

Blessed is the One Who Has His Character

Passage: [Matthew 5:1-12](#)

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Reflecting on God's Word

1. Read **Matthew 5:1-12** and **Luke 6:17-34**.
2. Are the blessings in these passages primarily for *attributes* or *actions*?
3. Are the blessings in these passages *rewards* or the *natural result* of the kind of person Jesus describes?
4. How do these "Beatitudes" fit into the Sermon on the Mount, which is designed to introduce people to what the Kingdom of God is like?
5. How do these Beatitudes match the character of Christ? Why is this important?
6. Examine yourself against these descriptions and pray about what you discover.