

## ***DO YOU WANT TO BE BLESSED?***

### **WHEN BLESSINGS ABOUND**

*Deuteronomy 28:1-14      Jeff Schreve*

**God wants to shower His people with blessings!**

**The blessings of God are contingent on your obedience to God.**

*Now it shall be, if you will diligently obey the LORD your God, being careful to do all His commandments which I command you today, the LORD your God will set you high above all the nations of the earth. And all these blessings shall come upon you and overtake you, if you will obey the LORD your God.*

*Deuteronomy 28:1-2*

**1. To obey God, you have to know what God says to do.**

*And the Lord shall make you the head and not the tail, and you only shall be above, and you shall not be underneath, if you will listen to the commandments of the LORD your God, which I charge you today, to observe them carefully. Deuteronomy 28:13*

**\* Bible study is not optional.**

*This book of the law shall not depart from your mouth, but you shall meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do according to all that is written in it; for then you will make your way prosperous, and then you will have success.*

*Joshua 1:8*

*He who gives attention to the word shall find good, and blessed is he who trusts in the Lord. Proverbs 16:20*

**2. To obey God, you have to yield to what God says to do.**

**A. Do you believe His commandments are good and right?**

*Therefore I love Your commandments above gold, yes, above fine gold. Therefore I esteem right all Your precepts concerning everything, I hate every false way. Psalm 119:127-128*

**B. Have you surrendered to His commandments?**

*And I shall lift up my hands to Your commandments, which I love; and I will meditate on Your statutes. Psalm 119:48*

### 3. To obey God, you have to do what God says to do.

*Now it shall be, if you will diligently obey the LORD your God, **being careful to do all His commandments** which I command you today, the LORD your God will set you high above all the nations of the earth.*

*Deuteronomy 28:1*

#### A. Obedience requires action.

*Whatever He says to you, do it. John 2:5*

#### B. Obedience puts you on blessing ground.

*If you know these things, you are blessed if you do them.*

*John 13:17*

##### 1. He says you are to love.

*And you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. Deuteronomy 6:5*

##### 2. He says you are to be holy.

##### 3. He says you are to forgive.

*And be kind to one another, tender-hearted, forgiving each other, just as God in Christ also has forgiven you.*

*Ephesians 4:32*

##### 4. He says you are to give.

*“Will a man rob God? Yet you are robbing Me! But you say, ‘How have we robbed Thee?’ In tithes and offerings. You are cursed with a curse, for you are robbing Me, the whole nation of you! Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, so that there may be food in My house, and test Me now in this,” says the LORD of hosts, “if I will not open for you the windows of heaven, and pour out for you a blessing until it overflows.”*

*Malachi 3:8-10*

**Will you do whatever is necessary to get on blessing ground?**