

Lesson 6:

3. Oil is a source of light

- Exodus 27:20 And thou shalt command the children of Israel, that they bring thee pure oil olive beaten for the light, to cause the lamp to burn always.
- Matthew 25:1-13 Then shall the kingdom of heaven be likened unto ten virgins, which took their lamps, and went forth to meet the bridegroom. 2 And five of them were wise, and five were foolish. 3 They that were foolish took their lamps, and took no oil with them: 4 But the wise took oil in their vessels with their lamps. 5 While the bridegroom tarried, they all slumbered and slept. 6 And at midnight there was a cry made, Behold, the bridegroom cometh; go ye out to meet him. 7 Then all those virgins arose, and trimmed their lamps. 8 And the foolish said unto the wise, Give us of your oil; for our lamps are gone out. 9 But the wise answered, saying, Not so; lest there be not enough for us and you: but go ye rather to them that sell, and buy for yourselves. 10 And while they went to buy, the bridegroom came; and they that were ready went in with him to the marriage: and the door was shut. 11 Afterward came also the other virgins, saying, Lord, Lord, open to us. 12 But he answered and said, Verily I say unto you, I know you not. 13 Watch therefore, for ye know neither the day nor the hour wherein the Son of man cometh.

4. Oil is an ointment for healing

- **In the story of the Good Samaritan:** Luke 10:34 And went to him, and bound up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine, and set him on his own beast, and brought him to an inn, and took care of him.
- **A few more Scripture references of oil used for healing:** Leviticus 8:30, Leviticus 14:17

D. A Seal

- Ephesians 4:30 And grieve not the holy Spirit of God, whereby ye are **sealed** unto the day of redemption.
- Jeremiah 32:11-14 So I took the evidence of the purchase, both that which was **sealed** according to the law and custom, and that which was open: 12 And I gave the evidence of the purchase unto Baruch the son of Neriah, the son of Maaseiah, in the sight of Hanameel mine uncle's son, and in the presence of the witnesses that subscribed the book of the purchase, before all the Jews that sat in the court of the prison. 13 And I charged Baruch before them, saying, 14 Thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; Take these evidences, this evidence of the purchase, both which is **sealed**, and this evidence which is open; and put them in an earthen vessel, that they may continue many days.

- John 3:33 He that hath received his testimony hath set to his **seal** that God is true.

1. It identifies

- 2 Timothy 2:19 Nevertheless the foundation of God standeth sure, **having this seal**, The Lord knoweth them that are his. And, Let every one that nameth the name of Christ depart from iniquity.
- John 6:27 Labour not for the meat which perisheth, but for that meat which endureth unto everlasting life, which the Son of man shall give unto you: for him hath **God the Father sealed**.
- Job 37:7 He **sealeth up the hand of every man**; that all men may know his work.
- Revelation 7:2-8 And I saw another angel ascending from the east, having the **seal of the living God**: and he cried with a loud voice to the four angels, to whom it was given to hurt the earth and the sea, 3 Saying, Hurt not the earth, neither the sea, nor the trees, **till we have sealed** the servants of our God in their foreheads. 4 And I heard the number of them **which were sealed**: and there **were sealed** an hundred and forty and four thousand of all the tribes of the children of Israel. 5 Of the tribe of Juda **were sealed** twelve thousand. Of the tribe of Reuben **were sealed** twelve thousand. Of the tribe of Gad **were sealed** twelve thousand. 6 Of the tribe of Aser **were sealed** twelve thousand. Of the tribe of Nephtalim **were sealed** twelve thousand. Of the tribe of Manasses **were sealed** twelve thousand. 7 Of the tribe of Simeon **were sealed** twelve thousand. Of the tribe of Levi **were sealed** twelve thousand. Of the tribe of Issachar **were sealed** twelve thousand. 8 Of the tribe of Zabulon **were sealed** twelve thousand. Of the tribe of Joseph **were sealed** twelve thousand. Of the tribe of Benjamin **were sealed** twelve thousand.

2. It secures

- 2 Corinthians 1:22 Who hath also sealed us, and given the earnest of the Spirit in our hearts.
- 2 Corinthians 5:5 Now he that hath wrought us for the selfsame thing is God, who also hath given unto us the earnest of the Spirit.
- Ephesians 1:13-14 In whom ye also trusted, after that ye heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation: in whom also after that ye believed, ye were sealed with that holy Spirit of promise, 14 Which is the earnest of our inheritance until the redemption of the purchased possession, unto the praise of his glory.

3. It authorizes

- Darius placed Daniel in the Lion's Den; Daniel 6:16-17
- Haman plotted murder of Jews; Esther 3:6-12
- Pilot sealed the tomb of Jesus; Matthew 27:66

4. It sanctifies (sets apart or shuts up)

- Genesis 7:16 And they that went in, went in male and female of all flesh, as God had commanded him: and the LORD shut him in.
- Daniel 12:4 But thou, O Daniel, shut up the words, and seal the book, even to the time of the end: many shall run to and fro, and knowledge shall be increased.
- Revelation 7:2-4 And I saw another angel ascending from the east, **having the seal of the living God**: and he cried with a loud voice to the four angels, to whom it was given to hurt the earth and the sea, 3 Saying, Hurt not the earth, neither the sea, nor the trees, till we have sealed the servants of our God in their foreheads. 4 And I heard the number of them which were sealed: and there were sealed an hundred and forty and four thousand of all the tribes of the children of Israel.
- Revelation 20:3 And cast him into the bottomless pit, and shut him up, **and set a seal upon him**, that he should deceive the nations no more, till the thousand years should be fulfilled: and after that he must be loosed a little season.

E. Wind

1. Wind is powerful

- Acts 2:1-4 And when the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place. 2 And suddenly there came a sound from heaven as of a **rushing mighty wind**, and it filled all the house where they were sitting. 3 And there appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them. 4 And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.
- John 3:8 The wind bloweth where it listeth, and thou hearest the sound thereof, but canst not tell whence it cometh, and whither it goeth: so is every one that is born of the Spirit.
- Ezekiel 37:9-14 Then said he unto me, Prophecy unto the wind, prophesy, son of man, and say to the wind, Thus saith the Lord GOD; Come from the four winds, O breath, and breathe upon these slain, that they may live. 10 So I prophesied as he commanded me, and the **breath came into them, and they lived, and stood up upon their feet, an exceeding great army**. 11 Then he said unto me, Son of man, these bones are the whole house of Israel: behold, they say, Our bones are dried, and our hope is lost: we are cut off for our

parts. 12 Therefore prophesy and say unto them, Thus saith the Lord GOD; Behold, O my people, I will open your graves, and cause you to come up out of your graves, and bring you into the land of Israel. 13 And ye shall know that I am the LORD, when I have opened your graves, O my people, and brought you up out of your graves, 14 And shall put my spirit in you, and ye shall live, and I shall place you in your own land: then shall ye know that I the LORD have spoken it, and performed it, saith the LORD.

2. Wind is independent

- John 3:8 The **wind bloweth where it listeth**, and thou hearest the sound thereof, but canst not tell whence it cometh, and whither it goeth: so is every one that is born of the Spirit.

3. Wind is invisible, but effective

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