

B. As pertains to the study proper

1. The Man, Matthew:

- a. Background
- b. Call
- c. Place with the disciples
- d. Later history
- e. His book

2. The Gospel of Matthew

- a. Theme: Jesus is the promised Messiah, the King of Israel
- b. Purpose: Basically to present the claims of Jesus to the Jewish people...

c. Recipients: The Hebrew community

d. Outline:

- I. The King introduced 1-4
- II. The King and His subjects 5-7
- III. The King known and rejected 8-12
- IV. The King and kingdom 13
- V. The King and ministry rejection 14-23
- VI. The King and promised return 24-25
- VII. The King: death and resurrection 26-28

not totally satisfactory but for the moment it will have to do.

e. Concepts

f. Special features

3. Historic Notes

4. The synoptic matter

5. Key Verses and passages

6. A parting question on interpretation.