

The Pursuit of Happiness: Week 4

A Study of Matthew 5:3-10

- ³Blessed are the poor in spirit,
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
- ⁴Blessed are those who mourn,
for they will be comforted.
- ⁵Blessed are the meek,
for they will inherit the earth.
- ⁶Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for
righteousness,
for they will be filled.
- ⁷Blessed are the merciful,
for they will be shown mercy.
- ⁸Blessed are the pure in heart,
for they will see God.
- ⁹Blessed are the peacemakers,
for they will be called sons of God.
- ¹⁰Blessed are those who are persecuted because of
righteousness,
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

The work of making peace is something we must

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for they will be called the sons of God.”

Philippians 4:2-3, “I plead with Euodia and I plead with Syntyche to agree with each other in the Lord. Yes, and I ask you, loyal yokefellow, help these women who have contended at my side in the cause of the gospel. . . .”

First, I must mend whatever broken relationship I see in

Second, I must mend whatever broken relationship I see in

The abuse of an unbelieving world is what we must

“Blessed are those who are persecuted
because of righteousness,
for theirs is the kingdom of God.”

Matthew 5:11-12, “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.”