

A Parable of Two Debtors

Luke 7:42-43

What is a parable?

A story that illustrates a doctrine.

Parables add depth, application, and make compelling appeals from doctrine.



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Spikenard
or myrrh oil
stored in an
alabaster
vessel was
worth a
year's
wages



50 Denirii vs 500 Denirii

One denirii equals 1 day wages

The one who owed 50 (2 months worth) could not pay

The one who owed 500 (2 years worth) could not pay

The Lord did not ask who owed more but who loved more.