



The "Bee Attitudes"



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Matthew 5:1-2 (NIV)

Based on Matthew 5:1-12

K M B S P F N T K X V Y K L X
Z Y Z P X U H E H I E C K J K
J E B I W P R S P I N A R K X
J J O R G J H E O O R G R S X
E W T I X D H U S P O S D T M
H X S T I O B N N C U R T O H
Z I G S D E C O Y G W R M Y M
I K M B J L I C X D E I O C I
N W I L V I R L C K C R U W W
H I Y E U E X U A H H M R B D
E K R S M Z H E A V E N N E Z
R K R S K W X B T M I A L G E
I N N E E A A B S F H L R U X
T W B D O S G P F D I W L T Z
F M E E K V F U O F Q R G B V

MOURN
FILLED
KINGDOM

THIRST
MEEK
INHERIT

PURE
MERCY
HEAVEN

HUNGER
POOR
BLESSED

HEART
EARTH
SPIRIT

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Each number represents a letter of the alphabet. Substitute the correct letter for the numbers to reveal the coded words.

S	A	Y	X	O	L	B	G	C	Q	J	D	U	W	Z	N	T	R	P	E	V	I	M	K	H	F
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26

- 7-20-2-17-22-17-13-12-20-1 _____
- 19-5-5-18 _____
- 1-19-22-18-22-17 _____
- 23-5-13-18-16 _____
- 23-20-20-24 _____
- 25-13-16-8-20-18 _____
- 23-20-18-9-22-26-13-6 _____
- 19-13-18-20 _____
- 24-22-16-8-12-5-23 _____
- 25-20-2-21-20-16 _____

HUNGER
POOR

MOURN
PURE

SPIRIT
KINGDOM

MERCIFUL
BEATITUDES

MEEK
HEAVEN

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A list of words is provided in a word bank at the bottom of the page. Write the words in alphabetical order on the numbered lines provided.

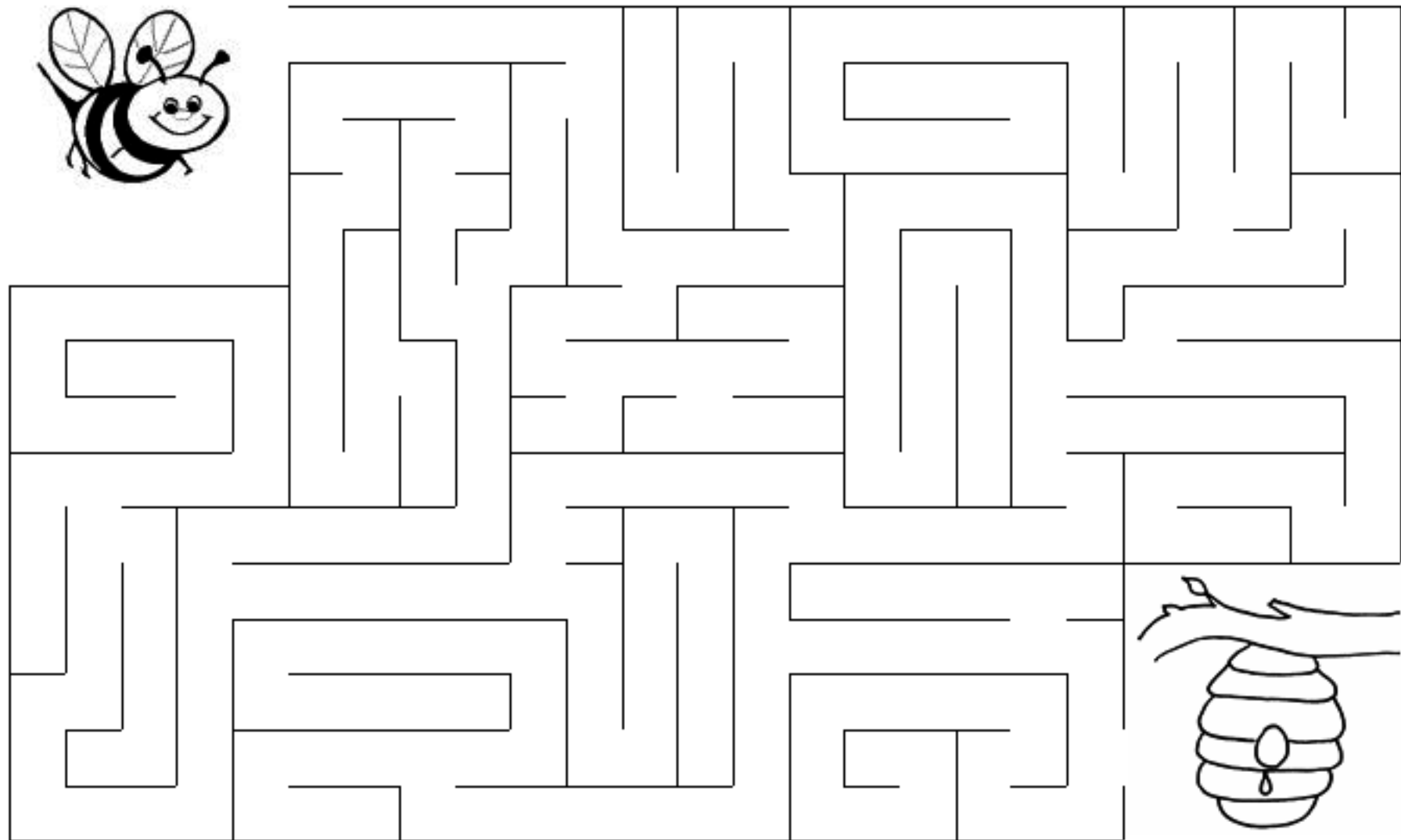
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hunger
peacemakers
persecuted

righteousness
blessed
meek

merciful
spirit
pure

mourn
thirst
poor



The Beatitudes

"Blessed are you when people insult you, persecute you and falsely say all kinds of evil against you because of me."

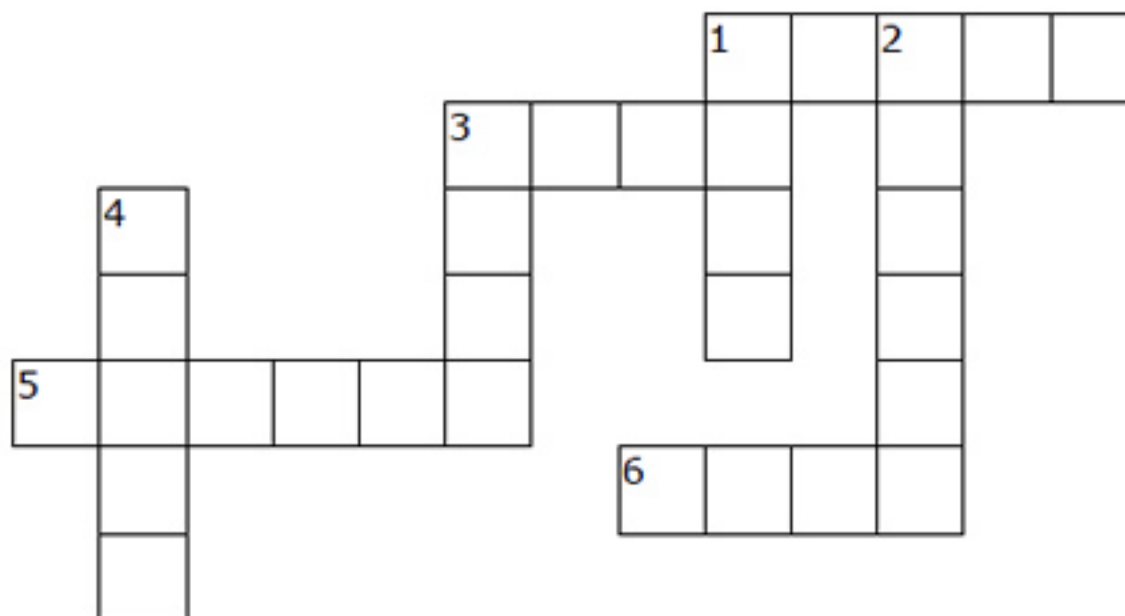
Matthew 5:11 (NIV)

Based on Matthew 5:1-12



Blessed

are the poor in spirit
for theirs is the
kingdom of heaven.



ACROSS

1. To show great kindness toward others
3. To be without any faults; without sin
5. A need for food
6. To feel happiness, joy and pleasure

DOWN

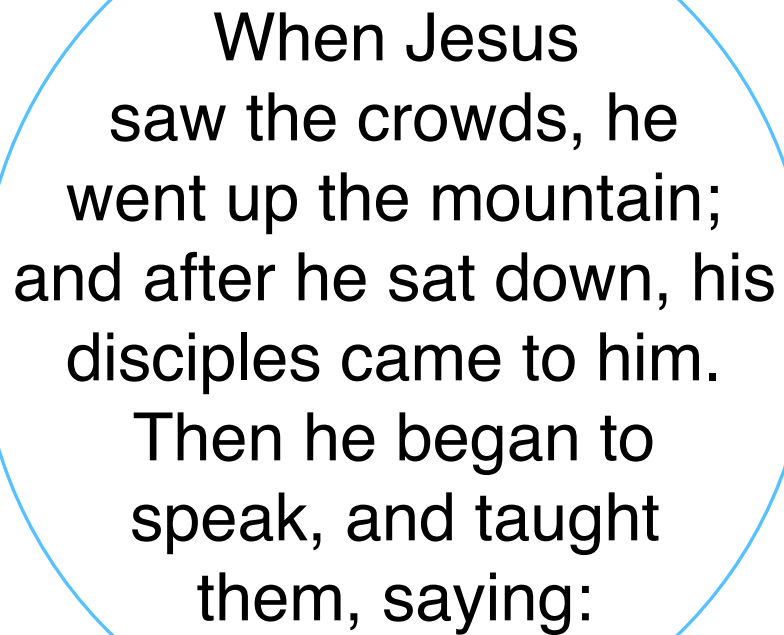
1. To be humble in spirit or manner
2. A payment received in return for doing good deeds
3. Having little money or few possessions
4. To feel sadness

REWARD
HUNGER

POOR
PURE

MOURN
GLAD

MEEK
MERCY



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saw the crowds, he
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and after he sat down, his
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Then he began to
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them, saying:

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spirit, for theirs is the
kingdom of heaven

Blessed are those
who hunger and thirst for
righteousness,
for they will be filled

Blessed are those who
mourn, for they will be
comforted

Blessed are the meek, for
they will inherit the earth

Blessed are the
merciful,
for they will receive
mercy

Blessed are the pure in
heart, for they will see
God

Blessed are the
peacemakers, for they will
be called children of God

Blessed are
those who are
persecuted for
righteousness' sake, for
theirs is the kingdom of
heaven

Blessed are you when
people revile you and persecute
you and utter all kinds of evil against
you falsely on my account. Rejoice and
be glad, for your reward is great in
heaven, for in the same way they
persecuted the prophets who
were before you

THE BEATITUDES

