



A landscape photograph showing a range of mountains with snow on their peaks. A single, large, white, fluffy cloud is positioned in the upper center of the sky. The entire scene is set against a solid teal background.

# CHARACTER OF A KINGDOM CITIZEN

**KINGDOM PEOPLE: LIVING THE SERMON ON THE MOUNT**

# SETTING OF THE SERMON

## MATTHEW 4:23-5:1



# CHARACTERISTICS OF A CITIZEN

POOR IN SPIRIT

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## POOR IN SPIRIT

**“BUT I WILL LEAVE AMONG YOU  
A HUMBLE AND LOWLY PEOPLE,  
AND THEY WILL TAKE REFUGE IN THE NAME OF THE LORD.”**

**- ZEPHANIAH 3:12 NASB**

# CHARACTERISTICS OF A CITIZEN

THOSE WHO  
MOURN

**2 TO PROCLAIM THE FAVORABLE YEAR OF THE LORD  
AND THE DAY OF VENGEANCE OF OUR GOD;  
TO COMFORT ALL WHO MOURN,  
3 TO GRANT THOSE WHO MOURN IN ZION,  
GIVING THEM A GARLAND INSTEAD OF ASHES,  
THE OIL OF GLADNESS INSTEAD OF MOURNING,  
THE MANTLE OF PRAISE INSTEAD OF A SPIRIT OF FAINTING.  
SO THEY WILL BE CALLED OAKS OF RIGHTEOUSNESS,  
THE PLANTING OF THE LORD, THAT HE MAY BE GLORIFIED.**

**- ISAIAH 61:2-3 NASB**

# CHARACTERISTICS OF A CITIZEN

GENTLE





# CHARACTERISTICS OF A CITIZEN

HUNGER & THIRST

FOR

RIGHTEOUSNESS

**1 “HO! EVERY ONE WHO THIRSTS, COME TO THE WATERS;  
AND YOU WHO HAVE NO MONEY COME, BUY AND EAT.**

**COME, BUY WINE AND MILK**

**WITHOUT MONEY AND WITHOUT COST.**

**2 “WHY DO YOU SPEND MONEY FOR WHAT IS NOT BREAD,  
AND YOUR WAGES FOR WHAT DOES NOT SATISFY?**

**LISTEN CAREFULLY TO ME, AND EAT WHAT IS GOOD,**

**AND DELIGHT YOURSELF IN ABUNDANCE.**

**- ISAIAH 55:1-2 NASB**

# CHARACTERISTICS OF A CITIZEN

**MERCIFUL**



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## MERCIFUL

**17 THE MERCIFUL MAN DOES HIMSELF GOOD,  
BUT THE CRUEL MAN DOES HIMSELF HARM.**

**- PSALM 11:17 NASB**

# CHARACTERISTICS OF A CITIZEN

PURE IN HEART



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## PURE IN HEART

**4 HE WHO HAS CLEAN HANDS AND A PURE HEART,  
WHO HAS NOT LIFTED UP HIS SOUL TO FALSEHOOD  
AND HAS NOT SWORN DECEITFULLY.**

**5 HE SHALL RECEIVE A BLESSING FROM THE LORD  
AND RIGHTEOUSNESS FROM THE GOD OF HIS SALVATION.**

**- PSALM 24:4-5 NASB**

# CHARACTERISTICS OF A CITIZEN

## PEACEMAKERS



# CHARACTERISTICS OF A CITIZEN

PERSECUTED FOR  
THE SAKE OF  
RIGHTEOUSNESS



# CHARACTERISTICS OF A CITIZEN

REJOICE IN  
INSULTS,  
PERSECUTION, &  
SLANDER

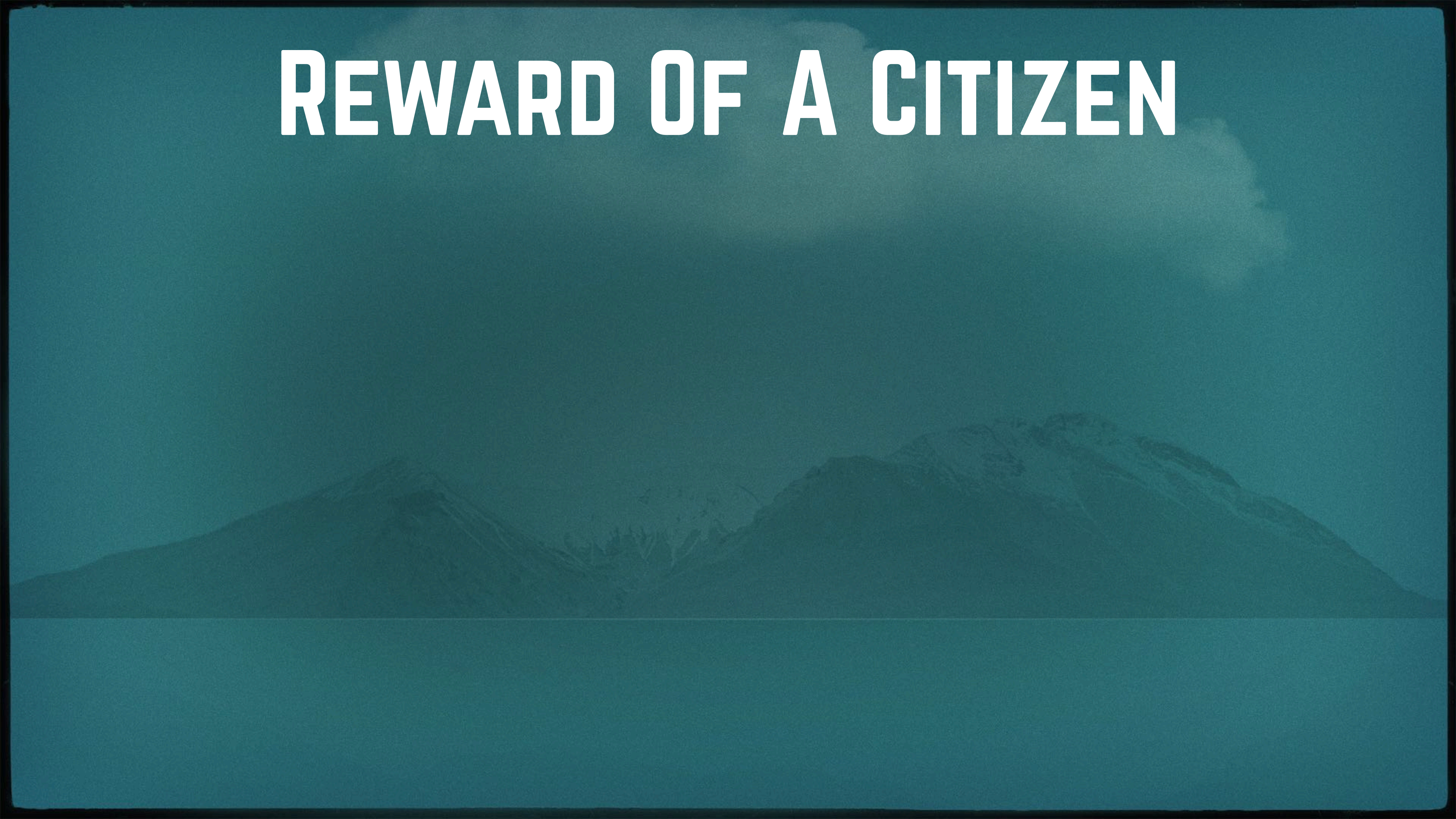
**15 THE LORD, THE GOD OF THEIR FATHERS, SENT WORD  
TO THEM AGAIN AND AGAIN BY HIS MESSENGERS,  
BECAUSE HE HAD COMPASSION ON HIS PEOPLE AND ON  
HIS DWELLING PLACE; 16 BUT THEY CONTINUALLY  
MOCKED THE MESSENGERS OF GOD, DESPISED HIS  
WORDS AND SCOFFED AT HIS PROPHETS, UNTIL THE  
WRATH OF THE LORD AROSE AGAINST HIS PEOPLE, UNTIL  
THERE WAS NO REMEDY.**

**- 2 CHRONICLES 36:15-16 NASB**

# CHARACTERISTICS OF A CITIZEN

- POOR IN SPIRIT
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# REWARD OF A CITIZEN



**REWARD OF A CITIZEN**

**CITIZENSHIP IN HEAVEN WITH  
GOD AS HIS SON RECEIVING  
MERCY, SATISFACTION, AND  
COMFORT.**

# APPLICATION

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**CHOOSE TO SINGLE-MINDEDLY  
PURSUE KINGDOM  
CHARACTER & LIVING  
IN CHRIST**

