

Blessed are the Meek
For they shall inherit the earth
Matt 5:5

We Learn Meekness from Jesus

Mat 11:28-30 ESV **Come to me**, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. 29 **Take my yoke** upon you, and **learn from me**, for **I am gentle [meek]** and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. 30 For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light."

EXAMPLE: Jesus into Jerusalem on a Donkey

Mat 21:4-5 ESV This took place to fulfill what was spoken by the prophet, saying, 5 "Say to the daughter of Zion, 'Behold, your king is coming to you, **humble**, and mounted on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a beast of burden.'"

“REMEZ” - a Hebrew teaching method

Where a portion of scripture was quoted and it was assumed the hearers would fill in the blank and the context...

EXAMPLE: For God so loved the world...

To be meek we must see the end of the matter

Ps 37:9 For the **evildoers shall be cut off**, but those who wait for the LORD shall inherit the land. 10 In just a little while, the wicked will be no more; though you look carefully at his place, he will not be there. 11 But **the meek shall inherit the land** and delight themselves in abundant peace.

A long range view helps us rise above emotional responses

Ps 37:1 **Fret not yourself** because of evildoers; be not envious of wrongdoers! 2 For **they will soon fade** like the grass and wither like the green herb.

Ps 37:7b **fret not yourself** over the one who prospers in his way, over the man who carries out evil devices! 8 Refrain from anger, and forsake wrath! **Fret not yourself; it tends only to evil.**

Ps 37:3 **Trust in the LORD**, and do good; dwell in
the land and befriend faithfulness.

Ps 37:4 **Delight yourself in the LORD**, and he will
give you the desires of your heart.

Ps 37:5 **Commit your way to the LORD**; trust in him, and he will act. 6 He will bring forth your righteousness as the light, and your justice as the noonday.

Ps 37:7 **Be still before the LORD** and wait
patiently for him;

Ps 37:11 But **the meek shall inherit the land** and
delight themselves in abundant peace.