

# The Wise and the Foolish Virgins

*Matthew 25:1-13*

To teach about the kingdom of Heaven, YAHSHUA told the following story:

There were ten young women, also called virgins, who were going to a wedding feast. They took their lamps and they went out to meet the bridegroom and the bride. Five of the women were wise and took oil for their lamps with them. The other five women were foolish and did not take any oil for their lamps with them.

The bridegroom delayed coming and the young women being tired, all fell asleep. Then at midnight, a cry occurred, "Behold, the bridegroom comes! Go out to meet him." The young women woke up and prepared their lamps to meet the bridegroom.

The foolish women said to the wise women, "Give us some of your oil, because our lamps have gone out."

But the wise women answered them, saying, "No, we cannot do that because there will not be enough for us and you." They told them to go to those who sell oil and buy some for themselves.

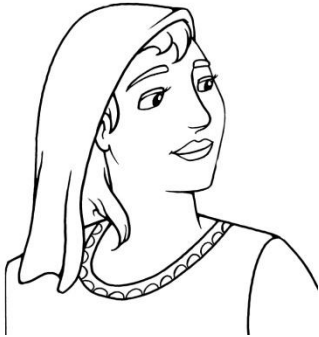
As they went away to buy the oil, the bridegroom came. The young women who were ready went in with him to the wedding feast, and the door was shut.

Afterwards, the rest of the young women came back, saying, "Master, Master, open to us." He answered saying to them, "Truly I say to you, I do not know you. Therefore, be alert, for you do not know the day nor the hour in which the Son of Man comes."

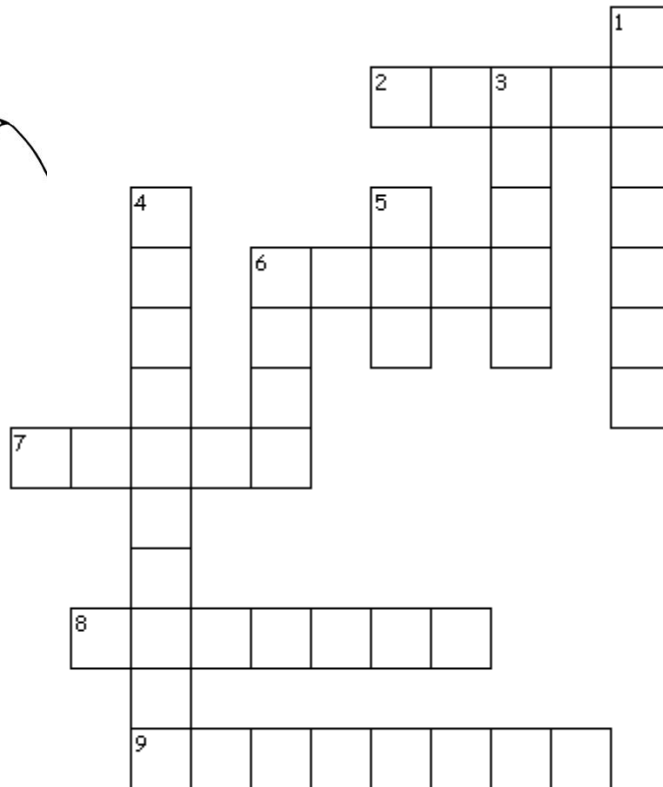


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But the wise took oil in their vessels with  
their lamps  
Matthew 25:4



## Across

2. **True or False:** The door to the foolish women was opened?
6. When the bridegroom delayed his coming, what did the women do?
7. Yahshua told us to always be what?
8. What were the 5 women without oil called?
9. What time did the bridegroom come?

## Down

1. What kind of feast were the women waiting to go to?
3. What did the women prepare when they woke up?
4. Who came after the 5 women left?
5. How many young women were there?
6. What happened to the door after the women went into the feast?



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Q F Y J P B Y G A B G H L Q M  
U E M S C U B U N N R A P I J  
S A H N B M R Y I U M I D L E  
V S O I L S I D U P O N D S S  
C T Z G C U D C S V I Y N E I  
M W X R K E E Y M G N E M O W  
W O K I W N G Z H S I L O O F  
Q H D V I L R T A S L E E P X  
S T S G A D O M Q Z R W Y S K  
T M H G N A O D Y T K K Y O X  
J E X J T I M K M R R H G O W  
M N N M C T K T S D C Z N F O

Asleep

Bride

Bridegroom

Buy

Feast

Foolish

Kingdom

Lamps

Midnight

Oil

Ten

Virgins

Wedding

Wise

Women

Young

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