



Kingdom of God

Mark 1: 14-15

Mark 8:31

And He began to teach them that the Son of Man must suffer many things, and be rejected by the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and after three days rise again.
32 He spoke this word openly. Then Peter took Him aside and began to rebuke Him.

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Judges 21: 25

In those days Israel **had no king**; everyone did
as they saw fit.

1 Samuel 8: 4-22

⁴ So all the elders of Israel gathered together and came to Samuel at Ramah.

⁵ They said to him, “You are old ... now appoint a king to lead us, such as all the other nations have.”

1 Samuel 8: 4-22

⁶ But when they said, “Give us a king to lead us,” this displeased Samuel; so he prayed to the LORD.

⁷ And the LORD told him: “Listen to all that the people are saying to you; *it is not you they have rejected, but they have rejected me as their king.*”

1 Samuel 8: 4-22

⁸ As they have done from the day I brought them up out of Egypt until this day, forsaking me and serving other gods, so they are doing to you.

⁹ Now listen to them; but warn them solemnly and let them know what the king who will reign over them will do.”

1 Samuel 8: 4-22

¹⁰ Samuel told all the words of the LORD to the people who were asking him for a king.

¹¹ He said, "This is what the king who will reign over you will do: He will take your sons and make them serve with his chariots and horses, and they will run in front of his chariots.

1 Samuel 8: 4-22

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¹³ He will take your daughters to be perfumers and cooks and bakers.

1 Samuel 8: 4-22

¹⁴ He will take the best of your fields and vineyards and olive groves and give them to his attendants.

¹⁵ He will take a tenth of your grain ... give it to his officials and attendants.

1 Samuel 8: 4-22

... the best of *your* cattle and donkeys he will take for his own use.

¹⁷ He will take a tenth of *your* flocks, and *you* yourselves will become his slaves.

1 Samuel 8: 4-22

¹⁸ When that day comes, you will cry out for relief from the king you have ...

¹⁹ But the people refused to listen to Samuel.

“No!” they said. “We want a king over us.

²⁰ Then we will be like all the other nations, with a king to lead us and to go out before us and fight our battles.”

1 Samuel 8: 4-22

²¹ When Samuel heard all that the people said, he repeated it before the LORD.

²² The LORD answered, “Listen to them and give them a king.” Then Samuel said to the men of Israel, “Everyone go back to his town.”

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Matthew 20: 16

“So the last will be first, and the first will be last.”

Mark 12: 31

The second is this: 'Love your neighbor as yourself.' There is no commandment greater than these."

Matthew 7: 12

So in everything, do to others what you would have them do to you, for this sums up the Law and the Prophets.

Exodus 20: 12

Honor your father and your mother, so that
you may live long in the land the LORD your
God is giving you.

Romans 12: 21

Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil
with good.

Matthew 25: 35-36

³⁵ For I was hungry and you gave me
something to eat, I was thirsty and you
gave me something to drink,
I was a stranger and you invited me in,
³⁶ I was naked and you clothed me,
I was sick and you looked after me,
I was in prison and you came to visit me.

Matthew 5: 44

But I tell you, *love your enemies* and pray for
those who persecute you,

Colossians 3: 13

Bear with each other and forgive whatever
grievances you may have against one
another. *Forgive as the Lord forgave you.*

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be thy name.

Thy Kingdom come,
Thy will be done on Earth
as it is in Heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

Forgive us our debts,
as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forevermore. Amen, Amen.

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