

We are Blessed
Luke 1 46-55



Definition of blessed....

- 1) Bringing pleasure, contentment, or good fortune.
- 2) Used in mild expressions of annoyance or exasperation.
- 3) Being made holy, set apart, or the act of being transformed into the image of Jesus.





Luke 1:46-50

46 And Mary said: “My soul glorifies the Lord

47 and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior, 48 for He has been
mindful of the humble state of his servant. From now on all
generations will call me blessed, 49 for the Mighty One has done
great things for me. Holy is his name. 50 His mercy extends to
those who fear him, from generation to generation.

Luke 1 51-55

51 He has performed mighty deeds with His arm;
He has scattered those who are proud in their inmost
thoughts. 52 He has brought down rulers from their thrones
but has lifted up the humble. 53 He has filled the hungry
with good things but has sent the rich away empty. 54 He
has helped his servant Israel, remembering to be merciful
55 to Abraham and His descendants forever, just
as He promised our ancestors.”



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God's promises are always kept.
To Mary:

Jesus would come from the lineage of Abraham

Old Testament Promise: Genesis 22:18

New Testament Promise Kept: Matthew 1:1

Jesus would be born of a virgin.

Old Testament Promise: Isaiah 7:14

New Testament Promise Kept: Luke 1:27





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To Mary:

Jesus would be declared the Son of God.

Old Testament Promise: Psalm 2:7

New Testament Promise Kept: Matthew 3:16-17

Jesus would be born in Bethlehem

Old Testament Promise: Micah 5:2

New Testament Promise Kept: Luke 2:4-6



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To Mary:

Jesus would be heir to King David's throne.


Old Testament Promise: Isaiah 9:7

New Testament Promise Kept: Romans 1:3-4

Jesus would be preceded by John the baptist.

Old Testament Promise: Malachi 3:1

New Testament Promise Kept: Matthew 11:10



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To Us (past and present):

Jesus is our omniscient teacher. (Parables)

Old Testament Promise: Psalm 78:2-4

New Testament Promise Kept: Matthew 13:10-15

Jesus is there to heal the brokenhearted.

Old Testament Promise: Isaiah 61:1-2

New Testament Promise Kept: Luke 4:18-19



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To Us (past and future):

Jesus will return for His church
and we will be with Him forever.

Old Testament Promise:

Daniel 7:13-14

New Testament Promise to Come:

Revelation 19:1-10

2 Corinthians 4:13-18

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13 It is written: "I believed; therefore I have spoken. Since we have that same spirit of faith, we also believe and therefore speak,

14 because we know that the one who raised the Lord Jesus from the dead will also raise us with Jesus and present us with you to Himself. 15 All this is for your benefit, so that the grace that is reaching more and more people may cause thanksgiving to overflow to the glory of God.



2 Corinthians 4:13-18

16 Therefore we do not lose heart.

Though outwardly we are wasting away,
yet inwardly we are being renewed day by day.

17 For our light and momentary troubles
are achieving for us an eternal glory that

far outweighs them all. 18 So we fix
our eyes not on what is seen, but on what
is unseen, since what is seen is temporary,
but what is unseen is eternal.



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- 4) Remember Jesus' sacrifice on the Cross,
1 Corinthians 11:23-31 + Communion

