The Seven Distinct Kingdom of Heaven Parables And The Seven Churches in Revelation (Matthew 13 & Revelation 2 & 3)

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No	The Seven Parables (Matt.13)	The Seven Churches (Rev.2 & 3)
1	The Sower & the Seed – The Word of	The Church at Ephesus (Rev 2:1-7) –
	the Beginning of the Kingdom of	Apostolic Church (AD 30 -130) – Book
	Heaven (Matt.13:3-8, 18-23)	of Acts (AD.30) to death of John the
		Apostle – Church Left "First-Love."
		(Rev.2:4)
2	The Wheat & the Tares – The	The Church at Smyrna (Rev 2:8-11) –
	Mixture in the Kingdom of Heaven	the Persecuted Church (A.D. 130-313),
	(Matt.13:24-30, 36b-43)	under the Roman Emperors - Ten
		Persecutions.
3	The Mustard Seed – The External	The Church at Pergamos (Rev 2:12-17)
	Growth of the Kingdom of Heaven	- <i>the State Church</i> (AD 313-590).
	(Matt.3:31-32)	Constantine decreed that Christianity to
		be Religion of Roman Empire (AD.313).
		– He is Head of the Church.
4	The Woman & the Leaven – Internal	The Church at Thyatira (Rev 2:18-29) –
	Corruption of the Kingdom of	the Roman Church (AD $590-1517$) =
	Heaven (Matt.13:33)	abt. 1,000 Years of Dark Age
5	The Treasure in the Field – <u>The</u>	The Church at Sardis (Rev 3:1-6)-
	Priceless Value in the Kingdom of	<u>Reformed Church</u> (AD 1517-1750) –
	Heaven (Matt.13:44)	Martin Luther, John & Patrick Wesley,
		etc. (Lutheran Church, Baptist Church,
		etc).
6	The Pearl of Great Price – <u>The Cost</u>	The Church at Philadelphia (Rev. 3:7-
	of the Kingdom of Heaven	13) – Greatest Revivals & Greatest
	(Matt.13:45-46)	Awakening and Greatest Missionary
		Movements – It <u>consummates</u> in End-
		times Harvest and ingathering of Souls
		(AD 1750-1850).
7	The Dragnet & Fish – <u>Final</u>	The Church at Laodicea (Rev.3:14-22) –
	Separation at the time of the Great	Worldly Church (AD 1900 to AD??) –
	Tribulation (Matt.13:47-50) – <u>The</u>	The Final Separation:
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	Good Fishes (Mott 13:49h)	➤ Bride of Christ (Rev.19:1-9; 22:17)
	Good Fishes (Matt.13:48b)	
	Bad Fishes (Matt.13:48c).	➤ The Harlot Church (Rev.17 & 18)

The Kingdom of Heaven Parables (Matthew 13) The Foundation of the Parables Parable (1) The Sower (The Word of the Kingdom) Parable (2) The Wheat & Tares Parable (7) The Dragnet & Fishes (Matt.13:3-8, 18-23) (Mixture of the Kingdom) (Separation of the Kingdom) THE KEY (Mk.4:13) (Matt.13:24-30, 36-43) (Matt.13:47-50) Parable (3) The Mustard Seed Parable (4) The Woman & Leaven (External Growth of the Kingdom) (Internal Corruption of the Kingdom) (Matt.13:31-32) (Matt.13:33) Parable (5) The Hidden Treasure in Parable (6) The Pearl of Great Price the Field (The Priceless Value of the Kingdom) (Cost of the Kingdom) (Matt.13:44) (Matt.13:45-46) Golden Lampstand of Matthew 13

Parable (8) - THE APPLICATION: (Matt.13:52)