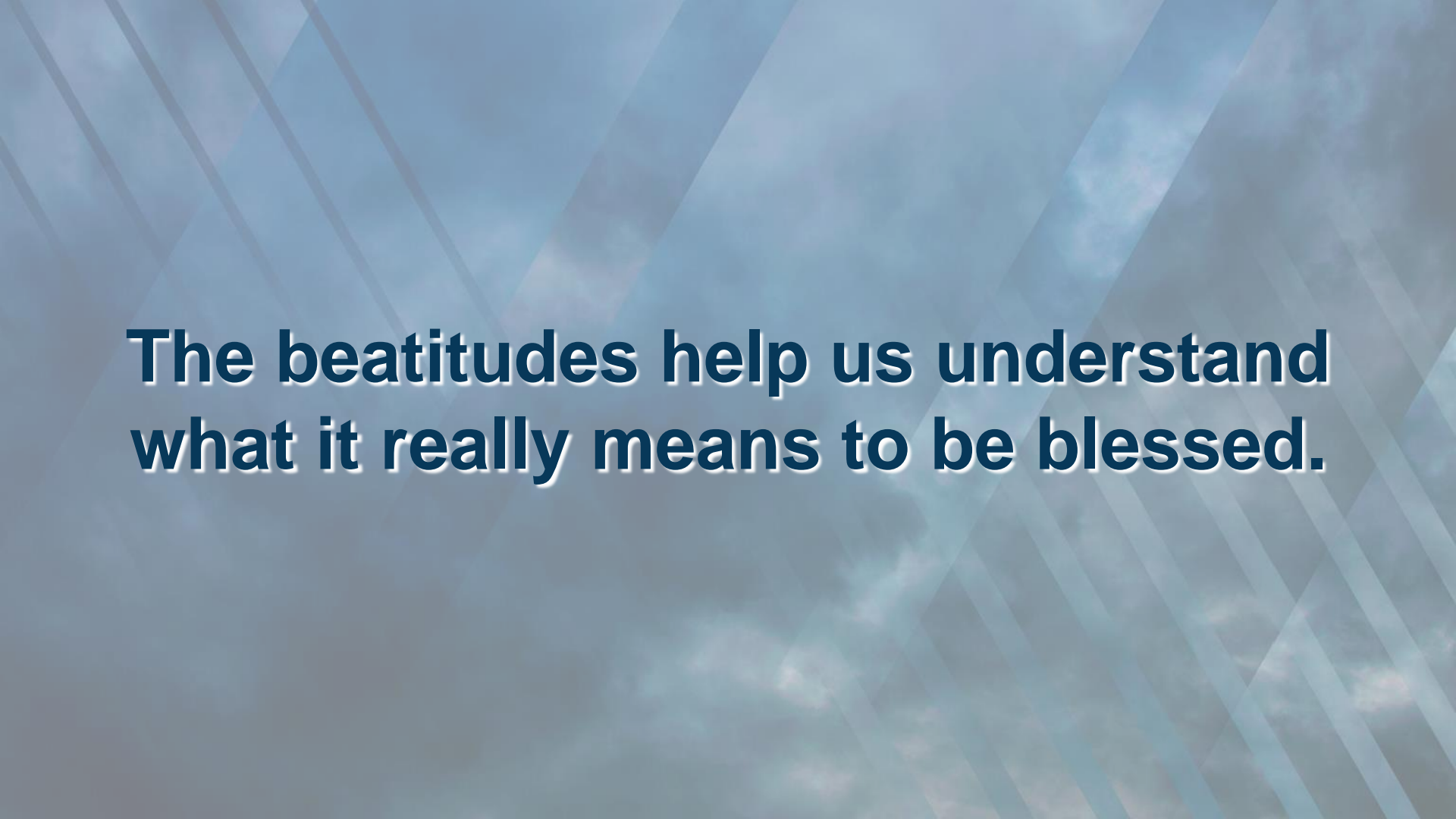


BLESSED

THE BEATITUDES OF JESUS



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**The beatitudes help us understand
what it really means to be blessed.**

Living a Blessed Life

Matthew 5:1-12

According to Jesus, true happiness is not a set of pleasant circumstances, but the fruit of having a close walk with God.

Romans 12:1

**“I beseech you therefore, brethren,
by the mercies of God, that ye
present your bodies a living sacrifice,
holy, acceptable unto God, which is
your reasonable service.”**

Romans 12:2

**“And be not conformed to this world:
but be ye transformed by the renewing
of your mind, that ye may prove what
is that good, and acceptable, and
perfect, will of God.”**

- 1. The blessed life is a life of surrender.**
- 2. The blessed life is a life of sacrifice.**
- 3. The blessed life is a life of service.**