

# REJOICE IN THE PROMISE OF JESUS (THE BEATITUDES)

\*VERSES *Unhurried* (♩ = ca. 68)

1. Blest are you low - ly and poor in spir - it,
2. Blest are you mourn - ers who live with sor - row,
3. Blest are you mer - ci - ful, swift to par - don,
4. Blest are you, hearts that are pure and faith - ful,
5. Blest are you scorned and re - viled, in - sult - ed,
6. Blest are you peace - mak - ers, build - ing bridg - es,

1. find - ing your wealth not in gold,
2. griev - ing the e - vil on earth,
3. show - ing com - pas - sion to all,
4. whol - ly sur - ren - dered to Love,
5. scoffed at, de - spised by the strong,
6. gen - tle in speak - ing your truth,

1. set - ting your sights not on pow - er and glo - ry, but
2. hun - g'ring for righ - teous - ness, thirst - ing for jus - tice; for
3. pa - tient with fail - ings and ten - der t'ward weak - ness; God's
4. giv - ing of self to your Mak - er and neigh - bor; the
5. slan - dered be - cause of me, mocked by the might - y, but
6. lis - t'ning and learn - ing from oth - ers who dif - fer, all

1. trust - ing in God a - lone.
2. you are con - soled by God.
3. mer - cy is shown to you.
4. fa - vor of God is yours.
5. hon - ored by God, and praised.
6. chil - dren of God, like you.

\*Some verses may be sung consecutively, for example, in groups of two, without a Refrain in between.

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REFRAIN

Am/D G G/B C D Em

Re - joice in the prom-ise of Je - sus, for yours is the

D/F# G C Am6 Em D

king-dom of God. Be glad in the gos - pel of

C/E D/F# G G7/B C

1... Am/D G B7/D# D.C.

Je - sus, for you are be - lov - ed and blest.

**Final**  
D C/D Am/D G C/E D/F# G

*rit.* *molto rit.*

lov - ed and blest.