Lesson #14- Matthew Chapter 13 Questions for Discussion:

- 1. Discuss the parable of the sower.
 - a. The disciples wanted to know why Jesus spoke to the multitudes in parables. What was His answer?
 - b. How did Jesus explain the parable's meaning to the disciples and how does the very story relate to His reason for speaking in parables?
 - c. What personal encouragements do you receive by the understanding of this parable?

- 2. Next Jesus tells three more parables.
 - a. What kingdom lesson is He teaching through the parable of the wheat and tares?
 - b. Discuss the parable of the mustard seed.
 - c. What is the parable of the leaven about?

3.	In verse 44 through 46, Jesus compares the kingdom of heaven to treasures. a. What are the two comparisons?
	b. What do you think is the meaning of these comparisons?
4. the les	Verses 47-50 are the comparison of the kingdom of heaven to a dragnet. Discuss sons you find in this parable.
5. What	After teaching these parables, Jesus returned to Nazareth, "his own country". was His reception there like and why?