



Seaside Rap:



Jesus was down by the side of the sea
Everyone had come to hear his stories
These parables were cool - so the crowd drew near
There were hundreds of people who wanted to hear.
So they could all see, Jesus jumped in a boat
And told this story while he was afloat.

"A man went out to sow some good seed.
Some fell on the path and some in the weeds.
Some fell in the thorns got choked and then died.
But the seed on good soil really multiplied.

That seed is a picture of God's good news,
The soil is like you and the choices you choose.

Are you like that path where the seed was thrown -
Too hard for the seed so nothing has grown?
As soon as you hear about Jesus Christ -
You forget what you heard - just get on with your life.

Or maybe you are more like rocky ground,
Where not very much good soil is found.
It all starts great - your faith grows tall,
But the soil is shallow - and your roots are small.
So when life is hard and things go wrong,
Your faith in Jesus doesn't last that long.

The seed in the thorns has next to no chance,
Fighting to grow with the other plants.
Is your life like that - in a weedy place -
So full of stuff - no room for real faith?

But in good soil the seed just grows -
And life trusting Jesus really shows.
It's life to the full with nothing to lose
And it's based on the seed of God's good news.