

The Kingdom of Heaven

Find the 39 **bold** words from Matthew 13:44-51 (ESV)

G O T S E P A R A T E C L J H
R N N S D V F G N D O D R Y T
A J A E L I Y E N V Y N A A E
N P H S S L D A E I Z E E W E
E A C H H D E R S U P R P A T
V N R D I I E S N O G E M A B
A G E H U D N D W T R Y E D K
E E M H F S E G I X H T E W I
H L R I Y R D N U O F R E K N
Q S E U S E A R C H E J E D G
V L B T S U O E T H G I R W D
D S O L D A D N T V A L U E O
Q O I J O Y E A Y R E I F A M
D V A E S T G R B E A G E L D
E C A N R U F L T D O O G L H

The **kingdom** of **heaven** is like **treasure hidden** in a **field**, which a man **found** and **covered** up. Then in his **joy** he goes and **sells** all that he has and **buys** that field. Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a **merchant** in **search** of fine pearls, who, on finding **one pearl** of **great value**, went and **sold all** that he had and bought it. Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a **net** that was thrown into the **sea** and **gathered fish** of every kind. When it was full, men drew it ashore and sat down and **sorted** the **good** into containers but **threw away** the **bad**. So it will be at the **end** of the **age**. The **angels** will come out and **separate** the **evil** from the **righteous** and throw them into the **fiery furnace**. In that place there will be **weeping** and **gnashing** of **teeth**. Have you **understood** all these things?

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Today's Gospel Lesson

Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

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Heaven is such a wonderful place!
Jesus said it's like a treasure hidden in a field.

Children's Worship Pages

Jesus told stories that showed the great value of heaven.
In one story, he said this:

*"The kingdom of heaven is like a merchant
in search of fine pearls, who, on finding one pearl
of great value, went and sold all that he had and bought it."
(Matthew 13:45-46)*

Color this picture. Then, find and circle all the hidden pearls!



A "COVENANT" is a promise.
God has made a special covenant with us!

Answer the questions to solve the crossword puzzle.
Then, match the numbers and write the correct letters
on the lines at the bottom of the page.

ACROSS

- 2) The man who led the Israelites out of slavery in Egypt.
- 7) The first person God created.
- 17) Someone who wears a crown.
- 24) Town where Jesus was born.

DOWN

- 1) God's dwelling place.
- 10) Jesus' mother.
- 11) Father, Son, and Holy _____.

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27 18 6

14 16 3 2 18 6 5 6