

III Mustard Seed (Matt 13:31-32)

a) Age characterized by abnormal outward growth - a herb become a tree (monstrosity)

b) Resting place for birds - antagonistic to the program of God.

Opposition at one time was from without the Kingdom, now has entered into the Kingdom & it has become inwardly corrupt - Characterization of the age.

IV The Leaven Hidden in the Meal (Matt 13:33)

a) Ministry of the woman - work of a false religious system claiming to be the Kingdom

b) Introduction of the leaven (evil in character) into the meal (Christ) corrupting the doctrines of Christ from within the Church

Leaven of the pharisees - evil of externalism in religion

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The principle of leaven works gradually, until the whole loaf is corrupted - and finally disintegrated

I Cor. 5:6

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