

Study Notes and Questions for Matthew Chapter 25

- Why are chapters 24 and 25 called “The Olivet Discourse”?
- Why is it helpful to understand ancient Jewish marriage traditions when reading the Parable of the Ten Virgins? (v1-13)
- What is the main message of the Parable of the Ten Virgins?
- Jesus told several parables about readiness and watchfulness. What does that repetition tell you?
- Describe the Parable of the Talents in your own words.
- What is the main message being communicated with this parable and why is it important?
- What can a believer do to see that they reach the goal of being faithful with all the Lord has given?
- What do verses 31-46 describe and what is the overall theme?
- Who are the people being gathered before the Lord to be judged?
- Why do you think Jesus felt it necessary to share this information?
- How should these verses motivate us today?