

The Works & Words of  
Jesus the Messiah:

# The Gospel of Matthew

Theme: The Good News about the  
Kingdom of Heaven (4:17)

The Cyclical Structure of the Book	First Cycle		Second Cycle		Third Cycle		Fourth Cycle		Fifth Cycle		Sixth Cycle	
	The Coming of the King		The Testimony to the King		The Opposition to the King		The Withdrawal of the King		The Rejection of the King		The Redemption by the King	
	Ch. 1-7		Ch. 8-10		11:1 - 13:52		13:53 - 18:35		Ch. 19-25		Ch. 26-28	
The Divisions of the Book:  His Works & His Words	His Works	His Words	His Works	His Words	His Works	His Words	His Works	His Words	His Works	His Words	His Works	His Words
	His Person	His Principles	The Power of His Works	The Proclama- tion of His Apostles	Conflict: Division Among the People	Response: Mysteries of the Kingdom	Prepara- tion for the Kingdom	Instruc- tion about the Kingdom	Conflict: Rejection by the Rulers	Response: Prophecy Concern- ing the Future	His Passion	His Resurrec- tion and Great Commis- sion
	ch. 1-4	ch. 5-7	ch. 8-9	ch. 10	ch. 11-12	13:1-52	13:53- 17:27	ch. 18	ch. 19-22	ch. 23-25	ch. 26-27	ch. 28
The Major Discourses	<i>The Sermon on the Mount</i>		<i>The mission of the Twelve</i>		<i>The Kingdom Parables</i>		<i>The Greatest in the Kingdom of Heaven</i>		<i>The Woes; The Olivet Discourse</i>		<i>The Great Commission</i>	
Repeated Transition-al Phrase	↑ 7:28 "When Jesus had ended these sayings"		↑ 11:1 "When Jesus had made an end of commanding his twelve disciples"		↑ 13:53 "When Jesus had finished these parables"		↑ 19:1 "When Jesus had finished these sayings"		↑ 26:1 "When Jesus had finished all these sayings"			

Chart MAT01EN

Copyright ©2009 Matthew W. Hanna

Outline adapted from J. Dwight Pentecost, *The Words and Works of Jesus Christ: A Study of the Life of Christ* (Grand Rapids, MI: Zondervan Publishing House, 1981).

All quotations are from the King James Version of the Bible