Sower Story and Explanation Review

Hear the explanation before assigning a label.

A family reading is not a tool for classifying a child's heart.

Hypothetical example: a parent reads both parts of Mark 4, removes their own message distraction, and keeps a difficult verse as a question for a church teacher.

01 The narrative

Describe the story before applying it.

Seed locations in the story

Observed result in the account

Detail needing another reading

02 Jesus' explanation

Use the explanation the passage supplies.

What the seed represents

Connected response named

Verse supporting the reading

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03 Adult hearing

Examine a habit you can actually change.

Adult listening obstacle

Practical change owned by the adult

Application limit to remember

04 The next reading

Keep the difficult question open honestly.

Unresolved question

Church teacher to ask if needed

Time to reread the passage