

Is Your Life Productive Ground?

Mark 4:8 (NKJV) tells us the good ground of our lives produces at different levels. Some people's lives yield thirty times more than taken into it. Others produce sixty times more. And some people give one hundred times more. What causes this difference? The principle of the difference lies in the ground's content. When the physical ground is shallow, covering hard clay, it hinders the seed's growth. Rock stratum also hinder seed growth. When the ground is free of hard clay or rock stratum but holds many weed seeds, those grow and overtake the growth of good seed. Beloved, the good ground of your life must be free of the rocks of offense, anger, rejection, bitterness, addictions, and other worldly troubles. You must pull Satan's weeds of fear, depression, panic, anxiety, gossip, and sicknesses out of your life. Reading God's word and meditating on it helps to remove rocks and weeds (2) Timothy 3:16-17). Hearing and receiving God's words of truth go deeper, removing larger rocks and aggressive weeds (Romans 10:17). Spending time in God's presence through prayer lets the Holy Spirit stir your heart and mind, sifting out emotional rocks and weeds (Joshua 1:8, Psalm 19:7-11). Living in God's faith gives a vibrant life that yields one hundred times more than he puts in it (John 15:1-11). Shalom

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