



The Gospel of Matthew: *The Messiah of Israel* Chapters 14-15

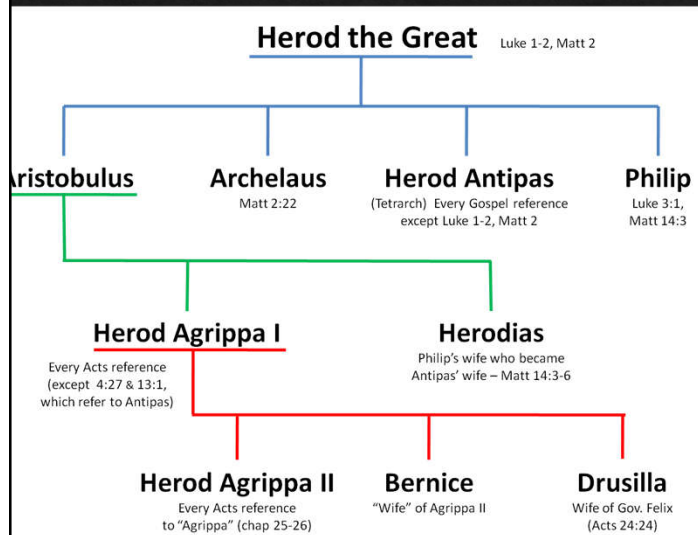
**Presentation of the Kingdom of God
The Rejection of the Kingdom of God**

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Herod and John the Baptist



- ◇ Mat 14:1-5
- ◇ (1) At that time **Herod the tetrarch** heard about the fame of Jesus,
- ◇ (2) and he said to his servants, "This is John the Baptist. He has been raised from the dead; that is why these miraculous powers are at work in him."
- ◇ (3) For Herod had seized John and bound him and put him in prison for the sake of Herodias, his brother Philip's wife,
- ◇ (4) because John had been saying to him, "It is not lawful for you to have her."
- ◇ (5) And though he wanted to put him to death, he feared the people, because they held him to be a prophet.

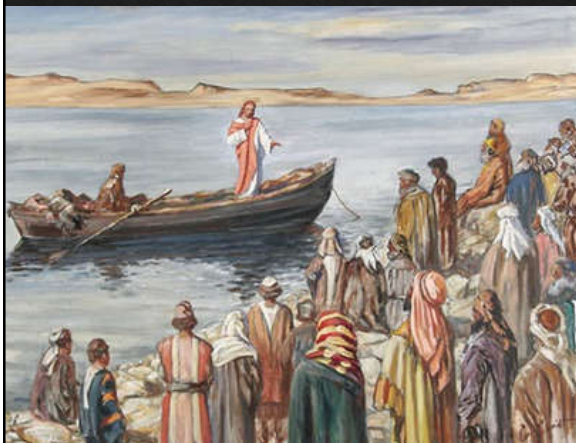
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- ◇ Mat 14:6-11
- ◇ (6) But when Herod's birthday came, the daughter of Herodias danced before the company and pleased Herod,
- ◇ (7) so that he promised with an oath to give her whatever she might ask.
- ◇ (8) Prompted by her mother, she said, "Give me the head of John the Baptist here on a platter."
- ◇ (9) And the king was sorry, but because of his oaths and his guests he commanded it to be given.
- ◇ (10) He sent and had John beheaded in the prison,
- ◇ (11) and his head was brought on a platter and given to the girl, and she brought it to her mother.

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Jesus Feeds 5000



- ◇ Mat 14:12-16
- ◇ (12) And his disciples came and took the body and buried it, and they went and told Jesus.
- ◇ (13) Now when Jesus heard this, he withdrew from there in a boat to a desolate place by himself. But **when the crowds heard it, they followed him on foot from the towns.**
- ◇ (14) When he went ashore he saw a great crowd, and he had compassion on them and healed their sick.
- ◇ (15) Now when it was evening, the disciples came to him and said, "This is a desolate place, and the day is now over; send the crowds away to go into the villages and buy food for themselves."
- ◇ (16) But Jesus said, "They need not go away; you give them something to eat."

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- ◇ Mat 14:17-21
- ◇ (17) They said to him, "We have only five loaves here and two fish."
- ◇ (18) And he said, "Bring them here to me."
- ◇ (19) Then he ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass, and taking the five loaves and the two fish, he looked up to heaven and said a blessing. Then he broke the loaves and gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the crowds.
- ◇ (20) And they all ate and were satisfied. And they took up twelve baskets full of the broken pieces left over.
- ◇ (21) And those who ate were about **five thousand men**, besides women and children.

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Jesus walks on Water



◇ Mat 14:22-27

- ◇ (22) Immediately he made the disciples get into the boat and go before him to the other side, while he dismissed the crowds.
- ◇ (23) And after he had dismissed the crowds, he went up on the **mountain by himself to pray**. When evening came, he was there alone,
- ◇ (24) but the boat by this time was a long way from the land, beaten by the waves, for the wind was against them.
- ◇ (25) And in **the fourth watch of the night** he came to them, walking on the sea.
- ◇ (26) But when the disciples saw him walking on the sea, they were terrified, and said, "It is a ghost!" and they cried out in fear.
- ◇ (27) But immediately Jesus spoke to them, saying, "Take heart; it is I. Do not be afraid."

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◇ Mat 14:28-33

- ◇ (28) And Peter answered him, "Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water."
- ◇ (29) He said, "Come." So **Peter got out of the boat and walked** on the water and came to Jesus.
- ◇ (30) But when he saw the wind, he was afraid, and beginning to sink he cried out, "Lord, save me."
- ◇ (31) Jesus immediately reached out his hand and took hold of him, saying to him, "**O you of little faith, why did you doubt?**"
- ◇ (32) And when they got into the boat, the wind ceased.
- ◇ (33) And those in the boat worshiped him, saying, "Truly you are the Son of God."

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Jesus to Gennesaret



◇ Mat 14:34-36

◇ (34) And when they had crossed over, they came to land at Gennesaret.

◇ (35) And when the men of that place recognized him, they sent around to all that region and brought to him all who were sick

◇ (36) and implored him **that they might only touch the fringe of his garment. And as many as touched it were made well.**

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The Tradition of the Elders ◇ Mat 15:1-5



◇ (1) Then Pharisees and scribes came to Jesus from Jerusalem and said,

◇ (2) "Why do your disciples **break the tradition of the elders? For they do not wash their hands when they eat.**"

◇ (3) He answered them, "And why do you break the commandment of God for the sake of your tradition?"

◇ (4) For God commanded, '**Honor your father and your mother,**' and, '**Whoever reviles father or mother must surely die.**'

◇ (5) But you say, 'If anyone tells his father or his mother, "What you would have gained from me is given to God,"



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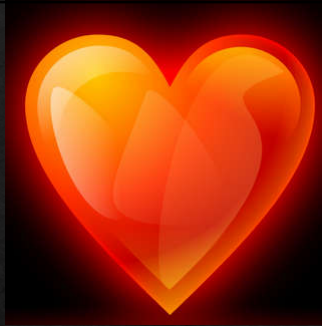
- ◇ Mat 15:6-11
- ◇ (6) he need not honor his father.' **So for the sake of your tradition you have made void the word of God.**
- ◇ (7) You hypocrites! Well did Isaiah prophesy of you, when he said:
- ◇ (8) "'This people **honors me with their lips, but their heart is far from me;**
- ◇ (9) in vain do they worship me, teaching as doctrines the commandments of men.'
- ◇ (10) And he called the people to him and said to them, "Hear and understand:
- ◇ (11) it is not what goes into the mouth that defiles a person, but **what comes out of the mouth; this defiles a person."**

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- ◇ Mat 15:12-17
- ◇ (12) Then the disciples came and said to him, "Do you know that the Pharisees were offended when they heard this saying?"
- ◇ (13) He answered, "Every plant that my heavenly Father has not planted will be rooted up.
- ◇ (14) Let them alone; they are blind guides. And if **the blind lead the blind, both will fall into a pit."**
- ◇ (15) But Peter said to him, "Explain the parable to us."
- ◇ (16) And he said, "Are you also still without understanding?
- ◇ (17) Do you not see that whatever goes into the mouth passes into the stomach and is expelled?"

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Woman of Tyre Daughter healed



- ◇ Mat 15:18-22
- ◇ (18) **But what comes out of the mouth proceeds from the heart**, and this defiles a person.
- ◇ (19) For out of the heart come evil thoughts, murder, adultery, sexual immorality, theft, false witness, slander.
- ◇ (20) These are what defile a person. But to eat with unwashed hands does not defile anyone."
- ◇ (21) And Jesus went away from there and withdrew to the district of Tyre and Sidon.
- ◇ (22) And behold, **a Canaanite woman from that region** came out and was crying, "Have mercy on me, O Lord, **Son of David**; my daughter is severely oppressed by a demon."

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- ◇ Mat 15:23-27
- ◇ (23) But **he did not answer her a word**. **And his disciples came and begged him**, saying, "Send her away, for she is crying out after us."
- ◇ (24) He answered, "I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel."
- ◇ (25) But she came and knelt before him, saying, "Lord, help me."
- ◇ (26) And he answered, "It is not right to take the children's bread and throw it to the dogs."
- ◇ (27) She said, "Yes, Lord, yet even the dogs eat the crumbs that fall from their masters' table."

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Jesus feeds 4000



- ◇ Mat 15:28-31
- ◇ (28) Then Jesus answered **her**, "**O woman, great is your faith! Be it done for you as you desire.**" **And her daughter was healed instantly.**
- ◇ (29) Jesus went on from there and walked beside the Sea of Galilee. And he went up on the mountain and sat down there.
- ◇ (30) And **great crowds** came to him, bringing with them the lame, the blind, the crippled, the mute, and many others, and **they put them at his feet, and he healed them,**
- ◇ (31) so that the crowd wondered, when they saw the mute speaking, the crippled healthy, the lame walking, and the blind seeing. **And they glorified the God of Israel.**

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- ◇ Mat 15:32-36
- ◇ (32) Then Jesus called his disciples to him and said, "**I have compassion on the crowd because they have been with me now three days and have nothing to eat.** And I am unwilling to send them away hungry, lest they faint on the way."
- ◇ (33) And the disciples said to him, "Where are we to get enough bread in such a desolate place to feed so great a crowd?"
- ◇ (34) And Jesus said to them, "How many loaves do you have?" They said, "**Seven, and a few small fish.**"
- ◇ (35) And directing the crowd to sit down on the ground,
- ◇ (36) he took the seven loaves and the fish, and having given thanks he broke them and gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the crowds.

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◇ Mat 15:37-39

◇ (37) And they all ate and were satisfied. And they took up **seven baskets full of the broken pieces left over.**



◇ (38) Those who ate **were four thousand men**, besides women and children.

◇ (39) And after sending away the crowds, he got into the boat and went to the region of Magadan.