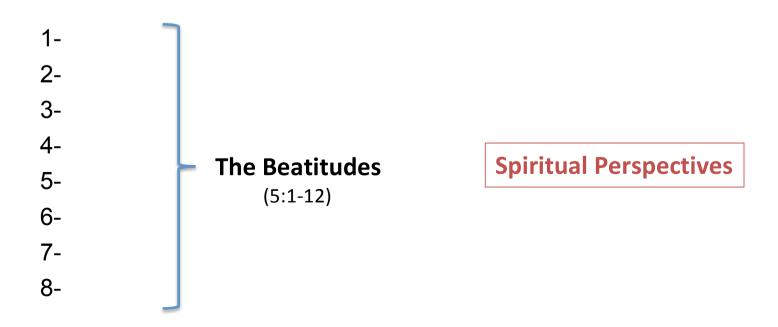
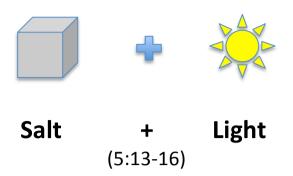
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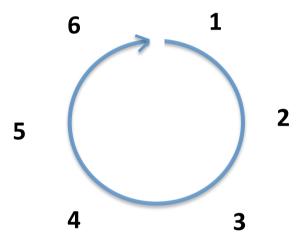
Chapter 6d

Mapping the Sermon:





Spiritual Identity



Spirit of Torah

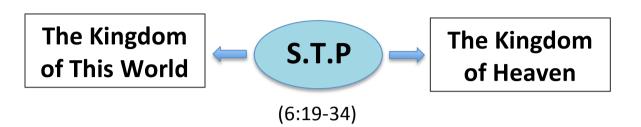
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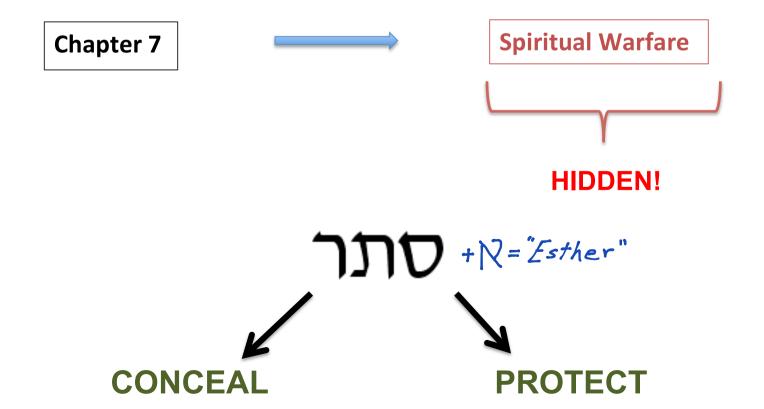
Fasting – In Secret

(6:1-18)

Spiritual Practice



Spiritual Priorities



Deuteronomy 32:38

Who ate the fat of their sacrifices and drank the wine of their drink offering? Let them rise up and help you; let them be your protection!

Deuteronomy 29:29

The **secret things** belong to Adonai our God, but the things that are revealed belong to us and to our children forever, that we may do all the words of this Torah.

Psalm 27:5

For He will hide me in his shelter in the day of trouble; He will **conceal** me under the **cover** of His tent; He will lift me high upon a rock.

Isaiah 45:15

Truly, You are a God Who hides Himself, O God of Israel, the Savior.

Luke 24:27

And beginning with Moses and all the Prophets, He interpreted to them in all the Scriptures the things concerning Himself.

Luke 24:44-45

Then He said to them, "These are My words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about Me in the **Torah** of Moses and the **Prophets** and the **Psalms** must be fulfilled." Then He opened their minds to understand the Scriptures,

2 Timothy 2:15

Study to present yourself to God as one approved, a worker who has no need to be ashamed, rightly handling the **Word** of truth.

There are NO shortcuts!

Hebrews 4:12

For the Word of God is...

Living...

Active...

Sharp...

Piercing...

Dividing...

SOUL

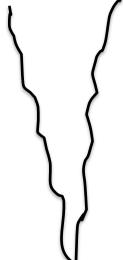
(human feelings)

JOINTS

(humans activity)

THOUGHTS

(human reasoning)



SPIRIT

(God's mind)

MARROW

(life source)

INTENTIONS

(the REAL issues)

