

CHRISTIANITY

FOR
SCEPTICS, ENQUIRERS & BELIEVERS

A very warm welcome

Our speaker today is Campbell Patterson

Our passage is Matthew 13:1-23

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Why did Jesus describe himself as a wasteful farmer?

The surprising truth: he's only interested in those who have ears to hear.

This is why I speak to them in parables, because seeing they do not see, and hearing they do not hear, nor do they understand - Matt. 13:13

Questions:

1. Are you surprised by Jesus in this passage? Why/why not?
2. Does the passage help manage your expectations for how people will respond to the gospel in your workplace?