## Possessing the Land, Building the Kingdom: Parable Of The Talents Matthew 25:14-30 January 29, 2017

Numbers 13:30 – "We should go up and take possession of the land, for we can certainly do it."

Joshua 3 – Stepping out in Faith – Had to get their feet wet.

| Matthew 25:14-30                                    |                                      |
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| 14-15 – Setting the scene                           |                                      |
| <ul> <li>Master</li> </ul>                          | servants with property               |
| <ul> <li>"Talents" – A</li> </ul>                   | _ measure of                         |
| 16-18 – Servants Response                           |                                      |
| <ul> <li>1<sup>st</sup> and 2nd – went "</li> </ul> | " & gained more                      |
| • 3rd –   | and hid it                           |
| • 3rd –   | 1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup>    |
| <ul> <li>Well done</li> </ul>                       | !                                    |
| <ul> <li>Well done</li></ul>                        | 3 <sup>rd</sup>                      |
| <ul> <li>I knew that you are a hard</li> </ul>      | d man                                |
| <ul><li>Master: You are</li></ul>                   | by your own words!                   |
| 28-30 Final assessment                              |                                      |
| <ul> <li>Everyone who has will be</li> </ul>        | given more                           |
| • But   |                                      |
| <ul><li>If you don't</li></ul>                      | it                                   |
| Keys:   |                                      |
| <ul><li>Our Master has</li></ul>                    | us with His resources.               |
| <ul><li>Who are you in parable?</li></ul>           |                                      |
| 0   | _ investor?                          |
| 0   |                                      |
| Application:  |                                      |
| <ul> <li>Are you investing in the K</li> </ul>      | ingdom or burying what you have been |

• How can you use your time, abilities, material possessions for the

entrusted with?

Kingdom?