



Blessed are those who  
are persecuted for  
righteousness' sake, for  
theirs is the kingdom of  
heaven. Blessed are you when  
others revile you and  
persecute you and utter all  
kinds of evil against you  
falsely on my account. Rejoice  
and be glad, for your reward  
is great in heaven, for so they  
persecuted the prophets who  
were before you.

**REJOICE  
AND BE GLAD**

**Matthew 5:10–12**

