

**The Gospel of the Kingdom**  
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The law and the prophets were until John. Since that time the kingdom of God has been preached, and everyone is pressing into it. **Luke 16:16 NKJV**

Until John the Baptist, the law of Moses and the messages of the prophets were your guides. But now the Good News of the Kingdom of God is preached, and everyone is eager to get in. **Luke 16:16 NLT**

The kingdom is not a religion, but a government of heavenly relationship with our Father.

For unto us a Child is born, Unto us a Son is given; And the government will be upon His shoulder. And His name will be called Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Of the increase of His government and peace There will be no end, Upon the throne of David and over His kingdom, To order it and establish it with judgment and justice From that time forward, even forever. The zeal of the Lord of hosts will perform this. **Isaiah 9:6-7 NKJV**

Jesus went teaching the gospel of the Kingdom.

And Jesus went about all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing all kinds of sickness and all kinds of disease among the people. **Matthew 4:23 NKJV**

Jesus taught his disciples to teach the kingdom.

And as you go, preach, saying, 'The kingdom of heaven is at hand.' Heal the sick, cleanse the lepers, raise the dead, cast out demons. Freely you have received, freely give. **Matthew 10:7-8 NKJV**

And heal the sick there, and say to them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.' **Luke 10:9 NKJV**

And he went into the synagogue and spoke boldly for three months, reasoning and persuading concerning the things of the kingdom of God. **Acts 19:8 NKJV**

He said therefore, A certain nobleman went into a far country to receive for himself a kingdom, and to return. And he called his ten servants, and delivered them ten pounds, and said unto them, Occupy till I come. **Luke 19:12-13 KJV**

And this gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations; and then shall the end come. **Matthew 24:14 KJV**

Now when He was asked by the Pharisees when the kingdom of God would come, He answered them and said, "The kingdom of God does not come with observation; nor will they say, 'See here!' or 'See there!' For indeed, the kingdom of God is within you. **Luke 17:20-21 NKJV**

For the kingdom of God is not eating and drinking, but righteousness and peace and joy in the Holy Spirit. **Romans 14:17 NKJV**

You will either think like God or think like men.

When Jesus departed from there, two blind men followed Him, crying out and saying, "Son of David, have mercy on us!" And when He had come into the house, the blind men came to Him. And Jesus said to them, "Do you believe that I am able to do this?" They said to Him, "Yes, Lord." Then He touched their eyes, saying, "According to your faith let it be to you. **Matthew 9:27-29 NKJV**

And He has on His robe and on His thigh a name written: KING OF KINGS AND LORD OF LORDS. **Revelation 19:16 NKJV**

These will make war with the Lamb, and the Lamb will overcome them, for He is Lord of Lords and King of kings; and those who are with Him are called, chosen, and faithful. **Revelation 17:14 NKJV**

King of Kings not King of servants. To those who have accepted a relationship with Jesus' message and purpose, they are no longer servants.

Now I say, That the heir, as long as he is a child, differeth nothing from a servant, though he be Lord of all; but is under tutors and governors until the time appointed of the father. Even so we, when we were children, were in

bondage under the elements of the world: but when the fulness of the time was come, God sent forth his Son, made of a woman, made under the law, to redeem them that were under the law, that we might receive the adoption of sons. And because ye are sons, God hath sent forth the Spirit of his Son into your hearts, crying, Abba, Father. Wherefore thou art no more a servant, but a son; and if a son, then an heir of God through Christ. **Galatians 4:1-7 KJV**

No longer do I call you servants, for a servant does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you friends, for all things that I heard from My Father I have made known to you. **John 15:15 NKJV**

He answered and said to them, "Because it has been given to you to know the mysteries of the kingdom of heaven, but to them it has not been given. For whoever has, to him more will be given, and he will have abundance; but whoever does not have, even what he has will be taken away from him. **Matthew 13:11-12 NKJV**

If you follow what you understand in the natural, you will have what you see. If you can perceive the boundless potential in the spiritual, you will receive what you believe.

Love has been perfected among us in this: that we may have boldness in the day of judgment; because as He is, so are we in this world. **I John 4:17 NKJV**

And do not seek what you should eat or what you should drink, nor have an anxious mind. For all these things the nations of the world seek after, and your Father knows that you need these things. But seek the kingdom of God, and all these things shall be added to you. "Do not fear, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom. **Luke 12:29-32 NKJV**