

Good Soil

Mark 4:3-20 - additional Words and Music by Steve Blechschmidt



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Key ~ D^{maj}
Tempo ~ 61 to 69bpm
Time ~ 4/4

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Sing along with As You Go @ https://static.wixstatic.com/mp3/055bba_b301b4209a2746d78097a5141d5cb9cc.mp3

1 *1st guitar plays chords D⁵, D^{maj7omit3}, D^{6sus4} four times*

2nd guitar plays D D^b B last 2 times

D⁵ D^{maj7omit3} D^{6sus4}

My seed it's landed in the thorns;

D⁵ D^{maj7omit3} D^{6sus4}

The Word, it's being choked.

REPEAT

2 *1st guitar finger picks chords D⁵, D^{maj7omit3}, D^{6sus4} four times, 2nd plays D D^b B last 2 times an octave higher*

D⁵ D^{maj7omit3} D^{6sus4}

The worries of this life;

D⁵ D^{maj7omit3} D^{6sus4}

The deceitfulness of wealth;

D⁵ D^{maj7omit3} D^{6sus4}

The desire for other things.

D⁵ D^{maj7omit3}

3 Where is the fruit...

1st guitar plays chords D⁵, D^{maj7omit3}, D^{6sus4}

2nd plays story – D^m pentatonic

4 *1st guitar finger picks different patterns*

D^{10th fret} D^{sus4 10th fret}

So much fear and uncertainty;

D^{sus4#5} D^{sus4 10th fret}

Where is my dependency?

REPEAT WORDS

5 *1st guitar plays chords*

D 5th fret D^{sus2 5th fret}

Fat, dumb and happy all these years;

D 5th fret D^{sus2 5th fret}

To say I believed was easy.

1st guitar plays chords, 2nd plays 5ths

D 5th fret D^{sus2 5th fret}

Now I need to learn to depend on Him;

D 5th fret D^{sus2 5th fret}

Now He's going to show me He's real.

D E^m

6 See, the big checks stopped months ago;

D E^m

And the job never had any meaning.

D E^m

Why waste my time chasin' false security?

G⁷ pound on the G⁷

The deceitfulness of wealth!

D E^m

7 So, I got this big old house;

D E^m

Where are we goin' a live?

D E^m

Will Jess have to change schools?

G⁷ pound on the G⁷

The worries of this life!

D E^m

8 What if I find a nice girl;

D E^m

One with pretty blonde hair;

D E^m

Could she comfort me?

G⁷ pound on the G⁷

The desires for other things!

G A

9 My seed needs to land in good soil;

G A

Dependency all on Him.

G A

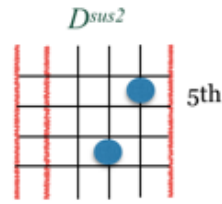
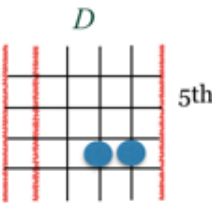
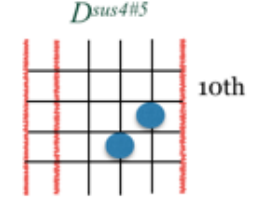
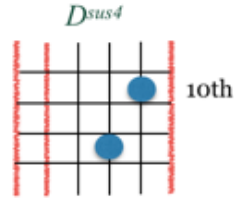
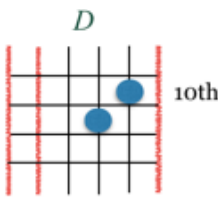
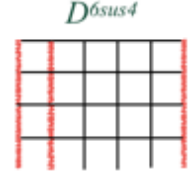
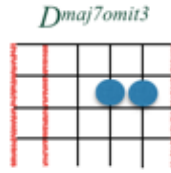
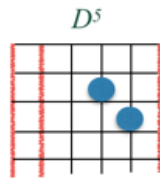
Start each day in the Word;

G *A*
Give my fears over to Him.

G *A*
Serve others before myself;

G *A*
Give thanks for my daily bread.

Silence,
then 1st guitar chords D⁵, D^{maj7omit3}, D^{6sus4}



Play not upon
the **reddened**
strings.

10 *D* *A* *G*
Now I need to learn to depend on Him;
D *A* *G*
Now He's going to show me He's real.

Rap to conclusion . . .

11 *D A G* *D A G D A G*
He's real, yah He's real.

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Scripture

Mark 4:2-20 And he was teaching them many things in parables, and in his teaching he said to them: “Listen! Behold, a sower went out to sow. And as he sowed, some seed fell along the path, and the birds came and devoured it. Other seed fell on rocky ground, where it did not have much soil, and immediately it sprang up, since it had no depth of soil. And when the sun rose, it was scorched, and since it had no root, it withered away. Other seed fell among thorns, and the thorns grew up and choked it, and it yielded no grain. And other seeds fell into good soil and produced grain, growing up and increasing and yielding thirtyfold and sixtyfold and a hundredfold.”

And he said, “He who has ears to hear, let him hear.”

And when he was alone, those around him with the twelve asked him about the parables. And he said to them, “To you has been given the secret of the kingdom of God, but for those outside everything is in parables, so that, ‘they may indeed see but not perceive, and may indeed hear but not understand, lest they should turn and be forgiven.’”

And he said to them, “Do you not understand this parable? How then will you understand all the parables?”

The sower sows the word. And these are the ones along the path, where the word is sown: when they hear, Satan immediately comes and takes away the word that is sown in them. And these are the ones sown on rocky ground: the ones who, when they hear the word, immediately receive it with joy. And they have no root in themselves, but endure for a while; then, when tribulation or persecution arises on account of the word, immediately they fall away. And others are the ones sown among thorns. They are those who hear the word, but the cares of the world and the deceitfulness of riches and the desires for other things enter in and choke the word, and it proves unfruitful.

But those that were sown on the good soil are the ones who hear the word and accept it and bear fruit, thirtyfold and sixtyfold and a hundredfold.”

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