



There's a Difference in Listening (Hearing) Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23

Matthew 19:3–9

³And he told them many things in parables, saying: "A sower went out to sow. ⁴And as he sowed, some seeds fell along the path, and the birds came and devoured them. ⁵Other seeds fell on rocky ground, where they did not have much soil, and immediately they sprang up, since they had no depth of soil, but when the sun rose they were scorched.

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And since they had no root, they withered away. ⁷Other seeds fell among thorns, and the thorns grew up and choked them. 8Other seeds fell on good soil and produced grain, some a hundredfold, some sixty, some thirty. ⁹He who has ears, let him hear."

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Listen to the Lord for hearing and understanding.

Accept God's predetermined designs for this life.

Change (when necessary) our opinions, beliefs, viewpoints, likes & dislikes to align with God's.