



Matthew 5:1–10

Matthew 5:1–10 contains the Beatitudes, in which Jesus identifies people who are blessed in God's eyes.

Directions: Locate Matthew 5:1–10 in the Bible and read it silently. Write one term from the word bank on the line under the description of the person it fits.

poor in spirit	merciful
mourning	clean of heart
meek	peacemaker
hungering and thirsting for righteousness	persecuted for the sake of righteousness

Beth's grandmother died last month. Beth is very sad and doesn't know when she will feel happy again.

Michiko eagerly reads her Bible and prays every day. She never stops asking God to help her grow in obedience.

Jordan always tries to forgive people in his heart when they hurt his feelings, even if they never apologize.

Katie worries that she has little to offer God. She thinks she makes mistakes more often than other Christians do.

Amanda's classmates often make fun of her for volunteering at a homeless shelter after school instead of playing sports.

When Terrence's siblings get angry with him or each other, Terrence does his best to help everyone get along.

Jorge is quiet and shy. Sometimes other people ignore him or look down on him because of his shyness.

Michael does everything he can to keep his thoughts pure.

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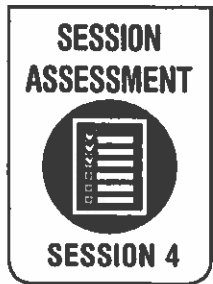


SESSION 4

We Depend on One Another

Directions: Fill out the three cards below to thank the people on whom you depend. Tell each person how you depend on him or her and how he or she can depend on you. Then cut out each card, fold it, and give it to the person of your choice.

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A. Circle the choice that best completes each sentence.

1. In order to enter the Kingdom of God, we must become like
 - a. the twelve disciples.
 - b. adults.
 - c. children.
 - d. priests.

2. God's direction for our lives was first revealed in the Old Testament, especially in the
 - a. Ten Commandments.
 - b. Psalms.
 - c. first chapter.
 - d. final chapter.

3. According to Jesus, people who suffer
 - a. need God more than other people do.
 - b. are blessed by God.
 - c. will receive everything they want.
 - d. are experiencing the consequences of their own sin.

4. The Old Testament law is completed in
 - a. human laws.
 - b. books written by saints.
 - c. divine visions.
 - d. the New Testament.

5. To be humble means to recognize
 - a. how hungry we are.
 - b. our dependence on God.
 - c. that we have no money.
 - d. that we trust other people.

6. The Son of God became man to
 - a. proclaim the Kingdom of God.
 - b. have possessions.
 - c. live the Beatitudes.
 - d. be happy.

7. The Beatitudes are part of Jesus' teaching
 - a. at the Temple.
 - b. in Jerusalem.
 - c. in the Sermon on the Mount.
 - d. of the Commandments.

8. Members of God's kingdom
 - a. do not have to be humble.
 - b. accept God's direction for their lives.
 - c. have become perfect.
 - d. all of the above.

9. By praying the Morning Offering, we can
 - a. greet God.
 - b. dedicate our day to God.
 - c. spend time with God.
 - d. do all of the above.

10. Saint Philip Neri encouraged people
 - a. to be serious all the time.
 - b. to become priests.
 - c. to worry about little things.
 - d. to be happy.

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B. Of all the Beatitudes, which one do you find to be most comforting?
Why do you feel that way?

C. What are some actions you can take to be closer to God?
