

Matthew Series

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MATTHEW

JESUS: KING OF THE JEWS

Treasure in Heaven

Matthew 19:16–26

THREE STAGES OF SALVATION

**PHASE
ONE**

Justification

**Saved from
Penalty of Sin**

“you were saved”

**PHASE
Two**

**Spiritual
Life**

**Saved from
Power of Sin**

“you are being saved”

**PHASE
THREE**

Glorification

**Saved from
Presence of Sin**

**“you will be
saved”**



Rom. 4:3, “For what does the Scripture say? ‘*Abraham believed God, and it was accounted to him for righteousness.*’

[Gen. 15:6]

Rom. 4:4, “Now to him who works, the wages are not counted as grace but as debt.

Rom. 4:5, “But to him who does not work but believes on Him who justifies the ungodly, his faith is accounted for righteousness,”

Acts 16:31, “So they said, ‘Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and you will be saved, you and your household.’ ”

Gal. 2:16, “knowing that a man is not justified by the works of the law BUT by faith in Jesus Christ, even we have believed in Christ Jesus, that we might be justified by faith in Christ and not by the works of the law; for by the works of the law no flesh shall be justified.”

Titus 3:5, “not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to His mercy He saved us, through the washing of regeneration and renewing of the Holy Spirit,”

Eph. 2:8, “For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God,

Eph. 2:9, “not of works, lest anyone should boast.”

Key Phrases to Pay Attention to:

“such is the kingdom of heaven” 19:14

“I may have eternal life” 19:16

“enter into life” 19:17

“if you want to be perfect [complete, mature]” 19:21

“you will have treasure in heaven” 19:21

“to enter the kingdom of heaven” 19:23, 24

“who can be saved?” 19:25

“inherit eternal life” 19:26

“keep the commandments” 19:17

“sell what you have and give to the poor” 19:21

“come to me” 19:14

“come follow me” 19:21

“we have left all and followed you” 19:27

“you who have followed Me” 19:28

Parallel phrases

have (obtain) eternal life, Matt. 19:16

inherit eternal life, Mark 10:17; Luke 18:18

have treasure in heaven, Matt. 19:21; Mark 10:21; Luke 18:22

be perfect, Matt. 19:21

and take up your cross, Mark 10:21

enter the kingdom of heaven (God), Matt. 19:23, 24; Mark 10:23–25

be saved, Matt 19:25; Mark 10:26

“Follow Me” used 6× in Matthew

Matt. 4:19, “Then He said to them, ‘Follow Me, and I will make you fishers of men.’ ”

Matt. 8:22 , “But Jesus said to him, ‘Follow Me, and let the dead bury their own dead.’ ”

Matt. 9:9, “As Jesus passed on from there, He saw a man named Matthew sitting at the tax office. And He said to him, ‘Follow Me.’ So he arose and followed Him.”

Matt. 10:38, “And he who does not take his cross and follow after Me is not worthy of Me.”

Matt. 16:24, “Then Jesus said to His disciples, ‘If anyone desires to come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow Me.’ ”

Matt 19:21

**“What shall I do to obtain eternal life?”
(Matthew 19:16)**

**ἔχω *echō* aor act subj 1 sing “to have,
hold, obtain, possess”**

**“What shall I do to inherit eternal life?”
(Mark 10:17; Luke 18:18)**

**κληρονομέω *klēronomeō* aor act subj 1 sing
“to inherit”**

Col. 3:24, “knowing that from the Lord you will receive the reward of the inheritance; for you serve the Lord Christ.”

Ezek. 20:11, “And I gave them My statutes and showed them My judgments, ‘which, if a man does, he shall live by them.’ ”

Deut. 4:1, “Now, O Israel, listen to the statutes and the judgments which I teach you to observe, that you may live, and go in and possess the land which the LORD God of your fathers is giving you.”

Deut. 4:40, “You shall therefore keep His statutes and His commandments which I command you today, that it may go well with you and with your children after you, and that you may prolong your days in the land which the LORD your God is giving you for all time.”

Deut. 5:33, “You shall walk in all the ways which the LORD your God has commanded you, that you may live and that it may be well with you, and that you may prolong your days in the land which you shall possess.”

Lev. 18:5, “So you shall keep My statutes and My judgments, by which a man may live if he does them; I am the LORD.”

[NASB]

Matt. 19:16, “Now behold, one came and said to Him, ‘*Good Teacher*, what good thing shall I do that I may have eternal life?’ ” [NKJV]

Matt. 19:16, “And someone came to Him and said, ‘Teacher, what good thing shall I do that I may obtain eternal life?’ ” [NASB]

Matt. 19:17, “So He said to him, ‘Why do you call Me good? No one is good but One, that is, God. But if you want to enter into life, keep the commandments.’ ”

Matt. 19:18, “He said to Him, ‘Which ones?’
Jesus said, ‘*You shall not murder,*’ ‘*You shall not commit adultery,*’ ‘*You shall not steal,*’ ‘*You shall not bear false witness,*’

Matt. 19:19, “ ‘*Honor your father and your mother,*’ and, ‘*You shall love your neighbor as yourself.*’ ”

**Matt. 19:20, “The young man said to Him,
‘All these things I have kept from my
youth. What do I still lack?’ ”**

**Matt. 19:21, “Jesus said to him, ‘If you
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**τέλειος *teleios* nom
masc sing
complete, mature,
whole**

- a. The kingdom belongs to the children (Matt. 19:14)**
- b. receiving a kingdom (Lk. 18:17); inherit eternal life (Matt. 19:16; Mk. 10:17)**
- c. how to inherit eternal life and obtain treasure in heaven (Matt. 19:17–29; Mk. 10:18–29)**
- b.' ruling in the kingdom (Matt. 19:28); eternal life (Matt. 9:29; Mk. 10:20)**
- a.' last will be first (Matt. 19:30; Mk. 10:31)**

Matt. 6:19, “Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy and where thieves break in and steal;

Matt. 6:20, “but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal.

Matt. 6:21, “For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.”

Matt. 19:23, “Then Jesus said to His disciples, ‘Assuredly, I say to you that it is hard for a rich man to enter the kingdom of heaven.

Matt. 19:24, “ ‘And again I say to you, it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God.’ ”



Matt. 19:25, “When His disciples heard it, they were greatly astonished, saying, ‘Who then can be saved?’ ”

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