



Name That Method

Review the Scripture references listed below and mark each one according to the teaching method Jesus used. Write “S” for sermon, “P” for parable, “OL” for object lesson, “M” for metaphor, and “Q” for question. In the third column write a brief description of each Scripture passage.

Object Lesson – using a tangible object to teach an important truth.

Sermon, Lecture, or Discourse – preaching to a group or a crowd.

Parable – a realistic short story that uses a comparison to teach a spiritual truth.

Metaphor – a figure of speech that says something IS something else when in reality it is not but is only used as a comparison or analogy.

Questions – the four Gospels record over 100 different questions Jesus used in His teaching to challenge His listeners to think.

<u>S</u>	John 13:1 – 17:26	<i>Upper Room Discourse</i>
<u>M</u>	John 15:1	<i>Jesus is the true vine</i>
<u>Q</u>	Mark 8:36-37	<i>What shall it profit a man?</i>
<u>P</u>	Luke 8:5-8	<i>Parable of the sower and the seed</i>
<u>M</u>	John 10:7	<i>Jesus is the door</i>
<u>P</u>	Luke 15:11-32	<i>Parable of the prodigal son</i>
<u>OL</u>	Luke 5:4-11	<i>Catching fish</i>
<u>S</u>	Matthew 5 – 7	<i>Sermon on the Mount</i>
<u>M</u>	John 10:11	<i>Jesus is the good shepherd</i>
<u>P</u>	Mark 4:30-32	<i>Parable of the mustard seed</i>
<u>Q</u>	Matthew 16:13-16	<i>Who do people say that I am?</i>
<u>OL</u>	Mark 12:14-17	<i>Coin with the image of Caesar</i>
<u>S</u>	Matthew 24:3 – 25:46	<i>The Olivet Discourse</i>
<u>OL</u>	Mark 9:35-37	<i>A child in their midst</i>
<u>Q</u>	Matthew 6:25-30	<i>Are you not worth more than they?</i>

