



Sermon Notes

Sermon on the Mount

Reference: Matthew 5–7

1. Introduction: Setting the Scene (Matthew 5:1–2)

- Jesus sees the crowds, goes up on a mountainside, and begins teaching His disciples.

2. The Beatitudes – Kingdom Values (Matthew 5:3–12)

1. "Blessed are the poor in spirit..." (v.3) – Eight blessings that define the heart posture of Kingdom people.
2. Emphasis on humility, mercy, righteousness, peace, and endurance in persecution.

3. Salt and Light – Influence of Believers (Matthew 5:13–16)

- Believers are to be the salt of the earth and the light of the world.
- A call to visible, impactful lives that glorify God.

4. Fulfilling the Law – Jesus' Authority (Matthew 5:17–20)

- Jesus didn't abolish the Law but fulfilled it.
- Righteousness must exceed that of the Pharisees.