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True Blessedness – Part 2

Your identification with Jesus will bring you into true blessedness. Your ability to submit to the Holy Spirit will bring you into blessing

Last edition introduced the subject of true blessedness. We looked at the meaning of true blessedness and started going over the different ways we can position ourselves for true blessedness. We looked at the first seven points and we would now continue from where we stopped.

How do you position yourself for true blessing?

8. Do not stand in the way that sinners take. That means do

not do what sinners are doing. What do you call fun? Is it approved by God? I asked a chemist some time ago about vaping. He said, "Let me tell you, vaping is carcinogenic. It gives cancer but a lot of people do not know. Why would you say you are quitting smoking and then you are still taking something into your body that you don't even know the meaning of?" That is what he told me. Then some young ones who have been seeing smoke wish they could smoke. Do not wish it because if you go in the way of sinners, the blessing of God will not come. For true blessedness, you should not stand with sinners.

9. Do not seat in the company of mockers. When you see people who are mocking good things and mocking righteous people,

do not stay there. Do not seat in the company of mockers. When you see anybody mocking good things, please do not add your voice.

10. Delight in the law of God. Rejoice at hearing the law of God. The law of God is not cumbersome. “Thou shall not have another god before me...” is not cumbersome. It is not burdensome. “Thou shall not covet...” is not burdensome. “Honour the Sabbath to worship God in it...” is not cumbersome. God gave us that law so that we can consistently remain in blessing. It is because of the law that we are blessed so please delight in the law of God.

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11. Meditate day and night on the law of God. Do not meditate on your problems. When you meditate on your problems, you get irritated and angry. Do not meditate on your shortcomings. When you meditate on your shortcomings, do you know what it makes you? It makes you a very envious and cantankerous person to be around. When you meditate on your own shortcomings, you see people that are not as beautiful as you getting married and having children. You see people that are not as tall as you getting tall women who love them. You see people that are not as fat as you getting husbands. You begin to criticize other people when you meditate on your shortcomings.

Go and check it out, anytime you meditate on what you lack, you never give praise to God. Do not meditate in that. Meditate on the law of God. Joshua 1:8 reads, ***“This book of the law shall not depart out of thy mouth; but thou shalt***

meditate therein day and night, that thou mayest observe to do according to all that is written therein: for then thou shalt make thy way prosperous, and then thou shalt have good success."

Do you know that what you have is somebody else's dream? You have clothes and you can seat in church to worship. Do not meditate on your shortcomings. When you meditate on your shortcomings, it makes you an ingrate. You will not give thanks to God if you are always looking at what you lack. People will not even want to be around you because you will become toxic. Anytime they are around you, you say, "Do you know my leg is hurting me? my neck is hurting me..." When are you going to say, "Thank you God, I woke up this morning. Thank you God, I have a job to go to. Thank you God, I have a friend that can even call me." When you say that, you will see your mood lifting and the blessing of the Lord will be with you.

12. In the beatitudes we have nine lifestyle instructions that Jesus Christ gave. Matthew 5:3 says, "Blessed are the poor in spirit" What does poverty in spirit mean? It means the one who is longing after God. The one who is not self-sufficient. The one who does not say, "I don't need God. I am god by myself." The one who is saying, "God, without you I am nothing." The one who is saying, "God, help me. If you don't help me, I am finished. God, if you don't feed me, I will go hungry. God, if you don't clothe me, I will go naked. God, if you don't give me a house to live in, I will be on the street." The one who longs after God. The one who goes after God. The one who says, "God, you are my all in all.

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There is none in heaven but you. There is none on earth that I desire but you.” The one who is poor in the spirit to always lean on God.

13. The one who always mourns according to Matthew 5:4. The one who laments and sheds tears and grieves over sin. The one who always mourns for spiritual things. The one who says, “God, will you not send your Holiness upon us because the world has gone corrupt? God, will you not save souls today because I saw some people marching on the streets and rejoicing at what the devil has given to them?” And then they go back and cry. It is not the person rejoicing and saying, “Have you heard? You remember that pastor, that holiness preacher? Ah, they caught him in adultery! God will continue to catch them like that, yes.” Really? Did the man really preach holiness? Did he have a fault? Did he fall into sin and did you rejoice over that sin?

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Do you rejoice that another believer falls into sin? Or do you go into your closet and say, “Oh God, I know that brother. He gave his life to Jesus Christ when I was preaching. I followed him up. God please restore him.” Do you mourn for sin? Do you lament when you see things go wrong? Or do you say, “Yes! Just like that, God will scatter all of them in that church.” And you want God to bless you? No, He would not. Matthew 5:4 says, **“Blessed are those who mourn: for they shall be comforted.”** You mourn for sin. You lament for sin. You grieve over the fallen state of another person.

When a person was always prophesying, and you knew the prophecy was true, but all of a sudden the person has become

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a person that is pursuing money. When you go to the person now, they say, "Well by God's grace, God is going to do a new thing in your life today. But before I pray, this is my account number. Just make a deposit." And you know that was not the way he started. Do you know what church members do most of the time? They say, "Excuse me, do you know that pastor? He now collects money before he prays for you. He was not like that before. I have deleted his phone number, quickly." Excuse me, when you delete his number and you tell others to delete his number, who is going to pray him back into the will of God?

There is gossip going around now spreading the latest one.

Maybe some of you reading this are still scratching your heads and saying, "These men of God, where do they get money from? I learnt that they are buying private jets. Is it jets we need now? Is it jets?" Have you actually prayed for them? You think you do not have to pray right? Because they are too far away. They are not your father in the Lord right? The ones who bought jets who you are criticising, is God now going to send them to Hell Fire by your criticism? Do you know what that thing is affecting? It is your own blessing.

14. Being submissive. The Bible says in Matthew 5:5 that the meek shall inherit the earth. Those who are gentle in their spirit. Sometime ago, a sister was telling me, "No sir, whenever that person looks at me, I get so angry in my spirit and I shake! I say, 'you are talking to me like that?!' Then I begin to curse her..." I said, "Who did you say you cursed?" She said it was one of the sisters in the church. I said, "And then you say you are

angry in the spirit? No, you are angry in your brain. Are you cursing evil or are you cursing the person? Which one are you doing?" Some people spiritualise it and say they are angry in their spirit. No, it is in your soul because you feel insulted. That is why you are angry. Also, the Bible tells me not to keep company with an angry person. So the Spirit of God will not keep company with an angry person whose anger stems from the insult they receive and not for the honour of God. That is why you see that true blessing is not coming to the life of a lot of people in the church.

15. Those who hunger after righteousness. Are you hungry for righteousness? Jesus Christ

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said in Matthew 6:33a, ***“But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness.”***

16. Those who thirst after righteousness. Do you thirst after righteousness? Do you say, “God, move me from this level.” Not the level of wealth but the level of righteousness with God. Anyone that is righteous in the sight of God will lack nothing. Though the host of Hell may come against you, because you are righteous in the sight of God, they will not overpower you. The righteousness of Joseph is what made him to fulfil destiny in a strange land.

17. You must be merciful. This is because he that is merciful will obtain mercy according to Matthew 5:7. Merciful people respond to human need in an unmerited manner. One of our senior pastors in Nigeria was doing his work and one of the zonal pastors under him wrote an epistle against this man of God to our father in the Lord, Dr. D. K. Olukoya. Dr. Olukoya looked at the letter and kept it,

looking for an opportunity to meet with this senior pastor. Coincidentally, the senior pastor left his region and came to see our father in the Lord to discuss promotion issues with him. He actually came to fight for the person that was writing petitions against him. Our father in the Lord said, “Oh, why did you come?” The pastor said, “Well, I realised that this zonal pastor has been working so hard. Please I want you to consider promoting him.” Dr. Olukoya asked him who he was talking about and the senior pastor mentioned the zonal pastor’s name. “You want me to promote that man?” He said, “Yes. Why won’t you promote him? He is working very hard. I want you to promote him.”

Dr. Olukoya confirmed the zonal pastor’s name again and then brought out the epistle the man wrote, gave it to the senior pastor and asked him to read. The man read it and gave it back to Dr. Olukoya and said, “Yes, I have read it. You must still promote him.” Dr. Olukoya

said, “Despite all he has written?” The pastor said, “He is just confused. Promote him.” Dr. Olukoya approved and promoted him. Do you think you will obtain mercy from God when you do not show mercy to other people? The blessing of mercy comes when you show mercy. Please do not say, “Well, I will be merciful only to those ones who ask me.” Really? Where is the forgiveness? True blessedness will come to those who are merciful.

18. Those who are pure in heart before God.
19. Those who are peacemakers. Peacemakers by the Spirit of God. Not the reconciliatory parties who will seat down and

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talk for long and drink a little rum and then say, “Okay, you drink rum from the same glass. Drink!” No, it is not that kind. It is those that do it by the Spirit of God. Jonathan the son of Saul was a peacemaker. His father was going to kill David but the man stepped in. The father was so angry and said in 1 Samuel 20, “I am preserving your throne and you are preferring the son of Jesse. It will be to your mother’s shame.” Jonathan did not bother. When his father wanted to kill him, he told David not to come to the dining table that day because his father was planning to kill him. Jonathan was a peacemaker.

Barnabas was another peacemaker in the Bible. He was the one that went to look for Saul of Tarsus after he was saved and brought him to Jerusalem. Acts 9:26-27 reads, ***“And when Saul was come to Jerusalem, he assayed to join himself to the disciples: but they were all afraid of him, and believed not that he was a disciple. But Barnabas took***

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him, and brought him to the apostles, and declared unto them how he had seen the Lord in the way, and that he had spoken to him, and how he had preached boldly at Damascus in the name of Jesus.” Barnabas did that. No wonder Barnabas was blessed because he was the son of encouragement. Peacemakers are empathetic. Peacemakers are agreeable. Peacemakers are friendly and easy-going. They mend the place where hatred is festering by the Spirit of God.

20. You position yourself by enduring persecution for righteousness sake. Not for your fault. You say, “I am just enduring. What did I do wrong? It was just one thing I did wrong and they are now

persecuting me like this.” No, punishment comes when you do something wrong. Take it and ride on. When you are annoyed because of righteous things, you do not fight back. When your reputation is injured, you do not go on the airwaves. You suffer misunderstanding for righteousness sake. One of the reasons they gave for killing Jesus Christ was that He said He will destroy the temple and in three days He will rebuild it. Was He talking about the temple they spent forty years to build? He was talking about His body. They misunderstood Him and killed Him for it. When he was on the cross he prayed the Father not to count the sin against them because they knew not what they were doing.

When was the last time you actually suffered persecution for righteousness sake and not for your ego? Someone hurts your pride and you decide to do something about it. Twenty years down the line you are still doing it and you wonder why

true blessedness never comes? Be a person who bears reproach because of righteousness. Jesus Christ was called Beelzebub. They said he cast out demons by the power of Beelzebub. They called him the chief of demons.

Do you ever wonder why God put blessing into the name of Jesus? It was because He personified all the twenty things we have spoken about. He submitted to the will of His Father and true blessing comes from Him. Let me tell you beloved, your identification with Jesus in all things will bring you into true blessedness. Your ability to submit to the Holy Spirit so that the Holy Spirit will have its way will bring you into blessing. Do you want to be blessed by God or do you want to continue the way you are without the true blessing of God? It is true Peter was called from catching fish. He followed Jesus Christ for upwards of three years but nobody knew he was still hiding the fish net until Jesus Christ finally cornered him in John 21. He asked Peter, “Do you love me more than these Simon Barjona?” And He restored Peter. Peter finally

surrendered. After that, Peter did not go fishing again.

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Prayer Points

1. *[Lay you hand on your chest]*
Anything within me that is hindering me from receiving true blessings from the hand of God, I submit them now, in Jesus name.
2. Father, any way that your blessing must manifest, that I may become a blessing to others, help me and I shall be a blessing, in the name of Jesus.
3. Any problem I have created for myself, Father let your blessings override them, in the name of Jesus.
4. Father, give me a peculiar vision that will show that indeed you are God who blesses, in the name of Jesus.
5. Father, every vision of Your glory that I have abandoned, bring me back to it, in Jesus name.
6. Father rekindle your blessings in my life, in the name of Jesus.
7. Holy Ghost, connect me to divine fire, in the name of Jesus.
8. Powers of darkness pursuing my glory, die, in the name of Jesus.
9. Every pharaoh of darkness saying “No” to my Moses, die, in the name of Jesus.
10. Powers appointed by Hell Fire to terminate my glorious vision, die, in the name of Jesus.
11. *[Say this seven times]*
Negative situations shall not defeat me, in the name of Jesus.
12. Voices of shame calling my name, die, in the name of Jesus.
13. Goliath of darkness that pursued my parents, that is now pursuing me, enough is enough, die, in the name of Jesus.
14. Jesus Christ, Jesus Christ, Jesus Christ, scatter my darkness, in the name of Jesus.

OUR YEAR OF RESTORATION AND REVIVAL

- 2 Chronicles 7:14; Jeremiah 30:17; 1 Peter 3:10

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