

BLESSED ARE THE POOR IN SPIRIT, FOR THEIRS IS THE KINGDOM OF
HEAVEN. BLESSED ARE THOSE WHO MOURN, FOR THEY WILL BE
COMFORTED. BLESSED ARE THE MEEK, FOR THEY WILL INHERIT THE
EARTH. BLESSED ARE THOSE WHO HUNGER AND THIRST FOR
RIGHTEOUSNESS, FOR THEY WILL BE FILLED. BLESSED ARE THE
MERCIFUL, FOR THEY WILL RECEIVE MERCY. BLESSED ARE THE PURE
IN HEART, FOR THEY WILL SEE GOD. BLESSED ARE THE PEACE-MAKERS,
FOR THEY WILL BE CALLED THE SONS OF GOD. BLESSED ARE THOSE
WHO ARE PERSECUTED BECAUSE OF RIGHTEOUSNESS, FOR THEIRS IS
THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN. BLESSED ARE YOU WHEN PEOPLE INSULT
YOU, PERSECUTE YOU AND FALSELY SAY ALL KINDS OF EVIL AGAINST
YOU BECAUSE OF ME. REJOICE AND BE GLAD, BECAUSE GREAT IS YOUR
REWARD IN HEAVEN, FOR IN THE SAME WAY THEY PERSECUTED THE
PROPHETS WHO WERE BEFORE YOU.

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Serving with the Character of Christ

The Beatitudes
Matthew 5

THE MEEK

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Blessed are the meek

**There is True Satisfaction
for those who are Meek**

Blessed are the gentle

A Positive Quality

Strength Under Control

Calm and Peaceful

Tact and Gracious Courtesy

**The Ultimate Victory Will Not
Be Won By the Wicked**



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Matthew 5:1-5 NIV



Now when Jesus saw the crowds, he went up on a mountainside and sat down.

His disciples came to him, and he began to teach them. He said: “Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

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MOTIVATING MEEKNESS

Jesus Mandates Meekness

Meekness Cannot Mean Weakness

>Strength Under Control

Meekness is Submitted Strength

Surrender Your Strength to God

Trusting God to Set the Course

***those who hope in the LORD will
inherit the land.***

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MODELING MEEKNESS



Meekness cannot mean Spineless

Jesus was Meek

for I am meek and lowly in heart

Come to Me

Position Ourselves for God to
Work Through Us

Meekness is a Proper Dose

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MOBILIZING MEEKNESS



Meekness Cannot Mean Apathy

A Call to Love in Action

Self Control is Produced by the Spirit

Our Confidence is in God

“My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.”

You are Not Powerless

There's Work to be Done