This is springtime. This is the time of year where we welcome warm weather, singing birds and fresh spring flowers. This is also when those who love yard work are seen planting, weeding and watering their flower gardens. Many also plant seeds with an expectation of a harvest of flowers, grass or vegetables in their seasons. God’s word is often referred to as “seed”. It must be noted that God’s “seed” always produces a harvest.

Eccl 11:6 (KJV) In the morning sow your seed, and in the evening withhold not your hand: for you know not whether shall prosper, either this or that, or whether they both shall be alike good.

Gen 8:21-22 (KJV) tells us that Seed time and Harvest will always be as long as the earth remains.

Eccl 3:2 (TLB) **2**A time to be born; A time to die; A time to plant; A time to harvest;

(NIV) a time to be born and a time to die, a time to plant and a time to uproot,

1. The Word accomplishes God’s purpose - Isa 55:10-11 (KJV, NIV)
	1. The word (seed) cause us to be born again - 1 Peter 1:23 (KJV, VB)
	2. The word (seed) shall continually be in our mouth - Isa 59:21 (KJV, VB, NIV), Rom 10:8 (KJV)
2. Three things that effect the word
	1. Word sown on the surface – no root – Matt 13:3-6 (KJV)
	2. Word sown among weeds – rooted with the wrong thing – Matt 13:7 (KJV)
	3. Word sown in good ground – good roots – Matt 13:8 (KJV)
3. The effect the Word has on People - Matt 13:18-23 (KJV)
4. Don’t try to separate people before time – Matt 13:24-30 (KJV)