parables
Matthew 13:1-17
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The parables are not intended to teach general lessons and morals without any coherent, consistent focus. Instead, when Jesus began to teach in parables, he specifically did so in order to reveal the Kingdom of God. This Kingdom is presently invisible to the human eye, but it operates in hearts throughout the world and is moving to the finale at the second coming of Christ. The parables are about more, however, than just the Kingdom in code. Ultimately, Christ is the subject of the parables. The glory of the parables is derived from his glory as the King of the Kingdom.



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