

Upside Down Living
When The Going Gets Tough...



Matthew 5:10-12

September 1, 2024

Questions To Go Deeper...

1. Read Matthew 5:10-12. What does it mean to be "persecuted because of righteousness"?
2. What are the various forms of persecution you see?
3. Can you share a time when you faced criticism or opposition because of your faith? How did you respond?
4. How does being persecuted for your faith differ from facing general difficulties in life?
5. How does Jesus' promise of a "great reward in heaven" influence the way you handle persecution or criticism?
6. What practical steps can we take to stay strong in our faith when facing persecution or opposition?
7. Why do you think Jesus says to "rejoice and be glad" when we are persecuted?
8. How can we cultivate this attitude in difficult times?

Blessed are those who are _____

_____ because you are like _____

_____ is most likely through _____

Keep an eye on _____