The Parable of the Ten Virgins

Mat 25:1 Then shall the kingdom of heaven be likened unto ten virgins, which took their lamps, and went forth to meet the bridegroom.

- The Virgins are Christians (Those who do not follow any other god) The opposite of the whore of Babylon
- Lamp is a vessel that shines a light. A well-trimmed lamp lights the way in darkness.
- "Went forth to meet" refers to the second advent of Jesus Christ (Bridegroom)
 Just before Jesus returns there will be very dark times, with Antichrist here to tempt and deceive the whole world.

Mat 25:2 And five of them were wise, and five *were* foolish.

- Wise Five (Grace) studied chapter by chapter, verse by verse, worked, watched.
- Foolish Five were Christians who love Jesus, but never took the time to study the word of God and followed traditions of men.
- \circ $\;$ When I hear wise and foolish a proverb comes to mind.

Proverbs 1:7 The fear (*Reverence*) of the LORD *is* the beginning of knowledge: *but* fools despise wisdom and instruction.

All knowledge and wisdom comes from the LORD, and you get that wisdom and knowledge with the reverence of the LORD; fools refuse that wisdom and the instruction of the Holy Bible (The Data of the Facts).

Mat 25:3 They that *were* foolish took their lamps, and took no oil with them:

• The oil is elaion, olive oil – the oil of our people. The Oil is symbolic of Truth.

Mat 25:4 But the wise took oil in their vessels with their lamps.

 \circ The wise studied and gathered the truth for the dark times ahead. (2 Timothy 2:15)

Mat 25:5 While the bridegroom tarried, they all slumbered and slept.

 $\circ~$ As everyone waited on the return of Jesus Christ.

Mat 25:6 And at midnight there was a cry made, Behold, the bridegroom cometh; go ye out to meet him.

 $\circ~$ Note: The Fig Tree Generation is the last generation. Midnight is referring to the Hour of Temptation, being the 11th Hour.

Mat 25:7 Then all those virgins arose, and trimmed their lamps.

• Here we are in the dark times of that Hour of Temptation and all virgins/Christians trim their lamps and burn the oil, or rely on the truth that they learned, or taught.

Mat 25:8 And the foolish said unto the wise, Give us of your oil; for our lamps are gone out.

- When one doesn't have the truth of the 7 Seals of God (Revelation), and hasn't studied the Bible chapter by chapter for themselves, instead relying on man (Jeremiah 17:5), they find themselves in darkness w/o a reserve of truth.
- The Oil of our people is used to Anoint as God has instructed all to do. When you do so God protects:

Mat 1Ch 16:22 Touch not mine anointed, and do my prophets no harm.

Mat 25:9 But the wise answered, saying, *Not so;* lest there be not enough for us and you: but go ye rather to them that sell, and buy for yourselves.

- \circ In the last [final] hour it's too late to teach what takes years to learn and absorb.
- You cannot buy the word of God, although many will try to sell it. One cannot just go down to the local mini-mart and buy the understanding of God's word. Nor will you find the word of God by paying a false teacher who teaches his words/stories instead of the word of God, chapter by chapter and verse by verse.

Mat 25:10 And while they went to buy, the bridegroom came; and they that were ready went in with him to the marriage: and the door was shut.

- $_{\odot}$ $\,$ While the foolish tried to play catch-up, Jesus arrives at the 7 th Trumpet.
- Those [elect] who studied and watched were ready for His Triumphant return.
- \circ The Door shuts and thus the end of this Earth Age, we enter the Millennium.

Mat 25:11 Afterward came also the other virgins, saying, Lord, Lord, open to us.

- This references earlier in Matthew- NOTE: ALL are in Paradise in spiritual bodies.
- Mat 7:21 Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven.
 Mat 7:22 Many will say to me in that day, Lord, Lord, have we not prophesied in thy name? and in thy name have cast out devils? and in thy name done many wonderful works?

Mat 25:12 But he answered and said, Verily I say unto you, I know you not.

• He is speaking to those who didn't have enough truth, didn't follow Gods instructions and were ultimately deceived, following Satan in his role as Antichrist.

Mat 25:13 Watch therefore, for ye know neither the day nor the hour wherein the Son of man cometh.

This is the warning to all, Take heed. We are still in the flesh and we have God's word written to us, foretelling us all things that will come to pass. Tomorrow's Newspaper. Learn the 7 seals, vials and trumps and the chronological order of events that will lead to the end of the [flesh] age. Learn, know and be able to watch and see these events come to pass so that YOU will have the Seal of God, which is the opposite of the Mark of the Beast. What IS the Mark? Not knowing the aforementioned and believing that Satan is Jesus.



Mark 13:35 KJV Watch ye therefore: for ye know not when the master of the house cometh, at even, or at midnight, or at the cockcrowing, or in the morning:

Mark 13:36 KJV Lest coming suddenly he find you sleeping.

Mark 13:37 KJV And what I say unto you I say unto all, Watch.

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