



# Cultivating the Kingdom of God in YOU

## A Heart That Receives Quick Study Guide

### I. Four Types of Soil

- Pavement-like heart. Won't Receive the Word at all.
- Stony-ground heart. Receives the Word, but roots don't grow. Soon falls away.
- Thorny-ground heart. Receives the Word, but cares, worries and troubles choke the Word.
- Good soil is that which receives the Word and cultivates the soil—keeping thorns out and bringing good nutrients in.

### II. The Kingdom of God Meets All Needs.

- Seek first the kingdom of God and all these things will be added.
- The kingdom of God is His will being done here on earth.

### III. Good Soil Brings a Harvest.

- Plant the seed of the Word.
- Put God first place in your life.
- Reap a harvest.



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## Scriptures for Contemplation

### Matthew 6:33

*“Seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you,” (NKJV).*

### Matthew 6:10

*“Your kingdom come. Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven,” (NKJV).*

### Mark 4:4-8

*“And it happened, as he sowed, that some seed fell by the wayside; and the birds of the air came and devoured it. Some fell on stony ground, where it did not have much earth; and immediately it sprang up because it had no depth of earth. But when the sun was up it was scorched, and because it had no root it withered away. And some seed fell among thorns; and the thorns grew up and choked it, and it yielded no crop. But other seed fell on good ground and yielded a crop that sprang up, increased and produced: some thirtyfold, some sixty, and some a hundred.” (NKJV).*

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## Confession

*I will cultivate good soil in my life. I will ask the Lord and allow Him to reveal to me any thorns in my life. Then, I will be diligent to remove them and live by His Word every day.*

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