

DO YOU WANT TO BE BLESSED?

LIVING LIKE A KING'S KID (Part 1)

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*And when He saw the multitudes, He went up on the mountain; and after He sat down, His disciples came to Him. And opening His mouth, He began to teach them saying, “**Blessed are ...**”*
Matthew 5:1-3a

Do you want to live in the true happiness of the King?

1. You are blessed and happy when you are poor in spirit.

Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
Matthew 5:3

A. The poor in spirit are bankrupt before God.

Then said I, “Woe is me! for I am undone; because I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips: for my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts.”
Isaiah 6:5 NKJV

B. The poor in spirit are humble before God.

*Everyone who is proud in heart is an abomination to the LORD;
Assuredly, he will not be unpunished. Proverbs 16:5*

“For My hand made all these things, thus all these things came into being,” declares the LORD. “But to this one I will look, to him who is humble and contrite of spirit, and who trembles at My word.”
Isaiah 66:2

2. You are blessed and happy when you mourn.

Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted. Matthew 5:4

A. The mourners are not moaners.

Do all things without grumbling or disputing; that you may prove yourselves to be blameless and innocent, children of God above reproach in the midst of a crooked and perverse generation, among whom you appear as lights in the world. Philippians 2:14-15

B. The mourners are those who have godly sorrow over sin.

For the kind of sorrow God wants us to experience leads us away from sin and results in salvation. There's no regret for that kind of sorrow. But worldly sorrow, which lacks repentance, results in spiritual death. 2 Corinthians 7:10 NLT

He who conceals his transgressions will not prosper, but he who confesses and forsakes them will find compassion.

Proverbs 28:13

3. You are blessed and happy when you are meek.

Blessed are the gentle [meek], for they shall inherit the earth.

Matthew 5:5

A. The meek are not weak.

B. The meek are yielded to God's control.

"Father, if You are willing, remove this cup from Me; yet not My will, but Yours be done." Luke 22:42

Are you ready to start living in the happiness of the King?