

BLESSED

WEEK 1: THE POOR IN SPIRIT

"Blessed are the poor in spirit,
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven."

Matthew 5:3 (NIV)



POOR IN SPIRIT = RECOGNIZING MY NEED FOR GOD

BLESSED:

Great happiness
• Abundant delight

5 DECLARATIONS OF MY NEED FOR GOD

1



I need God's
WISDOM,
not mine!

Take steps of faith.
Proverbs 14:12

2



I need God's
STRENGTH,
not mine!

When I am weak, then I am strong.
2 Corinthians 12:9-10

3



I need God's
TIMING,
not mine!

God is at work in our waiting!
Isaiah 40:31

4



I need God's
PROVISION,
not mine!

God is my **SOURCE**.
Hold what you have with open hands.

5



I need God's **SALVATION**, not mine!

Saved by His mercy.

Titus 3:5

GOD, I NEED YOU!