

TEACHINGS OF JESUS  
The Kingdom of Heaven (Matthew 16)

- (1) Why did Jesus refuse to give the Pharisees and Sadducees a sign? Mt 16:1-4
- a. What should the Rulers have known about the “Signs of the Times”? Matt 16:3
  
  - b. Explain the sign of Jonah: Matt 16:4
- (2) “Leaven of the Pharisees”? Mt 16:5-6
- a. What is Jesus warning against in referencing the “Leaven of the Pharisees”?
  
  - b. What disappointed Jesus about the disciples reasoning in Vs 7? Matt 16:7-10
- (3) Why the disciple’s answer to “Who do men say the Son of Man is”? Mt 16:13-14
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- (4) What 2 attributes did Peter understand about Jesus? Mt 16:16

**(5) What is meant by Jesus's response to Peter's confession? Matt 16:17**

**(6) Explain/Discuss use of Greek terms "petros" and "petra"? Mt 16:18**

**(7) Explain phrase "Gates of Hades will not prevail against it"? Mt 16:18**

**(8) Explain how Peter was given the "Keys of the Kingdom of Heaven"? Mt 16:19**

**(9) Why did Jesus chastise Peter shortly after his confession? Mt 16:23**

**(10) What does Jesus mean by "deny self" & "pick up his cross"? Mt 16:24**