



The Organic Gospel

Discover how God's plan of salvation is about growing the nature of Christ organically *within* you.

Chapter 3 – Seed Amongst Thorns (Part 2 - Pages 45-59)

Anchor Text – Matthew 13:1-43; Matthew 15:1-9

Guiding Questions

The Law

- Why did God give the law?
- 1 Corinthians 15:56 says that the law actually strengthens sin. Why does the law amplify the sin nature within us?
- What purpose does the conscience serve?
 - Why is the law insufficient to cleanse our conscience?
- What does it mean to enter into the Sabbath rest of Jesus Christ?

Fear

- 1 Timothy 1:7 declares that God has not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind.
 - The presence of fear is evidence that we have shifted our focus away from God. Where has our focus shifted?
- Why is fear a sin?
- What is the relationship between fear and rejection?
- How do we get victory over fear?



The Seventeen Works of the Flesh

- How do we confront and mortify the works of the flesh?
- Why is it critical that we mortify the flesh?
- What are the mechanics of the sanctification process?

Ahab and Jezebel

- How did Adam and Eve experience role reversal during the fall into sin?
- Church leadership is patriarchal. Why is our acceptance of this essential to our relationship with God?
- How does matriarchy skew the image the God?
- Why did God give precise qualifications for church leadership?

Call to Action

List one to two specific Calls to Action from this chapter that resonate with you.

- Call to Action 1:
- Call to Action 2:

Personal Prayer

Chapter 3 provides several examples of weeds and defiled fruit that can hinder the growth of Christ within us. Pray and ask the Lord to help you recognize where there are weeds or mixed seed sown in your heart. Pray for these things to be uprooted as the flesh is crucified. Ask God to help you engage in the process of sanctification unto holiness so that Jesus Christ can grow and manifest in and through you without hindrance.

