



**“Living Under
The Cross:
Blessed Are The Meek”**

Matthew 5:5

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I. Some observations about the Beatitudes to remind ourselves of:

The Beatitudes are not a new set of _____ to follow.

The life the Beatitudes invite us to live is an _____
life to live, if we try to do it on our own.

The Beatitudes have a necessary _____ to them, and
they _____ on each other.

II. *“Blessed are the meek”* – Working out a definition

A. The basic definition of meekness is...

B. But be careful! Meekness does not mean...

C. From biblehub.com:

*“Biblical meekness is not weakness but rather refers to God
exercising strength under his control; demonstrating power
without undue harshness.”*

III. Examples of meekness in the Old Testament

IV. But Christ is the greatness example of meekness

A. Zechariah 9:9

B. Isaiah 42:2, cf. Matthew 12:9-21

C. Other examples of Jesus’ meekness in the gospels:

D. Verses from the rest of the New Testament about
meekness:

V. How do we grow in meekness?

A. Burn _____ out of your heart.

B. Learn the right use of _____.

C. Learn the right use of _____.

D. Learn my own need for _____ and how hard
it is to _____.

Our Project Of The Week: