

# Sermon Notes

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## *A sermon revealing Jesus' plan for growing the Kingdom of God*

**Matt 6:10** - Your kingdom come. Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

**Matt 6:33** But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you.

**The Kingdom of God gives us:** Assurance of Salvation through Jesus Christ! Promises Eternal Life. God's Radical plan to save lives RIGHT NOW!

**What is "the good news"?** The Kingdom of God is accessible to you right now! The Kingdom of God is NEAR!

**What the Gospel IS:** The life and the teachings of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**Gospel MEANS:** GOOD NEWS!

**Mark 1:14-15** After John was put into prison, Jesus went into Galilee proclaiming the good news of God. "The time has come." He said. "The Kingdom of God is near. Repent and believe the good news.

**Luke 4:43** But he said, "I must proclaim the good news of the kingdom of God to the other towns also, because that is why I was sent."

**The Kingdom of God is all about:** God's will being done HIS way, among His people.

**Gods will is accomplished in Heaven** through peace and harmony among HIS children.

**Romans 14-17** For the kingdom of God is not a matter of eating and drinking, but of righteousness, peace and joy in the Holy Spirit.

**The Gospel is all about:** Learning a new way to live, God's way!

Heaven breaks into our lives HERE and NOW as a **result of living in God' kingdom.**

**Should we wait for Death for His benefits? NO WAY!** First, His grace works into us the assurance of life in Heaven; the same grace assuredly works us into the life of Heaven, day by day

**A Couple of Misunderstandings:** The Kingdom of God is not Heaven! The Kingdom of God is not the church!

**Where is the Kingdom of God?** Wherever people relate rightly to God, wherever there is the Peace of God, wherever there is the Joy of Salvation.

**We can FIND The Kingdom of God** Wherever Jesus, the King, has dominion in the hearts, and minds, and lives of his followers.