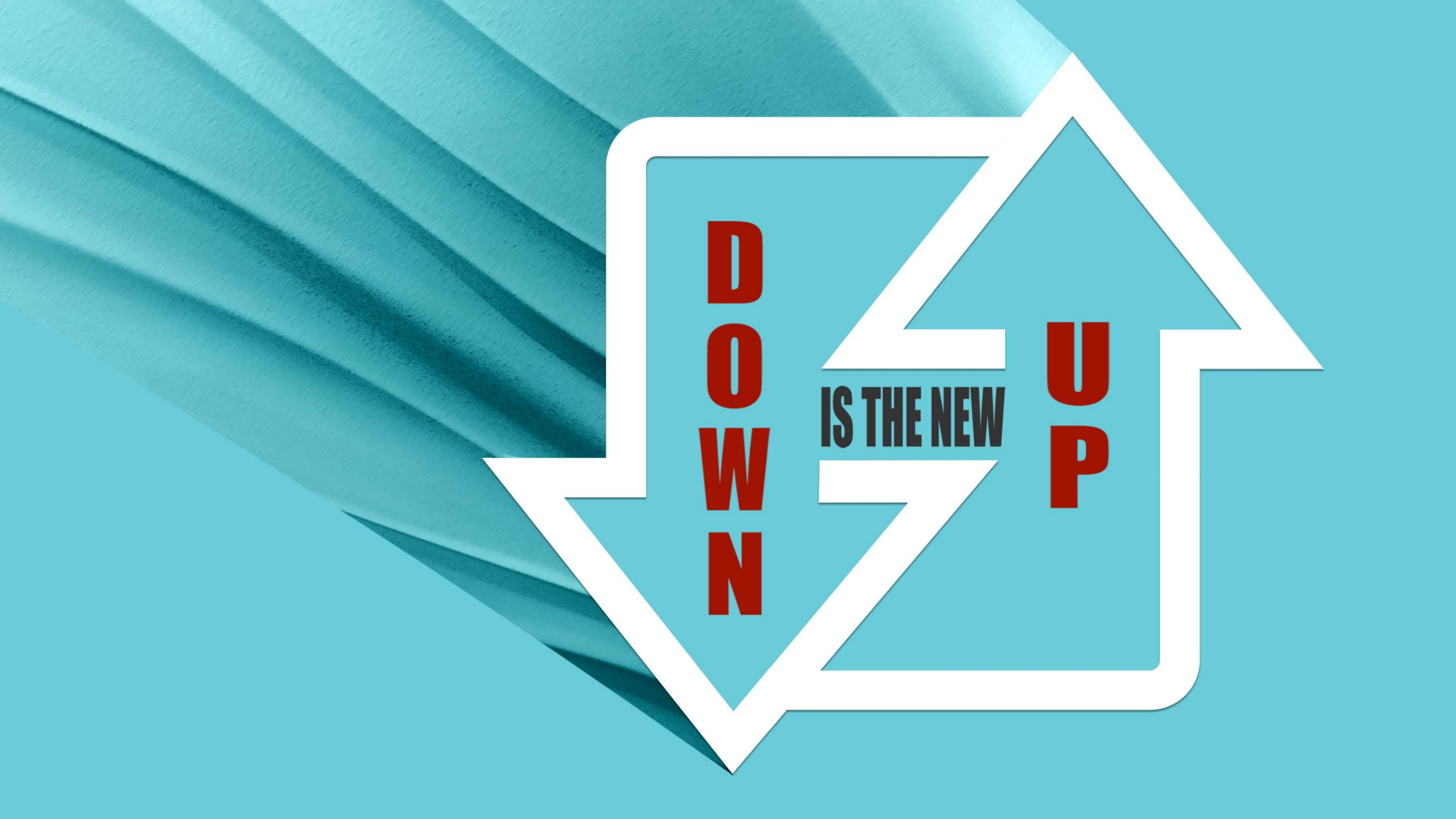


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## MATTHEW 5:1-2

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- <sup>1</sup> Seeing the crowds, he went up on the mountain, and when he sat down, his disciples came to him.
  - <sup>2</sup> And he opened his mouth and taught them, saying:

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## MATTHEW 5:3-5

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- 3 “Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
  - 4 Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.
  - 5 Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.




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## MATTHEW 5:6-8

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- <sup>6</sup> Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.
  - <sup>7</sup> Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy.
  - <sup>8</sup> Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.

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## MATTHEW 5:9-12

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- <sup>9</sup> Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.
- <sup>10</sup> Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
- <sup>11</sup> Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account.
- <sup>12</sup> Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you.”

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1 CORINTHIANS 1:27-29

<sup>27</sup> But God chose what is foolish in the world to shame the wise;  
God chose what is weak in the world to shame the strong;  
<sup>28</sup> God chose what is low and despised in the world,  
even things that are not, to bring to nothing things that are,  
<sup>29</sup> so that no human being might boast in the presence of God.

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**MATTHEW 21:5**

**“Behold, your king is coming to you,  
humble, and mounted on a donkey...”**



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## MATTHEW 11:28-30

<sup>28</sup> “Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. <sup>29</sup> Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. <sup>30</sup> For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.”

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PSALM 37:3

Trust in the LORD, and do good;  
dwell in the land and befriend faithfulness.



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PSALM 37:9

For the evildoers shall be cut off,  
but those who wait for the LORD shall inherit the land.

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## PSALM 37:10-11

- <sup>10</sup> In just a little while, the wicked will be no more;  
though you look carefully at his place, he will not be there.
- <sup>11</sup> But the meek shall inherit the land  
and delight themselves in abundant peace.

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**PSALM 37:22**

**Those blessed by the LORD shall inherit the land,  
but those cursed by him shall be cut off.**



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PSALM 37:27 & 29

- <sup>27</sup> Turn away from evil and do good;  
so shall you dwell forever.
- <sup>29</sup> The righteous shall inherit the land  
and dwell upon it forever.

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PSALM 37:34

Wait for the LORD and keep his way,  
and he will exalt you to inherit the land;  
you will look on when the wicked are cut off.

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**PSALM 37:37**

**Mark the blameless and behold the upright,  
for there is a future for the man of peace.**



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