

**Message: Foolish and wise Virgins**

**Texts: Matthew 25 verse 2**

**Bible Reading: Matthew 25 verse 1- 13 and Luke 10 verse 25- 37**

In Matthew 25 verse 2, the Bible says and five of them were wise and five were foolish. The text is referring to believers in this present dispensation, we have wise and foolish believers. Let us examine the attributes of the both:-

**Wise Believers**

- Ready for the coming of the Lord
  - Hates evil and embrace goodness
  - Love the things of God
  - Happy to support the spread of the gospel
  - Conscious of their ways of life
  - Returning back to the altars of prayers
  - Making sure they have oil in their lamp
  - They are the serious and focused Christians
  - Always trusting and looking up to Jesus
  - They build the church
  - They obey God's words and do as it says
- Example in Luke 10 verse 25- 37 the story of the Good Samaritan

**Foolish believers**

- They are in church having a form of a Christian but empty
- Lack understanding of the scripture
- Worldly rather than been holy
- Lack discerning spirit
- Like to be seen or show off
- Like to pray to be seen and respected by men
- Argue on everything

**Consequences**

Wise believers will inherit the kingdom of God while the foolish believers will not, I conclude with this, your choice today will determine where you will spend your eternity, tomorrow may be too late

**Prayers**

1. My Father show me who am I in the name of Jesus
2. Lord deliver me from worldliness in the name of Jesus
3. Whatever is in me that will destroy me I vomit you out of my life in the name of Jesus
4. Father Lord deliver me from the power of the emptier in the name of Jesus
5. I refused to be a joking believer I shall be a serious Christian in the name of Jesus
6. Holy Ghost incubate me afresh in the name of Jesus
7. I refused to be without oil in the name of Jesus
8. Anything inside of me that will drain my oil die in the name of Jesus
9. Spirit of foolishness depart from me in the name of Jesus
10. Wake me up oh Lord from spiritual slumber in the name of Jesus

11. Arrows of the enemies fired to deflate my spiritual life miss and backfire in the name of Jesus
12. Arrows fire to take me backward spiritually miss and backfire in the name of Jesus
13. Oh Lord arise and increase my strength daily in the name of Jesus
14. Lord Jesus let me mount up wings like the eagle in the name of Jesus
15. My children shall not end as sacrifice on evil altars in the name of Jesus
16. Those misleading me in the church shall be exposed and disgraced in the name of Jesus
17. Lord Jesus make me a prayer addict and warrior in the name of Jesus
18. I refused to sit while others are working for Christ in the name of Jesus
19. Lord disgrace the disgrace programmed against me in the name of Jesus
20. Lord I thank you for making me a wise virgin in the name of Jesus