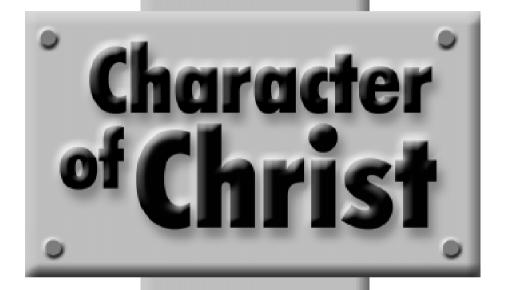
#### CHARACTER.

OF SAINTS: Attentive to Christ's voice, John 10:3,4; blameless and harmless, Phil. 2:15; bold, Prov. 28:1; contrite, Isa. 57:15; 66:2; devout, Acts 8:2; 22:12; faithful, Rev. 17:14; fearing God, Mal. 3:16; Acts 10:2; following Christ, John 10:4,27; godly, Psa. 4:3; 2 Pet. 2:9; guileless, John 1:47; holy, Deut. 7:6; 14:2; Col. 3:12; humble, Psa. 34:2; 1 Pet. 5:5; hungering for righteousness, Matt. 5:6; just, Gen. 6:9; Hab. 2:4; Luke 2:25; led by the Spirit, Rom. 8:14; liberal, Isa. 32:8; 2 Cor. 9:13; loathing themselves, Ezek. 20:43; loving, Col. 1:4; 1 Thess. 4:9; lowly, Prov. 16:19; meek, Isa. 29:19; Matt. 5:5; merciful, Psa. 37:26; Matt. 5:7; new creatures, 2 Cor. 5:17; Eph. 2:10; obedient, Rom. 16:19; 1 Pet. 1:14; poor in spirit, Matt. 5:3; prudent, Prov. 16:21; pure in heart, Matt. 5:8; 1 John 3:3; righteous, Isa. 60:21; Luke 1:6; sincere, 2 Cor. 1:12; 2:17; steadfast, Acts 2:42; Col. 2:5; taught of God, Isa. 54:13; 1 John 2:27; true, 2 Cor. 6:8; undefiled, Psa. 119:1; upright, 1 Kin. 3:6; Psa. 15:2; watchful, Luke 12:37; zealous of good works, Tit. 2:14.See Righteous, Described.

**OF THE WICKED:** Abominable, Rev. 21:8; alienated from God, Eph. 4:18; Col. 1:21; blasphemous, Luke 22:65; Rev. 16:9; blinded, 2 Cor. 4:4; Eph. 4:18; boastful, Psa. 10:3; 49:6; conspiring against saints, Neh. 4:8; 6:2; Psa. 38:12; corrupt, Matt. 7:17; Eph. 4:22; covetous, Mic. 2:2; Rom. 1:29; deceitful, Psa. 5:6; Rom. 3:13; delighting in the iniquity of others, Prov. 2:14: Rom. 1:32: despising saints, Neh. 2:19: 4:2: 2 Tim. 3:3.4: destructive. Isa. 59:7; disobedient, Neh. 9:26; Tit. 3:3; 1 Pet. 2:7; enticing to evil, Prov. 1:10-14: 2 Tim. 3:6: envious, Neh. 2:10: Tit. 3:3: evildoers, Jer. 13:23: Mic. 7:3: fearful. Prov. 28:1: Rev. 21:8: fierce, Prov. 16:29: 2 Tim. 3:3: foolish, Deut. 32:6; Psa. 5:5; forgetting God, Job 8:13; fraudulent, Psa. 37:21: Mic. 6:11: froward, Prov. 21:8: Isa. 57:17: glorving in their shame. Phil. 3:19; hard-hearted, Ezek. 3:7; hating the light, Job 24:13; John 3:20; heady and high-minded, 2 Tim. 3:4; hostile to God, Rom. 8:7; Col. 1:21; hypocritical, Isa. 29:13; 2 Tim. 3:5; ignorant of God, Hos. 4:1; 2 Thess. 1:8; impudent, Ezek. 2:4; without self-control, 2 Tim. 3:3; infidel, Psa. 10:4; 14:1; loathsome, Prov. 13:5; lovers of pleasure, not of God, 2 Tim. 3:4: lying, Psa. 58:3: 62:4: Isa. 59:4: mischievous, Prov. 24:8: Mic. 7:3: murderous, Psa. 10:8; 94:6; Rom. 1:29; prayerless, Job 21:15; Psa. 53:4; persecuting, Psa. 69:26; 109:16; perverse, Deut. 32:5; proud, Psa. 59:12; Obad. 3; 2 Tim. 3:2; rebellious, Isa. 1:2; 30:9; rejoicing in the affliction of saints, Psa. 35:15; reprobate, 2 Cor. 13:5; 2 Tim. 3:8; Tit. 1:16; selfish, 2 Tim. 3:2; sensual, Phil. 3:19; Jude 19; sold under sin, 1 Kin. 21:20; 2 Kin. 17:17: stiff-hearted, Ezek, 2:4: stiff-necked, Ex. 33:5: Acts 7:51: uncircumcised in heart, Jer. 9:26; unclean, Isa. 64:6; Eph. 4:19; unjust, Prov. 11:7; Isa. 26:18; unmerciful, Rom. 1:31; ungodly, Prov. 16:27; unholy, 2 Tim. 3:2; unprofitable, Matt. 25:30; Rom. 3:12; unruly, Tit. 1:10; unthankful, Luke 6:35; 2 Tim. 3:2; corrupt, Acts 2:40; unwise, Deut. 32:6.— Bible Text Book.

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### Philippians 2:8

<sup>8</sup> And being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself and became obedient to *the point of death*, even the death of the cross.

# Resigned

Luke 22:42

<sup>42</sup> saying, "Father, if it is Your will, take this cup away from Me; nevertheless not My will, but Yours, be done."

# **Forgiving**

Luke 23:34

<sup>34</sup> Then Jesus said, "Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they do." And they divided His garments and cast lots.

# Subject to His parents

Luke 2:51

<sup>51</sup> Then He went down with them and came to Nazareth, and was subject to them, but His mother kept all these things in her heart.

### Saints are conformed to

Romans 8:29

<sup>29</sup> For whom He foreknew, He also predestined *to be* conformed to the image of His Son, that He might be the firstborn among many brethren.

# Lovina

Iohn 13:1

<sup>1</sup>Now before the feast of the Passover, when Iesus knew that His hour had come that He should depart from this world to the Father, having loved His own who were in the world, He loved them to the end.

Iohn 15:13

<sup>13</sup> "Greater love has no one than this, than to lay down one's life for his friends.

# Self-denying

Matthew 8:20

<sup>20</sup> And Jesus said to him, "Foxes have holes and birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay His head."

2 Corinthians 8:9

<sup>9</sup> For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though He was rich, yet for your sakes He became poor, that you through His poverty might become rich.

## Humble

Luke 22:37

<sup>37</sup> "For I say to you that this which is written must still be accomplished in Me: 'And He was numbered with the transgressors.' For the things concerning Me have an end."

# Christ, Character Of.

- 1. Altogether lovely. **Song 5:16.**
- Holy. Lu 1:35; Ac 4:27; Re 3:7.
- Righteous. Isa 53:11; Heb 1:9.
- Good. Mt 19:16.
- Faithful. Isa 11:5: 1Th 5:24.
- True. Joh 1:14; 7:18; 1Jo 5:20.
- 7. Just. Zec 9:9; Joh 5:30; Ac 22:14.
- Guileless. Isa 53:9: 1Pe 2:22.
- Sinless. Joh 8:46; 2Co 5:21.
- 10. Spotless. **1Pe 1:19.**
- 11. Innocent. Mt 27:4.
- 12. Harmless. **Heb 7:26.**
- 13. Resisting temptation. Mt 4:1-10.
- 14. Obedient to God the Father. Ps 40:8; Joh 4:34; 15:10.
- 15. Zealous. Lu 2:49; Joh 2:17; 8:29.
- 16. Meek. Isa 53:7; Zec 9:9; Mt 11:29.
- 17. Lowly in heart. **Mt 11:29.**
- 18. Merciful. **Heb 2:17.**
- 19. Patient. Isa 53:7; Mt 27:14.
- 20. Long-suffering. 1Ti 1:16.
- 21. Compassionate. Isa 40:11; Lu 19:41.
- 22. Benevolent. Mt 4:23,24; Ac 10:38.
- 23. Loving. Joh 13:1; 15:13.
- 24. Self-denying. Mt 8:20; 2Co 8:9.
- 25. Humble. Lu 22:27; Php 2:8.
- 26. Resigned. Lu 22:42.
- 27. Forgiving. Lu 23:34.
- 28. Subject to His parents. Lu 2:51.
- 29. Saints are conformed to. Ro 8:29.

## Altogether lovely

Song of Solomon 5:16

16 His mouth is most sweet, Yes, he is altogether lovely. This is my beloved, And this is my friend, O daughters of Jerusalem! The Daughters of Jerusalem

# Holy

Luke 1:35

<sup>35</sup> And the angel answered and said to her, "The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Highest will overshadow you; therefore, also, that Holy One who is to be born will be called the Son of God.

Acts 4:27

<sup>27</sup> "For truly against Your holy Servant Jesus, whom You anointed, both Herod and Pontius Pilate, with the Gentiles and the people of Israel, were gathered together

Revelation 3:7

<sup>7</sup> "And to the angel of the church in Philadelphia write, 'These things says He who is holy, He who is true, "He who has the key of David, He who opens and no one shuts, and shuts and no one opens":

### **Compassionate**

Isaiah 40:11

<sup>11</sup> He will feed His flock like a shepherd; He will gather the lambs with His arm, And carry *them* in His bosom, *And* gently lead those who are with young.

Luke 19:41

<sup>41</sup> Now as He drew near, He saw the city and wept over it,

### Benevolent

Matthew 4:23,24

<sup>23</sup> And Jesus went about all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing all kinds of sickness and all kinds of disease among the people. <sup>24</sup> Then His fame went throughout all Syria; and they brought to Him all sick people who were afflicted with various diseases and torments, and those who were demonpossessed, epileptics, and paralytics; and He healed them.

Acts 10:38

<sup>38</sup> "how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power, who went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with Him.

### Merciful

Hebrews 2:17

<sup>17</sup> Therefore, in all things He had to be made like His brethren, that He might be a merciful and faithful High Priest in things pertaining to God, to make propitiation for the sins of the people.

### Patient

Isaiah 53:7

<sup>7</sup>He was oppressed and He was afflicted, Yet He opened not His mouth; He was led as a lamb to the slaughter, And as a sheep before its shearers is silent, So He opened not His mouth.

Matthew 27:14

<sup>14</sup> But He answered him not one word, so that the governor marveled greatly.

# Long-suffering

1 Timothy 1:16

<sup>16</sup> However, for this reason I obtained mercy, that in me first Jesus Christ might show all longsuffering, as a pattern to those who are going to believe on Him for everlasting life.

# Riahteous

Isaiah 53:11

<sup>11</sup> He shall see the labor of His soul, and be satisfied.

By His knowledge My righteous Servant shall justify many,

For He shall bear their iniquities.

Hebrews 1.9

<sup>9</sup> You have loved righteousness and hated lawlessness:

Therefore God, Your God, has anointed You With the oil of gladness more than Your companions."

### Good

Matthew 19:16

<sup>16</sup>Now behold, one came and said to Him, "Good Teacher, what good thing shall I do that I may have eternal life?"

### Faithful

Isaiah 11:5

<sup>5</sup> Righteousness shall be the belt of His loins, And faithfulness the belt of His waist.

1 Thessalonians 5:24

<sup>24</sup>He who calls you *is* faithful, who also will do it.

#### True

John 1:14

<sup>14</sup> And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth.

Iohn 7:18

<sup>18</sup> "He who speaks from himself seeks his own glory; but He who seeks the glory of the One who sent Him is true, and no unrighteousness is in Him.

1 John 5:20

<sup>20</sup> And we know that the Son of God has come and has given us an understanding, that we may know Him who is true; and we are in Him who is true, in His Son Jesus Christ. This is the true God and eternal life.

### Just

Zechariah 9:9

9 "Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion!
Shout, O daughter of Jerusalem!
Behold, your King is coming to you;
He is just and having salvation,
Lowly and riding on a donkey,
A colt, the foal of a donkey.

#### Meek

Isaiah 53:7

<sup>7</sup>He was oppressed and He was afflicted, Yet He opened not His mouth; He was led as a lamb to the slaughter, And as a sheep before its shearers is silent, So He opened not His mouth.

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Matthew 11:29

<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.

# Lowly in heart

Matthew 11:29

<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.

Iohn 4:34

<sup>34</sup> Jesus said to them, "My food is to do the will of Him who sent Me, and to finish His work.

Iohn 15:10

<sup>10</sup> "If you keep My commandments, you will abide in My love, just as I have kept My Father's commandments and abide in His love.

### Zealous

Luke 2:49

<sup>49</sup> And He said to them, "Why did you seek Me? Did you not know that I must be about My Father's business?"

John 2:17

<sup>17</sup> Then His disciples remembered that it was written, "Zeal for Your house has eaten Me up."

Iohn 8:29

<sup>29</sup> "And He who sent Me is with Me. The Father has not left Me alone, for I always do those things that please Him."

Iohn 5:30

<sup>30</sup> "I can of Myself do nothing. As I hear, I judge; and My judgment is righteous, because I do not seek My own will but the will of the Father who sent Me.

Acts 22:14

<sup>14</sup> "Then he said, 'The God of our fathers has chosen you that you should know His will, and see the Just One, and hear the voice of His mouth.

### Guileless

Isaiah 53:9

<sup>9</sup>And they made His grave with the wicked— But with the rich at His death, Because He had done no violence, Nor was any deceit in His mouth.

1 Peter 2:22

<sup>22</sup> "Who committed no sin. Nor was deceit found in His mouth";

### Sinless

Iohn 8:46

46 "Which of you convicts Me of sin? And if I tell the truth, why do you not believe Me?

2 Corinthians 5:21

<sup>21</sup>For He made Him who knew no sin *to be* sin for us, that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.

# **Spotless**

1 Peter 1:19

<sup>19</sup>but with the precious blood of Christ, as of a lamb without blemish and without spot.

#### Innocent

Matthew 27:4

<sup>4</sup> saying, "I have sinned by betraying innocent blood." And they said, "What *is that* to us? You see *to it*!"

### Harmless

Hebrews 7:26

<sup>26</sup>For such a High Priest was fitting for us, *who is* holy, harmless, undefiled, separate from sinners, and has become higher than the heavens;

# Resisting temptation

*Matthew 4:1-10* 

<sup>1</sup>Then Jesus was led up by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. <sup>2</sup> And

when He had fasted forty days and forty nights, afterward He was hungry. <sup>3</sup> Now when the tempter came to Him, he said, "If You are the Son of God, command that these stones become bread." <sup>4</sup> But He answered and said, "It is written, 'Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds from the mouth of God.' " <sup>5</sup> Then the devil took Him up into the holy city, set Him on the pinnacle of the temple, <sup>6</sup> and said to Him, "If You are the Son of God, throw Yourself down. For it is written: 'He shall give His angels charge over you,' and, 'In *their* hands they shall bear you up, Lest you dash your foot against a stone.'"

<sup>7</sup> Jesus said to him, "It is written again, 'You shall not tempt the LORD your God.'" <sup>8</sup> Again, the devil took Him up on an exceedingly high mountain, and showed Him all the kingdoms of the world and their glory. <sup>9</sup> And he said to Him, "All these things I will give You if You will fall down and worship me." <sup>10</sup> Then Jesus said to him, "Away with you, Satan! For it is written, 'You shall worship the LORD your God, and Him only you shall serve.'"

#### Obedient to God the Father

Psalm 40:8

<sup>8</sup> I delight to do Your will, O my God, And Your law *is* within my heart."