



Then Jesus took his disciples up the mountain and, gathering them around him, he taught them, saying:

Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven

Blessed are the meek

Blessed are they that mourn

Blessed are the merciful

Blessed are they that thirst for justice

Blessed are you when persecuted

Blessed are you when you suffer

Be glad and rejoice for your reward is great in heaven.

Then Simon Peter said, "Are we supposed to know this?"

And Andrew said, "Do we have to write this down?"

And James said, "Is this examinable?"

And Phillip said, "Is there an answer guide in the library?"

And Bartholomew said, "What came after poor?"

And John said, "The other disciples didn't have to learn this!"

And Mark said, "Don't take the overhead off yet."

And Matthew went to the bathroom.

One of the Pharisees who was present asked to see Jesus' lesson plan and enquired of Jesus, "Where are your anticipatory set and your objectives in the cognitive domain?"

And Jesus wept.