

Springs of Living Water
“Called to be Servants Part 2”
Bible Study Questions
(November 3 - 9, 2013)

1. **(Isaiah 42:1-9; Matthew 28:16-20)** What is the common thread (or theme, or idea) that brings these two passages together?

2. **(Matthew 13:1-9)** What is the primary concern for the farmer (sower)?

3. **(Luke 13:31-35)** From what Jesus says in verse 34 what emotion(s) would you use to describe how God feels about humanity?

4. **(Matthew 9:10-13)** When Jesus quotes Hosea 6:6 in verse 13 “*I desire mercy, not sacrifice.*”? what does it mean for us?

5. **(Matthew 22:1-10)** What is the primary thing for the king’s servants to do in this passage?

6. **(Matthew 13:44-45)** What do these parables teach us about the value of the kingdom of God?

7. **(Revelation 21:1-7)** How did the voice describe the new world to come?

[The NIV was used in preparation of these questions. Also consulted were the NIV Serendipity Bible for study groups, The Life with God Bible (NRSV), various commentaries and Lessonmaker, from WORDsearch Corp.]