

READ & WRITE

Read the whole Parable
Multiple Times

Write it out

Story-line Graph (if
parable has a plot)

Every word of God proves true; he is a shield to those who take refuge in him.
Proverbs 30:5

SEE

Literary Context

Gospel's Thematic Statement

Passage Before

Passage After

Other gospel accounts/
Differences

Group of two or three
Structure and Development
of Thought

Historical Context

Jesus' audience

Jesus' setting

Story/Parable

Key Characters(s)

Comparison/Contrast

Conversation

Most space

Details

Ending

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UNDERSTAND

Intent/Purpose

Truth Jesus is conveying

Attitude or Behavior Jesus
desires to change:

Father

Son

Spirit

Mankind

What did Jesus want the
original audience to

Know

Be

Do

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RESPOND

What does God desire

...me to Know

Do I believe this is true?

...me to Be

Do I believe that I am...?

...me to Do

What attitude and/or
behavior do I need to
continue or change?

How will this affect my relationships?

Love for God:

Love for Others:

Love for the Lost:

Who needs to hear this
truth?

Prayer

Praise for who He is:

Thanks for what He has
done

Strength and wisdom to
obey

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