

“The Pediatric Path to the Kingdom -
Just a Reminder”

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Matt. 19:13 ¶ Then little children were being brought to him in order that he might lay his hands on them and pray. The disciples spoke sternly to those who brought them;




Matt. 19:14 but Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me, and do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the kingdom of heaven belongs."



Matt. 18:1 ¶ At that time the disciples came to Jesus and asked, “Who is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven?”

Matt. 18:2 He called a child, whom he put among them,



Matt. 18:3 and said, "Truly I tell you, unless you change and become like children, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven. 

Matt. 18:4 Whoever becomes humble like this child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven.

Matt. 19:13 ¶ Then little children were being brought to him in order that he might lay his hands on them and pray. The disciples spoke sternly to those who brought them;



Matt. 18:5 Whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me.

Matt. 18:6 ¶ “If any of you put a stumbling block before one of these little ones who believe in me, it would be better for you if a great millstone were fastened around your neck and you were drowned in the depth of the sea.



Matt. 18:7 Woe to the world because of
stumbling blocks! Occasions for stumbling
are bound to come, but woe to the one by
whom the stumbling block comes!



Matt. 23:13 ¶ "But woe to you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! For you lock people out of the kingdom of heaven. For you do not go in yourselves, and when others are going in, you stop them.



Rom. 9:30 ¶ What then are we to say? Gentiles, who did not strive for righteousness, have attained it, that is, righteousness through faith;

Rom. 9:31 but Israel, who did strive for the righteousness that is based on the law, did not succeed in fulfilling that law.



Rom. 9:32 Why not? Because they did not strive for it on the basis of faith, but as if it were based on works. They have stumbled over the stumbling stone,

Rom. 9:33 as it is written,

“See, I am laying in Zion a stone that will make people stumble, a rock that will make them fall,
and whoever believes in him will not be put to shame.”



Gal. 3:28 There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus.

Gal. 3:29 And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's offspring,^a heirs according to the promise.

