

The Beatitudes – Part 2

Read “The Beatitudes – Part 2” (CGG).

How are the Beatitudes different from the Fruits of the Spirit?

Read Matthew 5:1-12. Complete the table below with the blessed descriptions/Godly qualities and God's promises.

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Read each statement & circle one answer below.

How many of the Beatitudes does God intend for us to keep?

Some

A Few

All

None

To be “blessed” in this passage means to...

Be Happy

Feel Good

Gain God’s Approval

When will the blessings come about?

Later

Now`

Now & Later

Reread the Matt. 5:1-12 again. Some relate more to our relationship with God and some relate more to our relationship with each other. Complete the table below to show which beatitudes are in which category.

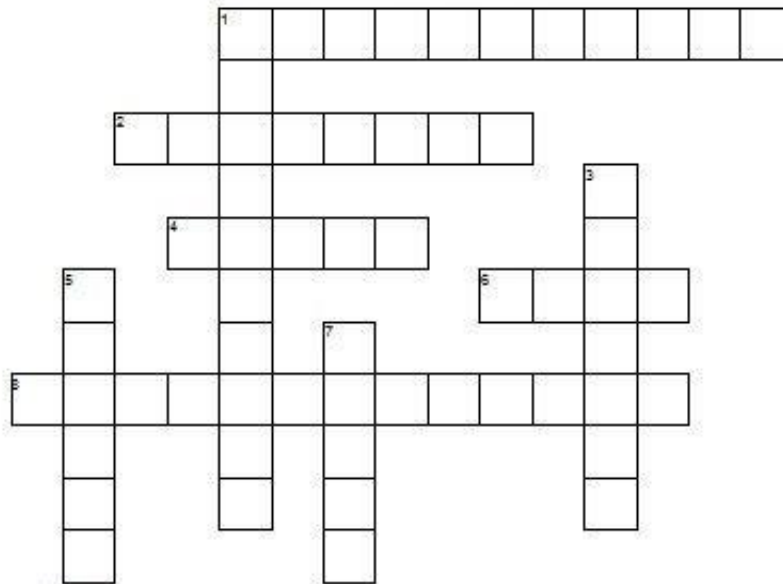
Relationship with God	Relationship with Others

What are 3 ways the Beatitudes are like the 10 Commandments?

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____



Beatitudes



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ACROSS

- 1 Blessed are the _____: for they shall be called the children of God
- 2 Blessed are the _____: for they shall obtain mercy
- 4 Blessed are the pure in _____: for they shall see God
- 6 Blessed are the _____: for they shall inherit the earth
- 8 Blessed are those that hunger and thirst after _____: for they shall be filled

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- 1 Blessed are they which are _____ for righteousness' sake: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven
- 3 _____ are ye, when men shall revile you, and persecute you, and shall say all manner of evil against you falsely, for my sake.
- 5 Blessed are the poor in _____: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven
- 7 Blessed are they that _____: for they shall be comforted

A STAR MATCHING TEST ON THE BEATITUDES

Complete the sentence beginnings below with the correct endings in the star. Write the correct letter on the line.

- 1 ____ Peacemakers are called
- 2 ____ Jesus said that the pure of heart will
- 3 ____ Saints who died willingly for Jesus are
- 4 ____ Those who hunger and thirst to be holy want
- 5 ____ When hurt by others, merciful persons will
- 6 ____ Jesus' way to happiness is called
- 7 ____ The poor in spirit are
- 8 ____ Those who sorrow will receive
- 9 ____ God's lowly people are
- 10 ____ Those who show mercy will receive



A to please God
B children of God
C happy to share
D mercy
E see God
F the eight beatitudes
G gentle and humble
H martyrs
I forgive
J comfort

What does it mean to be "poor in spirit"?

Are the Laodiceans "poor in spirit"? Why or why not?

Poverty of spirit is developed by _____.

Read Psalm 51:1-15. It describes the spiritual poverty David felt. Think of 3 words that describe “spiritual poverty”.

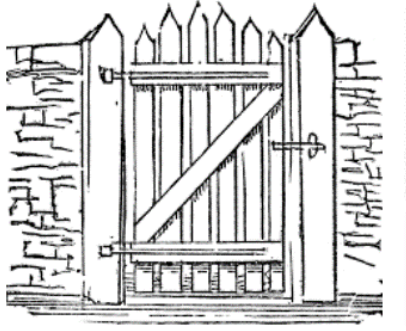
Give an example of each of the following words:

Poor in Spirit –

Contrition –

Humility –





What does the narrow gate have to do with what you learned today?

Read I John 2:15 & Rev. 18:4. What is God saying to those who follow Him?
