

Creation and incarnation are parabolic, meta-phorical [their Story-meaning "carried over" from the observable, objective facts of nature and human birth]. Further, the biblical invitation is open and nonimperial: right-brain, not left-brain parenetic-mandatory: we are invited to enter into metaphors and those extended metaphors called "parables," and explore their insides while looking out of their windows. For a world-metaphor, "paradigm," is a home being "shown" by the Realtor's agent, the "preacher of the Word" (and teacher and counselor)....Metaphor precedes not only physical-to-metaphysical (visible-to-invisible) but also as an historical flow of resemblance, analogy, "type" [on which see the old two-vol. classic, Patrick Fairbairn's THE TYPOLOGY OF SCRIPTURE (F&W/00), with its titlepp. use of the Aug.qt. that as OT is patent in NT, NT is latent in OT]....Here is the Gss. images-flow in G.Campbell Morgan's THE PARABLES AND METAPHORS OF OUR LORD (F.H.Revell/43), who thus "lured" [p.17]: "If the truth can be suggested by the story, in the presence of that story men may presently find the depth and wonder of the mystery."

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- [No repeating: Continuous throughout the Gospels, but each listed only on its first occurrence.]