

LET US

PRO**CLAIM**

ISAIAH 61:1-2A

THE SPIRIT OF THE SOVEREIGN LORD IS ON ME,
BECAUSE THE LORD HAS ANOINTED ME TO
PROCLAIM GOOD NEWS TO THE POOR.
HE HAS SENT ME TO BIND UP THE
BROKENHEARTED, TO PROCLAIM FREEDOM FOR
THE CAPTIVES AND RELEASE FROM DARKNESS FOR
THE PRISONERS, ² TO PROCLAIM THE YEAR OF
THE LORD'S FAVOR AND THE DAY OF
VENGEANCE OF OUR GOD

ISAIAH 61:1-2A (NIV)

1. Proclaim Good News To The Poor



Isaiah 61:1(NIV)

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to proclaim good news to the poor.

**¹ GIVE PRAISE TO THE LORD, PROCLAIM HIS
NAME;
MAKE KNOWN AMONG THE NATIONS WHAT
HE HAS DONE.**

**² SING TO HIM, SING PRAISE TO HIM;
TELL OF ALL HIS WONDERFUL ACTS.**

PSALM 105:1-2 (NIV)

How does the word of God change our lives?

1. Recreates My Life (James 1:18)
2. Eradicate Guilt (Ephesians 5:25-26)
3. Activates Faith (Romans 10:17)
4. Stimulate Growth (Acts 20:32)

Who Do We Share This Good News ?

- To the poor
 - humble *and* afflicted
 - Blessed are the poor in spirit for theirs is the kingdom of heaven (Matthew 5:3)

1. Proclaim Good News To The Poor
2. Proclaim freedom for the captives



Isaiah 61:1(NIV)

He has sent me to bind up the
brokenhearted,
to proclaim freedom for the captives

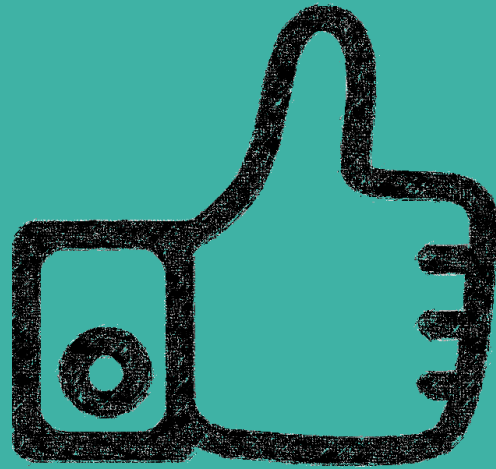
**IT IS FOR FREEDOM THAT CHRIST HAS SET US
FREE. STAND FIRM, THEN, AND DO NOT LET
YOURSELVES BE BURDENED AGAIN BY A
YOKE OF SLAVERY.**

GALATIANS 5:1

³¹ THEY REPLIED, “BELIEVE IN THE LORD JESUS, AND YOU WILL BE SAVED—YOU AND YOUR HOUSEHOLD.” ³² THEN THEY SPOKE THE WORD OF THE LORD TO HIM AND TO ALL THE OTHERS IN HIS HOUSE. ³³ AT THAT HOUR OF THE NIGHT THE JAILER TOOK THEM AND WASHED THEIR WOUNDS; THEN IMMEDIATELY HE AND ALL HIS HOUSEHOLD WERE BAPTIZED. ³⁴ THE JAILER BROUGHT THEM INTO HIS HOUSE AND SET A MEAL BEFORE THEM; HE WAS FILLED WITH JOY BECAUSE HE HAD COME TO BELIEVE IN GOD—HE AND HIS WHOLE HOUSEHOLD.

ACTS 16:31-34

1. Proclaim Good News To The Poor
2. Proclaim freedom for the captives
3. Proclaim The Year Of The LORD's Favor



Isaiah 61:2(NIV)

² to proclaim the year of the LORD's favor
and the day of vengeance of our God,

**17 MAY THE FAVOR OF THE LORD OUR GOD
REST ON US; ESTABLISH THE WORK OF OUR
HANDS FOR US—YES, ESTABLISH THE WORK
OF OUR HANDS.**

PSALM 90:17

**AND ABEL ALSO BROUGHT AN OFFERING—
FAT PORTIONS FROM SOME OF THE
FIRSTBORN OF HIS
FLOCK. THE LORD LOOKED WITH FAVOR ON
ABEL AND HIS OFFERING,
GENESIS 4:4**

The Favor of the Lord brings BLESSINGS

Deuteronomy 33:23

²³ About Naphtali he said:

“Naphtali is abounding with the favor of the LORD and is full of his blessing; he will inherit southward to the lake.”

Joshua 15:19

¹⁹ She replied, “Do me a special favor. Since you have given me land in the Negev, give me also springs of water.” So Caleb gave her the upper and lower springs.

The Favor of the Lord brings BLESSINGS

Ruth 2:2

² And Ruth the Moabite said to Naomi, “Let me go to the fields and pick up the leftover grain behind anyone in whose eyes I find favor.” Naomi said to her, “Go ahead, my daughter.”

Ruth 2:15-16

¹⁵ As she got up to glean, Boaz gave orders to his men, “Let her gather among the sheaves and don’t reprimand her. ¹⁶ Even pull out some stalks for her from the bundles and leave them for her to pick up, and don’t rebuke her.”

The Favor of the Lord brings BLESSINGS

1. Growth and Increase (Lev 26:9, Acts 2:47)
2. Protection (Psalm 5:12)
3. Deliverance (Numbers 11:5)
4. Promotion (Esther 2:17)
5. Answered Prayers (2 Kings 13:4)
6. Life and Refreshing (Proverbs 16:15)

*“One day of his **favor** is greater
than ten days of my labor!”*

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