## Matthew 5:1-12 DFH Worship Translation

- <sup>1</sup> When he beheld the crowds, he climbed up the mountain, and after he sat down, his disciples came to him;
- <sup>2</sup> and he opened his mouth and taught them, saying,
- <sup>3</sup> "Blessed [are] the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of the heavens.
- <sup>4</sup> Blessed [are] those who mourn, for they will be comforted.
- <sup>5</sup> Blessed [are] the gentle, for they will inherit the earth.
- <sup>6</sup> Blessed [are] those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be satisfied.
- <sup>7</sup> Blessed [are] the merciful, for they will receive mercy.
- <sup>8</sup> Blessed [are] the pure of heart, for they will see God.
- <sup>9</sup> Blessed [are] the peacemakers, for they will be called sons of God.
- <sup>10</sup> Blessed [are] those who have been persecuted because of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of the heavens.
- <sup>11</sup> Blessed [are] you [plural] when they mock you and persecute you and say every evil, telling lies against you because of me.
- <sup>12</sup> Rejoice and be glad that your compensation in the heavens [is] great, for in this way they persecuted the prophets before you.

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