

Blessed are the Humble Souls that See

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1. Bless'd are the hum-ble_ souls, who see Their ig-no-rance and po-ver-ty;
2. Bless'd are the men of_ bro-ken heart, Who mourn for sin with in-ward smart;
3. Bless'd are the meek, who_ stand a - far From rage and pas-sion, noise and war:
4. Bless'd are the souls, who_ thirst for grace, Hun-ger and long for_ righteous-ness:

1. Trea-sures of grace to them are_ giv'n, And crowns of joy laid_ up in heav'n.
2. For them di-vine com-pas-sion flows, A heal-ing balm for_ all their woes.
3. God will se-crete their hap-py_ state, And plead their cause a - gainst the great.
4. They shall be well sup-plied and_ fed With liv-ing streams and_ liv-ing bread.

5.

Bless'd are the men, whose hearts still move,
And melt with sympathy and love;
They shall themselves from God obtain
Like sympathy and love again.

7.

Bless'd are the men of peaceful life,
Who quench the coals of growing strife:
They shall be call'd the heirs of bliss,
The sons of God, the God of peace.

6.

Bless'd are the pure, whose hearts are clean
From the defiling power of sin:
With endless pleasure they shall see
A God of spotless purity.

8.

Bless'd are the sufferers who partake
Of pain and shame for Jesus' sake:
Their souls shall triumph in the Lord,
Glory and joy are their reward.