



Luke 8:9-10
The Big Reveal
Do you like a good mystery?

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Psalm 25:14 The Lord confides in those who fear him; he makes his covenant known to them.

- Matthew 13:11 He replied, “The knowledge of the *secrets* of the kingdom of heaven has been given to you, but not to them.
- Mark 4:11 He told them, “The *secret* of the kingdom of God has been given to you. But to those on the outside everything is said in parables
- Luke 8:10 He said, “The knowledge of the *secrets* of the kingdom of God has been given to you, but to others I speak in parables, so that, “though seeing, they may not see; though hearing, they may not understand.’

① → From the Gospel quotes above, ① describe who gets the Big Reveal?

② Describe who doesn’t get it?

③ In today’s terms what do they get or not get?

④ What are examples of getting it?

⑤ Examples of not getting it?

② → In Ephesians 3:4 Paul says “In reading this, then, you will be able to understand my insight into the mystery of Christ.” Read Paul’s insight in Ephesians 3:4-9.

① What was different about Paul’s insight than say, perhaps, the Ephesians would have had?

② Why do you think Paul’s insight is complete, or not complete?

③ Do we have a more full insight than Paul, or that Paul’s description would indicate?

③ → Read the following. What more can be said about the Mystery which is Christ, and that we are somehow in Him and involved in the mystery?

Romans 16:25

1 Corinthians 2:7

Colossians 1:25-27

Ephesians 1:9-10

Romans 11:25

1 Corinthians 15:51

1 Corinthians 15:51-53