

The Tsunami Blessing Inside and Out, Part 446 Scriptures

This is Section G of a multi-part instruction. Have you received your rightful inheritance? What road are you on? Is it a path that leads to progressive increase or one that leaves you in dire straits? A subject so misunderstood; now you can grasp the four degrees of financial increase as revealed through the Book of Ruth. You will see the favor of God demonstrated in her life when she transitions from rags to riches. "Wealth and riches are in his dynasty...", Psalm 112:3.

Throughout the Holy Bible, you can see how God's bountiful love, grace, mercy, and favor are readily available to abound toward you at all times. Sufficiency means you will always have your needs met, the desires of your heart fulfilled, and the exceedingly, abundantly, above all that you can ask or think of according to the power that works in you, in a state of rest.

Financial prosperity within the kingdom of God is established by God's covenant blessing for His people. God's will for you is not just to manage your money, but master your inheritance. "Thus saith the LORD, In an acceptable time have I heard thee, and in a day of salvation i.e., "saving health" have I helped thee: and I will preserve thee, and give thee for a covenant of the people, to establish the earth, to cause to inherit the desolate heritages; that thou mayest say to the prisoners, Go forth; to them that are in darkness, Shew yourselves. They shall feed in the ways, and their pastures shall be in all high places," Isaiah 49:8-9, King James Version. Saving health in Hebrew is *yeshuah* i.e., "help, aid, welfare, victory, deliverance, and prosperity." Let us unpack Kathryn Joy Foster's book, *Pathway to Prosperity*.

Through her time of intimacy, Ruth was finally able to embrace her relationship with Boaz. Therefore, she asked for the highest status that would give her the best lifestyle, the inheritance. Make your proposal to God. The Lord already has the goods with Him whenever you come to Him. God wants to lay His inheritance on you. Paraphrased Boaz replied, All you expect, I will do. Either I will make arrangements to redeem you or I will do it myself.

Never be afraid to present your full request to God, even though it may seem impossible. That is the only way you will receive a full reward. The following verse shows how accessible, sensitive, and responsive the Lord is. "For we have not an high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities, but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin. Let us, therefore, come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need," Hebrews 4:15-16.

Boaz admired Ruth for her kindness to Naomi. Ruth showed selfless commitment to her mother-in-law, although Naomi didn't deserve it. Therefore, Ruth added virtue to her faith when she served Naomi wholeheartedly as unto the Lord, and not giving begrudgingly or out of necessity. In other words, Ruth didn't give because she had to, nor did she give because she didn't want to. Ruth had a giving spirit that demonstrated the very heart of God, her passion to give.

Ruth had an excellent spirit. In other words, satan could not find anything in her to use against her: lust; greed, covetous, hoarding, presumption, pride, bitterness, unforgiveness, sin, lying, cheating, slandering, bribery, flattery, discontent, selfpity, panic, laziness, wastefulness, slothfulness, meddling, gambling,

overspending, unjust gain, prostitution, fear, doubt, unbelief, grief, heaviness, failure, or any other form of insecurity.

I heard materialism defined as any attempt to resolve a spiritual problem with material things. The “love of money is the root of all evil” because the lack of it and/or the commitment to it motivates you to do whatever it takes to accumulate more of it.

The lack of virtue will entice you to become corrupt. Virtue is directly linked to your motives, i.e., the integrity of your heart. Like Boaz sought for virtue in Ruth, God wants to find your heart full of virtue. Whether you are male or female, God is attracted to virtue because that is the quality Jesus Christ is looking for in His “Wife”, the Church. The Holy Spirit even goes as far as helping us transform into that image because God will never break His own laws to bring you prosperity.

Proverbs 31:10-31 illustrates the image of the church, as the bride in preparation for her groom.

“Who can find a virtuous woman? For her price is far above rubies. The heart of her husband doth safely trust in her, so that he shall have no need of spoil.

“She will do him good, and not evil all the days of her life. She seeketh wool, and flax, and worketh willingly with her hands. She is like the merchants’ ships; she bringeth her food from afar. She ariseth also while it is yet night, and giveth meat to her household, and a portion to her maidens. “She considereth a field, and buyeth it; with the fruit of her hands she planteth a vineyard. She girdeth her loins with strength, and strengtheneth her arms.

“She perceiveth that her merchandise is good; her candle goeth not out by night. She layeth her hands to the spindle, and her hands hold the distaff.

"She stretcheth out her hand to the poor; yea, she reacheth for her hands to the needy.

"She is not afraid of the snow for her household; for all her household are clothed with scarlet. She maketh herself coverings of tapestry; her clothing is silk and purple.

"Her husband is known in the gates, when he sitteth among the elders of the land. She maketh fine linen, and selleth it, and delivereth girdles unto the merchant.

"Strength and honor are her clothing, and she shall rejoice in time to come. She openeth her mouth with wisdom, and in her tongue is the law of kindness.

"She looketh well to the ways of her household, and eateth not the bread of idleness.

"Her children arise up, and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praiseth her. Many daughters have done virtuously, but thou excellest them all.

"Favor is deceitful, and beauty is vain, but a woman who feareth the Lord, she shall be praised. Give her of the fruit of her hands, and let her own works praise her in the gates."

God will not sleep or slumber until His glorious work is done in the church. God desires you to enter into His rest. This is God's promise to you: "Blessed be the Lord, who hath given rest unto His people, Israel according to all that He promised: there hath not failed one word of all His good promise, which He promised by the hand of Moses, His servant. The Lord our God be with us, as He was with our fathers; let Him not leave us, nor forsake us; that He may incline our hearts unto Him, to walk in all His ways, and to keep His commandments, and His statutes, and His judgments, which He commanded our fathers. And let the words with which I have made

supplication before the Lord, be nigh unto the Lord our God day and night, that He maintain the cause of His servant and the cause of His people, Israel, at all times, as the matter shall require,” I Kings 8:56-59.

Before you receive the manifestation of the harvest, you must rest in the fact that God is your exceeding great reward. So move over and make room for God. He needs a whole lot of space to work for what He has in store for you.

Allow God to be your main portion not the manifestation of the thing(s) desired. Be content with having communion with God alone. Develop a state of satisfaction in Christ as you receive the increase. This will help you to seek God’s face rather than His hand. In this you will find rest in God because He will never send you away empty-handed. Ruth returned home with 60 pounds of barley after her visit to the threshing floor with Boaz.

Naomi told her to sit still and expect from Boaz because he would, without a doubt, keep his word. Sit still until you know how the matter will turn out. Sit still for he will not rest until he finishes what he needs to do to bring redemption. Sit still, for today is the day of salvation.

God will not rest until you are at rest. Exodus 14:14 declares, “The Lord shall fight for you, and ye shall hold your peace”. II Chronicles 20:17 says, “Ye shall not need to fight in this battle: set yourselves, stand ye still, and see the salvation of the Lord with you, O Judah and Jerusalem: Fear not, nor be dismayed. Tomorrow go out against them; for the Lord will be with you.” Let the Spirit of God speak these words to your spirit. I promise. I’m setting you up...to be blessed.

Romans 8:15-17 King James Version

¹⁵ For ye have not received the spirit of bondage again to fear; but ye have received the *Spirit of adoption*, whereby we cry, Abba, Father. ¹⁶ The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that *we are the children of God*: ¹⁷ *And if children, then heirs; heirs of God, and joint-heirs with Christ*; if so be that we suffer with him, that we may be also glorified together.

James 2:5 King James Version

⁵ Hearken, my beloved brethren, Hath not God chosen the poor of this world rich in faith, and *heirs of the kingdom* which he hath promised to them that love him?

Romans 4:13 King James Version

¹³ For the promise, that he should be the *heir of the world*, was not to Abraham, or to his seed, through the law, but through the righteousness of faith.

Galatians 3:23-29 King James Version

²³ But before faith came, we were kept under the law, shut up unto the faith which should afterwards be revealed. ²⁴ Wherefore the law was our schoolmaster to bring us unto Christ, that we might be justified by faith. ²⁵ But after that faith is come, we are no longer under a schoolmaster. ²⁶ For ye are all the children of God by faith in Christ Jesus. ²⁷ For as many of you as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ. ²⁸ There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither bond nor free, there is neither male nor female: for ye are all one in Christ Jesus. ²⁹ And if ye be Christ's, then are ye Abraham's seed, and *heirs according to the promise*.

1 Peter 3:9 King James Version

⁹ Not rendering evil for evil, or railing for railing: but contrariwise blessing; knowing that ye are thereunto called, that ye should *inherit a blessing*.

Psalm 37:11 King James Version

¹¹ But the meek shall *inherit the earth*; and shall delight themselves in the abundance of peace.

Psalm 37:29 King James Version

²⁹ The righteous shall *inherit the land*, and dwell therein for ever.