

# The Amazing Teachings of Jesus

## **ALL THE PEOPLE WERE AMAZED AT HIS TEACHING**

MATTHEW 7:28, “When Jesus had finished saying these things, the crowds were amazed at his teaching, <sup>29</sup> because He taught as one who had authority, and not as their teachers of the law.”

JOHN 7:14, “Not until halfway through the Feast did Jesus go up to the temple courts and begin to teach. The Jews were amazed and asked, “How did this man get such learning without having studied?”

LUKAS 4:36, “All the people were amazed and said to each other, “What is this teaching? With authority and power He gives orders to evil spirits and they come out!”

## **WHO IS THIS JESUS? THE ANSWER IS GIVEN BY GOD HIMSELF**

MATTHEW 3:16 “As soon as Jesus was baptized, He went up out of the water. At that moment heaven was opened, and He saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and lighting on Him. <sup>17</sup> And a voice from heaven said, “This is my Son, whom I love; with Him I am well pleased.”

### **1. EATING FOOD AND READING GOD’S WORD GO HAND IN HAND**

MATTHEW 4:4 “Jesus answered, “It is written: ‘Man does not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.’ ”

### **2. DO NOT TEST GOD**

MATTHEW 4:7 “Jesus answered him, “It is also written: ‘Do not put the Lord your God to the test.’ ”  
*How do we test God? By willfully disobeying His commands.*

### **3. JESUS COMMANDED ALL PEOPLE TO REPENT**

MATTHEW 4:17 “From that time on Jesus began to preach, “Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is near.”  
Luke 13:3 Jesus said: “But unless you repent, you too will all perish”  
*Repentance involves a 180 degree turn-about*

### **4. FOLLOWING JESUS INVOLVES WINNING OTHERS**

MATTHEW 4:19 “Come, follow me,” Jesus said, “and I will make you fishers of men.” <sup>20</sup> At once they left their nets and followed him.”  
*“Fisher of men” means winning people to the Lord Jesus Christ.*

### **5. GREAT REWARD FOR THOSE WHO ARE HUMBLE**

MATTHEW 5:3 “Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.”

## **6. THERE IS HEAVENLY COMFORT FOR THOSE WHO SUFFER**

MATTHEW 5:4 “Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.”

## **7. THERE IS NO PROFIT FOR THE HARD AND CALLOUS**

MATTHEW 5:5 “Blessed are the meek, (gentle) for they will inherit the earth.”

## **8. THERE IS TRUE SATISFACTION IN DOING THAT WHICH IS RIGHT**

MATTHEW 5:6 “Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

## **9. THERE IS GREAT PERSONAL GAIN IN HELPING OTHERS**

MATTHEW 5:7 “Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy.”

## **10. THOSE WITH A CLEAN HEART WILL ENTER HEAVEN**

MATTHEW 5:8 “Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.”

## **11. GOD’S CHILDREN LOVE PEACE**

MATTHEW 5:9 “Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called sons of God.”

*A peacemaker is some one who introduces people to faith in Jesus Christ.*

ISAIAH 9:6 “For to us a Child is born, to us a Son is given, and the government will be on His shoulders. And He will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, **Prince of Peace.**”

## **12. PERSECUTION FOR CHRIST QUARANTEES ENTRY INTO HEAVEN**

MATTHEW 5:10 “Blessed are those who are persecuted because of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.”

## **13. BEING INSULTED AND FALSELY ACCUSED BECAUSE YOU ARE A BELIEVER IN THE LORD JESUS IS A CAUSE FOR JOY AND HAPPINESS AND HEAVENLY REWARD**

MATTHEW 5:11 “Blessed are you when people insult you, persecute you and falsely say all kinds of evil against you because of me. <sup>12</sup> Rejoice and be glad, because great is your reward in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.”