

**Why Should We Live with a Grateful Heart? (Beatitude 3):  
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The Church was chosen before the foundation of the world; Israel was chosen in time. The Church was chosen for heaven; Israel was chosen for the earth. Both provisions have been essentially realized. The grateful receivers will be obedient. Believers who know their identity in the household of God, that they will inherit the earth, will be able to be meek, i.e., taking a loss for God's sake. It is the first sign of salvation.