

# Understanding the Difference Between a Possessor and a Professor

## I. The Parable of Wheat and Tares

▪ Matthew 13:24-30; 36-43

A. Parable given (vv. 24-30)

B. The parable explained (vv. 36-43)

1. The man is \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 37).
2. The good seed \_\_\_\_\_, children of the kingdom (v. 38).
3. The field is \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 38).
4. The enemy is \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 39).
5. The tares are the \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 38).
6. The reapers are \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 39).
7. The harvest is the \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 39).

## II. Possessors Are Saved; Mere Professors Are Lost

A. Possessors are \_\_\_\_\_.

**Scriptures that addresses Possessors**

- John 5:24
- John 6:40
- John 6:47
- John 6:37, 39
- John 10:27-29

B. Professors/Pretenders are \_\_\_\_\_.

**Scriptures that addresses mere professors**

- Exodus 12:37-38
- Numbers 11:4
- John 6:64
- Titus 1:16
- I John 2:19
- II Corinthians 11:13-15
- Galatians 2:4
- II Peter 2:1

## III. The Judgment of Believers and Pretenders

A. The Lord \_\_\_\_\_.

- II Timothy 2:19
- John 10:14

B. The Lord will \_\_\_\_\_.

The judgment of professors is not committed to us, but is reserved to our Lord Jesus Christ.

**Professors can deceive believers.**

1. They have the \_\_\_\_\_.

- Matthew 7:15

2. They \_\_\_\_\_.

- Matthew 23:25
- Matthew 23:27-28

3. They \_\_\_\_\_.

- Matthew 15:7-9

4. They \_\_\_\_\_.

- Matthew 7:22-23