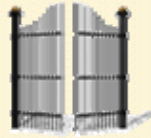


May 2006

Subject: 15 GOD'S WORD MONTHLY

Welcome

Hosanna



Jesus Saves!

Fellow heir with the One and Only Jesus Christ, God is good, for He promises to give us every good thing to lead godly lives.



Thank You for choosing to receive God's Word Monthly via Email.

MONTHLY COLOURED BIBLE SCRIPTURES for personal application as **Posters, Screensavers, Desktop, Wallpaper, Calendars, Greeting Cards, Encouragement Cards, Post Cards, Bookmarks, Framed Prints, Door Knob Hangers, Memory Verses, PC Slideshow, PC Jigsaw Puzzles** or any use to suit your need.

This months *coloured attachment* scripture is Ruth 2:4

"THE LORD BLESS YOU"

This statement is an expression of favour, hope and praise for the future, even life forever more. **It is acknowledgement of God's goodness** to bestow the nature of that which is of the highest good, and is more than a social greeting.

Blessing is the opposite of cursing; it is a state of happiness. The Lord is the source of all blessing, and people express gratitude for that blessing. God providentially directs all existence and its functions. God provides blessings, either directly or through His representatives. God's initiative rests with Him.

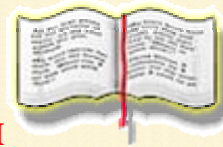
Spiritual and material benefits are given as gifts by God to be enjoyed. He is the source of all blessings. **The condition of God's blessings is to obey and revere Him.** There are God's blessings of peace, victory, restoration, fruitfulness and prosperity. However, disobedience and sin can cause God to remove His blessing.

Reverence for God brings blessings and favour to individual believers, their relatives and the community to which they belong. God responds to those who reverence Him and rewards them.

ISBN 0 9585763 3 5 ©




CHRIST AS SEEN IN THE BOOK



OF RUTH

Jesus is portrayed as the Kinsman-redeemer, who because of His work, is able to pay the Price of Redemption. He is the Mighty Man and Lord of The Harvest. The Provider of Promised Blessings and the Great Son of David.

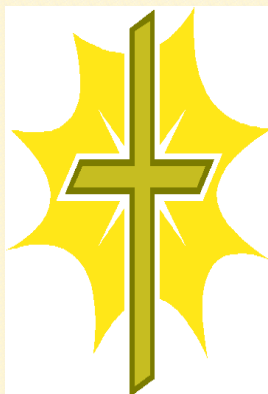
 **BIBLICAL KNOWLEDGE-** Did you know that Jesus stopped teaching and healed a crippled woman, bent double for eighteen years. During this one incident

Jesus broke seven Traditional Jewish Laws, which were man-made extensions of God's Laws? 1. He acknowledged a woman in public. **2.** He called to her and asked her to come to Him in public. **3.** He allowed her to enter the men's section of the Synagogue. **4.** He touched a woman in public. **5.** He brought her onto the speaker's podium in the centre of the Synagogue. **6.** He allowed her to be in the place of honour in front of the important Jewish Teachers of the Synagogue. **7.** He healed her on the Sabbath. The woman praised God.

There is a colouring in page of Jesus healing the woman in the temple at <http://www.tne.net.au/~abdaacts/image12.html>



A MAY EVENT-William Carey was born into a poor family. He was called to pastor a small church. Not a likely prospect to become the "Father of Modern Missions." Carey borrowed a copy of Captain Cook's Voyages and he started thinking of overseas evangelism. He began to sense that something should be done to reach the world for Christ. Most Christians had believed the Great Commission had been given only to the original apostles. Carey insisted it was binding on all succeeding generations of Christians, an idea that brought contempt from many preachers. Carey wrote a book, and it was published on May 12, 1792. His 87-page volume became a classic in Christian history. It led to the formation of a missionary society and funds were collected. The proceeds were used to send Carey to India, launching the modern era of missions.

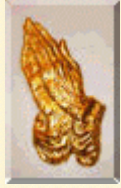


God Bless.

Fay and Jill from **ABDA ACTS**

Art and Publishing

Email address: abdaacts@tne.net.au



Heavenly Father, We give you all the glory, praise and thanksgiving. It is because of Christ that You accept us into Your Presence and that You Favour us with Salvation and Blessings of goodness. **In Jesus' Name, Amen. +**

Jesus
Lives!

