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Discussion Questions – Teaching the Third Beatitude by Jeanne Sparks Read Matthew 5:5

Blessed are the meek: for they shall inherit the earth.

Qualities of "meek:"

- Quietly, but firmly, positive
- No weakness, but strength
- Letting go of previous hurts, losses or failures—all the baggage
- Gentle
- Self-controlled with no temper tantrums
- Trusting as the lambkin trusts and follows the shepherd.

Qualities of "inheritances:"

- Free gifts that have to be claimed by proving your identity
- Qualities received
- Conditions or traits from past generations
- Our God-given inheritance is only good and healthy.

Paraphrasing of Beatitude # 3

- Happy are those who are letting go of their anger and hurts, for they shall experience wonderful things taking place in their lives.
- Happy are those who claim the dominion that is their spiritual heritage, for their lives will be healthy, exciting, and successful.

Create your own paraphrase of Matt 5:5

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Help the students to create posters to help remember the beatitude. Jeanne Sparks created this one for her pupils:



INSTANTANEOUS FREE GIFTS FROM GOD, INCLUDING:
DOMINION OVER

- SIN
- DISEASE
- DEATH
- HAPPY, SUCCESSFUL LIFE
- EVERYTHING YOU NEED OR WILL EVER NEED IS GIVEN FREELY!
- Offered daily to all who show:
 - Self-control
 - Gentleness as a lamb
 - Quiet strength

CLAIM YOUR INHERITANCE NOW BY DIALING: 4-6-3 (G - O - D)

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