

## “Blessed are the meek..”

mildness of disposition, gentleness of spirit, meekness

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Meekness toward God is that disposition of spirit in which we accept His dealings with us as good, and therefore without disputing or resisting. Gentleness or meekness is the opposite to self-assertiveness and self-interest. It stems from trust in God's goodness and control over the situation. The gentle person is not occupied with self at all. This is a work of the Holy Spirit, not of the human will. (Gal. 5:23)

# yield, submit to divine will, lamblike

# never provoked, irritated, always forgiving

# one's willingness to see himself as he really is

# always under perfect control, gentle with a strength of steel

“He who is ruffled at every insult thrown at him is under the mercy of anyone who chooses to disturb him.”

\* Opposite of:  
sudden anger, malice, pride, vengeance,  
- ‘me’ generation  
give me  
look at me

Mis 356:25

*Humility is lens and  
prism to the understanding of Mind-healing; it must be  
27 had to understand our textbook; it is indispensable to  
personal growth, and points out the chart of its divine  
Principle and rule of practice.*

Think of the pride of the culture Jesus is preaching to:

Jew: race, privilege as God's chosen

Rabbi: learning

Rome: power

Greece: intellect, culture, the arts

“for they shall inherit the earth.”

- the promised land, heaven,

- true inheritance is dominion over consciousness

- don't conquer it aggressively, it is a gift

- symbol of the lamb: innocence, purity, childlikeness, gentleness

always backed up by the lion

