

THE KINGDOM EXPLAINED - MARK 4:21-34

I. GOD'S RULE IS IN US AND SPREADS THROUGH US

But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, <u>he will teach you all things</u> and bring to your remembrance all that I have said to you. – John 14:26

II. THE GALILEAN MINISTRY - verses 21-34

- Verse 21-25 A LAMP ON A STAND.
 - John 8:12 Again Jesus spoke to them, saying, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.
 - Truth hidden in parables would in time known <u>through</u> Jesus' disciples.

- Verse 23-25 WORDS OF WARNING
 - God's truth reveals the condition of the heart.

• Verse 26-29 - THE PARABLE OF THE SEED

• Spirit empowered people <u>overcome</u> the fear of rejection in order to share the gospel.

• Verse 30-34 - THE PARABLE OF THE MUSTARD SEED.

• When you feel inadequate remember Jesus is working in you and through you.

APPLICATION:

• HEARING

OBEYING