KINFOLK AND THE KINGDOM OF GOD

LUKE 8:19-21

Intro. A: Jesus spoke to His disciples about the Kingdom of God.

Vs. 11. He preached to them and shewed them the good news about the Kingdom.
2. He spoke to them in parables.

B. He taught them how people receive the word of God.

Vs. 5. 1. The parable of the sower.
Vs. 11. 2. He gave them the meaning of the parable.
13. He emphasized the productivity of those who hear and keep (do) His words.

C. Jesus promised to reveal truth to them.

Vs. 16. 1. He will not hide Himself from them.
Vs. 17. 2. He would have no secrets from them.

D. The disciples must be careful how they hear, and respond to His teaching.

Vs. 18. 1. Those who have knowledge will gain knowledge.
2. Those who think they know will have no foundation on which to build.

E. The next incident affords a real-life illustration of the need to hear and do.

Vs. 19. 1. His Mother and brothers came to Him.
Vs. 19. 2. They could not get to Him.
Vs. 20. 3. He was informed of their presence.
Vs. 21. 4. He then revealed to them a principle of the Kingdom of God.
C. The doctrine of Maryolatry is blasphemy. 
   1. Worshipping Mary is not a choice.
   2. Invoking Mary as an intercessor is folly.

D. The doctrine of immaculate conception is silly.
   1. Mary's mother was a sinner.
   2. Mary was a sinner. She had to be born again.

E. Every person has opportunity in His Kingdom.
   1. You must be born again.
   2. You must hear and do!

F. In the Kingdom of God it is who you know.
   1. You must know Jesus as Saviour.
   2. You must know the Bible to grow.