## The Benefits of Pleasing God!

Then he which had received the one talent came and said, Lord, I knew thee that thou art an hard man, reaping where thou hast not sown, and gathering where thou hast not strawed:	
And I was afraid, and went and hid thy talent in the earth: Io, there thou hast that is thine.  Matthew 25:24-25)	
Furthermore then we beseech you, brethren, and exhort you by the Lord Jesus, that as ye have received of us how ye ought to walk and to please God, so ye would abound more and more.  (1 Thessalonians 4:1)	
The LORD thy God in the midst of thee is mighty; he will save, he will rejoice over thee with joy; he will rest in his love, he will joy over thee with singing. (Zephaniah 3:17)	
He hath shewed thee, O man, what is good; and what doth the LORD require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God? (Micah 6:8)	
Who is wise, and he shall understand these things? prudent, and he shall know them? for the ways of the LORD are right, and the just shall walk in them: but the transgressors shall fall therein. (Hosea 14:9)	
The curse of the LORD is in the house of the wicked: but he blesseth the habitation of the just. (Proverbs 3:33)	
But the path of the just is as the shining light, that shineth more and more unto the perfect day. (Proverbs 4:18)	
Give instruction to a wise man, and he will be yet wiser: teach a just man, and he will increase in learning. (Proverbs 9:9)	
Blessings are upon the head of the just: but violence covereth the mouth of the wicked.	
The memory of the just is blessed: but the name of the wicked shall rot (Proverbs 10:6-7)	
The mouth of the just bringeth forth wisdom: but the froward tongue shall be cut out. (Proverbs 10:31)	
There shall no evil happen to the just: but the wicked shall be filled with mischief. (Proverbs 12:21)	
A good man leaveth an inheritance to his children's children: and the wealth of the sinner is laid up for	

the just.

(Proverbs 13:22)

It is joy to the just to do judgment: but destruction shall be to the workers of iniquity. (Proverbs 21:15	
For a just man falleth seven times, and riseth up again: but the wicked shall fall into mischief. (Proverbs 24:16)	
The curse of the LORD is in the house of the wicked: but he blesseth the habitation of the just. (Proverbs 3:33)	
Blessed are the merciful: for they shall obtain mercy. (Matthew 5:7)	
Let not mercy and truth forsake thee: bind them about thy neck; write them upon the table of thine heart:	
So shalt thou find favour and good understanding in the sight of God and man. (Proverbs 3:3-4)	
The merciful man doeth good to his own soul: but he that is cruel troubleth his own flesh. (Proverbs 11:17)	
He that followeth after righteousness and mercy findeth life, righteousness, and honour. (Proverbs 21:21)	
He that despiseth his neighbour sinneth: but he that hath mercy on the poor, happy is he. (Proverbs 14:21)	
for ye are the temple of the living God; as God hath said, I will dwell in them, and walk in them; and I will be their God, and they shall be my people.	
Wherefore come out from among them, and be ye separate, saith the Lord, and touch not the unclean thing; and I will receive you,	
And will be a Father unto you, and ye shall be my sons and daughters, saith the Lord Almighty. (2 Corinthians 6:16-17)	
Can two walk together, except they be agreed? (Amos 3:3)	