



HAT DOES IT MEAN TO ME?

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- B) God doesn't care about fairness.
- C) God will reward everyone who comes to Him.
- D) God will bless whomever He chooses.

What did the men who complained fail to understand?

- A) God's grace.
- B) God's love.
- C) God's plan.
- D) God's justice.

Can you think of a time when God blessed someone around you and you were envious?

Yes [] No []

What did you do?

- A) Confessed.
- B) Pouted.
- C) Quit.
- D) Complained.

What should our attitude be toward others that God blesses?

- A) Relief.
- B) Sadness.
- C) Anger.
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Bonus Parable: The Wise Builder

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Who did the landowner hire each time?

- A) Men who were trained.
- B) Men who were wise.
- C) Men who had nothing better to do.



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