



Parables

MYSTERIES OF THE KINGDOM

Parable of the Talents
MATTHEW 25:14-30

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chair racks

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Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit who is in you, whom you have from God, and that you are not your own?

For you have been bought with a price: therefore glorify God in your body.

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2 Corinthians 5:9-10

Therefore we also have as our ambition, whether at home or absent, to be pleasing to Him.

For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each one may be recompensed for his deeds in the body, according to what he has done, whether good or bad.



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The faithless lose what they had and their
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RESPONSE TIME

Prayer

There are people available to pray with at our prayer booth in the back.

Communion

We have elements at the stations for you to receive communion as you remember Christ's death.

Giving

You may bring your gift of offering before the Lord to the stations.

Mercy challenge

Pick up a card and take on the Mercy Challenge