"The Kingdom's Call to Celebrate – Invited & Dressed by the King"



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Citizen Matthew: Tax Collector, Disciple, & the Kingdom of Heaven, Concluded?

Matt. 22:1 ¶ Once more Jesus spoke to them in parables, saying:

Matt. 22:2 "The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who gave a wedding banquet for his son.



Rev. 19:7 Let us rejoice and exult and give him the glory, for the marriage of the Lamb has come, and his bride has made herself ready;



Matt. 22:3 He sent his slaves to call those who had been invited to the wedding banquet, but they would not come.



Matt. 22:4 Again he sent other slaves, saying, Tell those who have been invited: Look, I have prepared my dinner, my oxen and my fat calves have been slaughtered, and everything is ready; come to the



Matt. 22:5 But they made light of it and went away, one to his farm, another to his business,

Matt. 22:6 while the rest seized his slaves, mistreated them, and killed them.



Matt. 22:7 The king was enraged. He sent his troops, destroyed those murderers, and burned their city.



Matt. 22:8 Then he said to his slaves, 'The wedding is ready, but those invited were not worthy.

Matt. 22:9 Go therefore into the main streets, and invite everyone you find to the wedding banquet.'

Matt. 22:10 Those slaves went out into the streets and gathered all whom they found, both good and bad; so the wedding hall was filled with guests.



Matt. 22:11 ¶ "But when the king came in to see the guests, he noticed a man there who was not wearing a wedding robe,



Matt. 22:12 and he said to him, 'Friend, how did you get in here without a wedding robe?' And he was speechless.

Matt. 22:13 Then the king said to the attendants, 'Bind him hand and foot, and throw him into the outer darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.'

Matt. 22:14 For many are called, but few are chosen."



Rev. 3:18 Therefore I counsel you to buy from me gold refined by fire so that you may be rich; and white robes to clothe you and to keep the shame of your nakedness from being seen; and salve to anoint your eyes so



Rev. 19:7 Let us rejoice and exult and give him the glory, for the marriage of the Lamb has come, and his bride has made herself ready; Rev. 19:8 It was given to her to clothe herself in fine linen, bright and clean; for the fine linen is the righteous acts of the saints.



Rev. 19:13 He is clothed in a robe dipped in blood, and his name is called The Word of God.

Rev. 19:16 On his robe and on his thigh he has a name inscribed, "King of kings and Lord of lords."



Rev. 19:14 And the armies of heaven, wearing fine linen, white and pure, were following him on white horses.



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Rev. 3:20 Listen! I am standing at the door, knocking; if you hear my voice and open the door, I will come in to you and eat with you, and you with me.

Rev. 3:21 To the one who conquers I will give a place with me on my throne, just as I myself conquered and sat down with my Father on his throne.



The Kingdom of Heaven is like...

