Preschool · Easy

Wheat and Tares Worksheet

Easy: circle the right word · Matthew 13:24–30

Name: _____ Date: _____

Circle the right word

A grown-up can read each sentence out loud.

1. The man sowed good (**seed** / **rocks**) in his field.
2. His (**enemy** / **friend**) sowed tares among the wheat.
3. The (**servants** / **soldiers**) asked the man about the tares.
4. The man said to let both (**grow** / **go**) together.
5. The wheat went into the (**barn** / **river**).

Circle the number

6. How many enemies came and sowed tares? **1** / **3** / **10**
7. "Let both grow together." How many plants is both (wheat and tares)?
   1 / **2** / **5**

Trace the verse

Use a pencil to write over the gray letters. Then write the words again on the line below.

gather the wheat into my barn

Matthew 13:30 (KJV) · barn = a building where the grain is kept safe

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Answer key

Circle the right word

1. A man which sowed good **seed** in his field. *(Matthew 13:24)*
2. His **enemy** came and sowed tares among the wheat. *(Matthew 13:25)*
3. The **servants** of the householder came and said unto him, Sir. *(Matthew 13:27)*
4. "Let both **grow** together until the harvest." *(Matthew 13:30)*
5. "Gather the wheat into my **barn**." *(Matthew 13:30)*

Circle the number

6. **1.** "His enemy came and sowed tares among the wheat." *(Matthew 13:25)*
7. **2.** "Let both grow together until the harvest": the wheat and the tares. *(Matthew 13:30)*

Trace the verse

"gather the wheat into my barn" is the end of Matthew 13:30 (KJV). The whole verse is: "Let both grow together until the harvest: and in the time of harvest I will say to the reapers, Gather ye together first the tares, and bind them in bundles to burn them: but gather the wheat into my barn."

For the teacher

Time: about 10 minutes · **Ages:** 4–6 (preschool and kindergarten)

- **Read it out loud:** read each sentence and both choices, then let kids circle the answer. Kids who can't write yet can point while you circle.
- **Tracing:** kids trace the gray letters with a pencil or crayon, then copy the words on the line. Younger kids can just trace.
- **Talk about it:** The man kept his wheat safe and gathered it into his barn (Matthew 13:30). Ask: *What did the man do with his wheat at harvest time?*
- **Teach the story first:** use the free Wheat and the Tares Sunday school lesson at vbshq.com/lessons/wheat-and-the-tares-lesson.

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