

A Declaration of Righteousness ***Matthew 6:1-18***

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Grace Bible Church

Righteousness is Right-Relationship

The Bedrock of Righteousness

The special feature of *makarios* in the NT is that it refers overwhelmingly to the distinctive religious joy which accrues to man from his share in the salvation of the kingdom of God.”

— Freidrich Hauch

Righteousness and Others

“Nothing shows me the absolute need of the new birth, and of the Holy Spirit and His work within, so much as the Sermon on the Mount. These Beatitudes crush me to the ground. They show me my utter helplessness. Were it not for the new birth, I am undone.”

— Martin Lloyd-Jones

Righteousness and God

By the grace of God, one thing I can do this week in response to this sermon is: