

## Family Talk – The Life of Jesus

### READ TOGETHER

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#### [Matthew 13:1–9](#)

1. Jesus describes different types of soil that receives the seed. In this passage the seed is the Word of God. Why do you think some people don't receive God's Word easily?
2. Which type of soil is your heart?

### LIVE IT

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Jesus used parables to teach lessons on spiritual truths. In this story Jesus talks about farming which is something most Jews would have immediately connected with. Things happen in the soil that we cannot see. But we can see if and when fruit appears.

Share with your kids it's what happens on the inside that matters. Discuss the importance of being able to talk about difficult topics. Encourage your kids to ask questions about God and your faith.

### LEAN ON GOD

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Dear God,

Thank you for teaching us about our own hearts and for giving the seed of your Word to everyone. Help our hearts be open and willing to receive Your Word with gladness.

God give us guidance to pour out ourselves for others as well. We love You!

Amen.

