

A photograph of a field of wheat and tares at sunset. The sun is low on the horizon, casting a warm, golden light over the scene. The sky is filled with soft, wispy clouds. The foreground is a dense field of golden wheat and tares, with some stalks in sharp focus. In the background, there are rolling hills under the sunset sky.

“Wheat and Tares”

Matthew 13:24-30 (37-43)

The background of the slide is a photograph of a vast field of golden wheat. In the distance, there are rolling hills under a sky with soft, warm light from a setting or rising sun, creating a hazy, atmospheric effect.

I. They were planted together
– (vv. 24-25)

A. Planted good seeds (wheat)

B. Planted bad seeds (tares)

C. “Tares” – known as darnel – looks
almost exactly like wheat



II. They progressed together – (vv. 26-29)

A. Same field – (v.27)

B. Same care and nurturing (v.27)

C. Side by side (v. 28-29)

“Sowed tares among the wheat”



III. They were processed together

- (v. 30)

A. Gather the tares

i. Bundled them

ii. Burn them

B. Gather the wheat into the barn

**C. Separate the wheat from the tares –
(sheep from the goats) - Matthew 25:31-34**