



Matthew 5:3-12

The Beatitudes

- ³ Blessed are the poor in spirit,
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
- ⁴ Blessed are those who mourn,
for they will be comforted.
- ⁵ Blessed are the meek,
for they will inherit the earth.
- ⁶ Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness,
for they will be filled.
- ⁷ Blessed are the merciful,
for they will be shown mercy.
- ⁸ Blessed are the pure in heart,
for they will see God.
- ⁹ Blessed are the peacemakers,
for they will be called sons of God.
- ¹⁰ Blessed are those who are persecuted because of righteousness,
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
- ¹¹ Blessed are you when people insult you,
persecute you and falsely say all kinds of
evil against you because of me.

- ¹² Rejoice and be glad, because great is your
reward in heaven, for in the same way they
persecuted the prophets who were before you.”