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	The Coming of the King Ch. 1-7		Second Cycle The Testimony to the King Ch. 8-10		Third Cycle The Opposition to the King 11:1 - 13:52		The Withdrawal of the King		The Rejection of the King Ch. 19-25		Sixth Cycle The Redemption by the King 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 Concerning the Future	His Passion	His Resurrection and Great Commission
	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	The Sermon on the Mount		The mission of the Twelve		The Kingdom Parables		The Greatest in the Kingdom of Heaven		The Woes; The Olivet Discourse		The Great Commission	
Repeated Transition-al Phrase				↑ 11:1 "When Jesus had made an end of commanding his twelve disciples"		13 "When Jesus	↑ :53 had finished arables"	个 19:1 'When Jesus had finished these sayings"		↑ 26:1 "When Jesus had finished all these sayings"		

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