

First Reformed Presbyterian Church of Cambridge, Massachusetts
The Lord's Day February 15, 2004 Anno Domini

Matthew 13:44-46
True Treasure

The greatest treasure in life is not something you can earn, it is something that God leads you to find: it is the kingdom of heaven.

- I. Nothing is more valuable than the kingdom of heaven.
 - A. The treasure, the pearl.
Colossians 2:2-3; Song 1:13, 14; 2:16; Matt 12:18; Rev 21:21; Ps 96:6; Ps 50:2.
 - B. What IS the kingdom of heaven?
 - C. Is there something you should give up for the kingdom of heaven?
1Chron 29:10-11; Col 1:13, 14; Ps 145:13; Heb 1:8; Heb 12:28.

- II. God designs individual paths that lead to his kingdom.
 - A. How did you get here today?
Isaiah 65:1; Matt 9:9; Acts 9:4; Jer 29:13.
 - B. Jesus puts a choice before you today.
Matt 7:6; Heb 11:25; Acts 7:55.
Rev 21:21; Heb 12:2; Rev 1:9; Ps 90:17.