

OUTLINE OF MATTHEW

1:1–17 1:18–25 2:1–23	genealogy birth wisemen and Herod	Introduction: Birth	Focus on Fulfillment of OT Promises			
3:1–12 3:13–17 4:1–11 4:12–17	John's preaching baptism temptation Jesus' preaching	A: Preparation for Ministry	Focus on John and Jesus	preaching preaching	A A	Bookends
4:18–22 4:23–25 5:1–7–29 8:1–15 8:16–17 8:18–22 8:23–9:8 9:9–13 9:14–17 9:18–34 9:35–38 10:1–42	disciples called many miracles sermon on the mount 3 miracles many miracles 2 would-be disciples 3 miracles Eating with Sinners fasting 4 miracles many miracles disciples sent	B: Ministry to His Own	Focus on Disciples, Miracles and Teaching	disciples miracles referred to teaching miracles detailed miracles referred to disciples miracles detailed teaching miracles detailed miracles referred to disciples	A B C D E A B C D E A	Modified Chiasm
11:1–19 11:20–28 11:29–38 12:1–14 12:15–21 12:22–37 12:38–45 12:46–50 13:1–52 13:53–58 14:1–12	John and Jesus Chorazin & Bethsaida Come to Me Sabbath disputes many miracles Pharisees' opposition request for sign mother & brothers 7 parables rejected at Nazareth John killed	C: Opposition	Focus on John, Teaching and Rejection	John rejection teaching opposition, healing on the Sabbath miracles rejection: accusation re demons request for miracle opposition teaching rejection John	A B C D E F E D C B A	Chiasm

14:13–21	5000 fed	D: Ministry to His Own	D1: Focus on Eating, Miracles	eating	A	Modified Chiasm
14:22–33	walking on water			miracle	B	
14:34–36	many miracles			miracles	C	
15:1–20	Traditions of the Elders			eating with unwashed hands	A	
15:21–28	Syro-Phoenician woman			crumbs from the table	B	
15:29–31	many miracles			miracles	C	
15:32–39	4000 fed		D2: Focus on, Who is Jesus?	eating	A	Loose Chiasm
16:1–12	request for sign			postlude: beware leaven of Pharisees	A	
16:13–20	Peter's Confession			Peter	A	
16:21–23	foretelling death			death	B	
16:24–28	self-denial			teaching	C	
17:1–13	transfiguration			transfiguration	C	
17:14–21	boy with demon		D3: Focus on, Who is greatest?	miracle	B	Chiasm
17:22–23	foretelling death			death	B	
17:24–27	tribute money			Peter	A	
18:1–6	who is greatest			who is greatest	A	
18:7–11	offenses				B	
18:12–14	99 & 1 sheep			offenses	B	
18:15–20	sinning brother			divorce	C	
18:21–35	unforgiving servant			blessing children	A	
19:1–12	divorce			wealth	C	
19:13–15	little children				C	
19:16–26	rich ruler				B	
19:27–30	disciples 12 thrones				B	
20:1–16	laborers in vineyard				B	
20:17–19	foretelling death				B	
20:20–28	James & John			who is greatest	A	
20:29–34	2 blind men			postlude: one of "the least" healed	A	

21:1–11	triumphal entry	E: Conflict	Focus on Judgment	Jesus is King	A	Bookends
21:12–17	cleansing temple			Cleansing Temple		
21:18–22	fig tree			Sign of Judgment on Israel		
21:23–27	Jesus' authority			Jesus' Authority to Judge		
21:28–22:14	3 parables			Judgment of Scribes & Pharisees		
22:15–46	Leaders tempt Jesus			Woes on Scribes & Pharisees		
23:1–39	woe to you			Judgment on Jerusalem and the World		
24:1–51	the end			Judgment of Righteous & Wicked		
25:1–46	3 parables			Preparation for Royal Burial		
26:1–5	plotting				A	
26:6–13	preparation for burial					
26:14–19	Judas' betrayal	F: Betrayal, Arrest and Trial	Focus on Disciples	Judas Betrays	A	Bookends
26:20–25	foretelling betrayal			Judas Asks, Is It I?		
26:26–30	Lord's Supper			Disciples Partake of Lord's Supper		
26:31–35	disciples will forsake			Jesus says, Disciples will Forsake		
26:36–46	Jesus praying in the garden			Disciples Unable to Keep Awake		
26:47–50	arrest			Judas Kisses Jesus		
26:51–56	Disciples forsake			Disciples Forsake		
26:57–68	before Caiaphas			Peter Denies		
26:69–75	Peter's denials			Judas Kills Himself		
27:1–2	to Pilate				A	
27:3–10	Judas' Death					
27:11–26	Pilate	Conclusion: Death and Resurrection	Death	Condemned		
27:27–32	soldiers			Mocked		
27:33–56	crucifixion			Killed		
27:57–66	burial		Resurrection	Buried		
28:1–15	resurrection			Raised		
28:16–20	great commission			Exalted		