

Teaching Ministry: Sermon on the Mount

Matthew 5-7

Main Idea: Christ's disciples live by a higher standard than they can keep without His enabling.

I. CORRECTIONS CONCERNING KINGDOM BLESSEDNESS – Matthew 5:1-16

Principle: *God places a high value on our character.*

II. CORRECTIONS CONCERNING KINGDOM THINKING AND CONDUCT – Matthew 5:17 – 7:11

Principle: *A disciple's inner thoughts, motives, and attitudes are as important as his or her actions.*

III. CALL TO ACTION – Matthew 7:12-23

Principle: *Christ's true disciples do not merely admire His teaching; they obey it.*