

Living in God's Blessing

Gentleness

Inspired by "The Keys to a Blessed Life" by Rick Warren

Blessed are those who are gentle. They will inherit the earth.
Matthew 5:5 (GW)

Gentleness = _____ under _____

Gentleness Diffuses

A gentle answer turns away wrath, but
a harsh word stirs up anger.
Proverbs 15:1 (NIV)

Gentleness is

Patient persistence pierces through
indifference; gentle speech breaks
down rigid defenses.
Proverbs 25:15 (MSG)

Patience and gentle talk can
convince a ruler ...
Proverbs 25:15 (CEV)

... if anybody asks why you believe as you do, be ready to tell him, and do it in a gentle and respectful way... **1 Peter 3:15-16 (TLB)**

A wise, mature person is known for his understanding. The more pleasant his words, the more persuasive he is. **Proverbs 16:21 (TEV)**

Gentleness earns

They told him, "If you will serve these people today, humble yourself, and speak gently, then they will always be your servants." 1 Kings 12:7 (GW)

Now the man Moses was very meek, (gentle, kind and humble) above all the men which were upon the face of the earth. Numbers 12:3 (AMP)

Gentleness makes me

For God knew his people in advance, and he chose them to become like his Son, so that his Son would be the firstborn among many brothers and sisters. Romans 8:29 (NLT2)

"Come to me, all of you who are tired and have heavy loads, and I will give you rest. Accept my teachings and learn from me, because I am gentle and humble in spirit, and you will find rest for your lives. Matthew 11:28-29 (NCV)

... Everything was created through him and for him. He existed before anything else, and he holds all creation together. Colossians 1:16-17 (NLT2)