

Core Elements of a Parable

Complete the chart with a description of the core elements in your assigned parable. Remember that your parable might not contain all of the elements listed here.

Core Elements of a Parable	Assigned Parable:
What is being compared?	
Elements from everyday life	
Surprise twist	
Description of God	
Example(s) of people's relationships with one another	
Explanation of God's desire for relationship with humanity	
Description of the Kingdom of God	



For Reflection

Summarize what Jesus is teaching through this parable.

How does this teaching relate to the life of someone following Jesus?

