THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO MATTHEW

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30-40 YEARS OF ORAL TRADITION

MATTHEW

EARLIEST TRADITION — Matthew — SEE 9:9 & 10:3

1. MESSIAH FROM THE LINE OF DAVID

2. NEW MOSES

3. GOD -WITH- US

Things to look for

#1 LOOK UP OLD TESTAMENT QUOTATIONS (THERE ARE A LOT)

#2 LOOK CLOSELY AT THE PEOPLE WHO ACCEPT JESUS

IRRELIGIOUS & UNIMPORTANT + FAITH = TRANSFORMATION

NEW MOSES

MOSES	JESUS
• OUT OF EGYPT	• OUT OF EGYPT
• CROSS THE RED SEA	• BAPTISM IN THE JORDAN RIVER
• WILDERNESS FOR 40 YEARS	• WILDERNESS FOR 40 DAYS
• RECEIVES LAW FROM MOUNTAIN	• GIVES LAW FROM MOUNTAIN

JESUS > MOSES

- DELIVER FROM SLAVERY
- GIVE NEW DIVINE TEACHING
- SAVE FROM SIN
- INITIATE A NEW COVENANT

1-3 CONNECT JESUS TO OLD TESTAMENT

ABRAHAM .... DAVID .... JESUS

FULFILL OLD TESTAMENT PROPHETIC PROMISES

BETHLEHEM — MICAH CH 5

VIRGIN BIRTH — ISAIAH CH 7

ISAIAH CH 60

Immanuel = GOD WITH US

4-7

ANNOUNCE GOD'S KINGDOM

SERMON ON THE MOUNT (CH 5-7)

GOD'S RESCUE OPERATION FOR THE WORLD

EVIL

- CONFRONT EVIL
- RESTORE GOD'S REIGN
- CREATE A NEW FAMILY

HOW TO LIVE IN GOD'S KINGDOM

UPSIDE DOWN KINGDOM | FULFILL THE TORAH | TRANSFORM → HEARTS TO LOVE

8-10

JESUS BRINGS KINGDOM INTO PEOPLE'S LIVES

LEPER | CENTURION'S SERVANT | SICK MOTHER

FOLLOW ME!

STORMY SEAS | DEMONIZED MEN | PARALYZED MAN

FOLLOW ME!

DEAD GIRL & SICK WOMAN | TWO BLIND MEN | MUTE MAN

SENDING THE 12 (CH 10)

EXPECT ACCEPTANCE AND REJECTION

11-13

RESPONSES TO JESUS

PARABLES ABOUT THE KINGDOM (CH 13)

PARABLES ARE COMMENTARY

POSITIVE: PEOPLE — JESUS IS THE MESSIAH!

NEUTRAL: JOHN THE BAPTIST — IS HE THE MESSIAH..?

NEGATIVE: PHARISEES — HE IS NOT THE MESSIAH!

14-20

DIFFERENT EXPECTATIONS ABOUT THE MESSIAH

THE UPSIDE DOWN KINGDOM (CH 18 & 19-20)

- HONOR BY SERVING
- REVENGE VS FORGIVE
- GAIN TRUE WEALTH BY GIVING IT AWAY

JEWISH — NON-JEWISH — HE'S THE MESSIAH!

JESUS — WHO DO YOU SAY THAT I AM? — YOU'RE THE MESSIAH!

PETER & DISCIPLES

PHARISEES

SUFFERING SERVANT ISAIAH CH 53

VS

PSALM 2 & DANIEL 2

VICTORIOUS! DEFEATS PAGANS!

21-25

CLASH OF KINGDOMS

CRITIQUE OF PHARISEES (CH 23-25): YOU HYPOCRITES!

NEW JERUSALEM

- ASSERTING AUTHORITY
- SAW TEMPLE AS COMPROMISED BECAUSE OF HYPOCRISY
- OFFENDED
- DECIDE TO KILL JESUS

26-28

PASSOVER MEAL = RETELLS THE STORY OF...
- RESCUE FROM SLAVERY
- DEATH OF PASSOVER LAMB

NEW MEANING = RESCUE FROM...
- EVIL & SIN
- DEATH OF JESUS

YOU'RE NOT THE MESSIAH!

YOU HAVE BLASPHEMED GOD!

SANHEDRIN (JEWISH LEADERS)

PILATE

HE'S INNOCENT BUT...

LET HIM BE CRUCIFIED!

NOT A FAILURE

FULFILLED OLD TESTAMENT PROPHETIC PROMISES

SUFFERING SERVANT ISAIAH CH 53

INSTEAD OF JUDGING THEM HE IS JUDGED ON THEIR BEHALF

GREAT COMMISSION

JESUS IS KING OF THE WORLD	TELL ALL NATIONS THE GOOD NEWS	ALL PEOPLE CAN JOIN THE KINGDOM
BE BAPTIZED	FOLLOW JESUS' TEACHINGS	I WILL BE WITH YOU -Immanuel-

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BOOKS OF MOSES (TORAH)

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