

Preaching Elder R. Rubino

Sermon Outline for Sunday, March 21, 2021

Sermon: "Gratitude Destroys Depression." Grateful to be Depressed! Pt. 4

**I Text:**

Old Covenant: *Isaiah 61*

New Covenant: *Luke 4:16-30*

**II Doctrine:**

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**III Comparing Scripture With Scripture:**

1) Those who truly realize the power of King Jesus will have a spirit of gratitude. God's people have been chosen to partake in the greatest rescue operation in the history of the world. We are God's army on earth to enlarge his Kingdom and tear down Satan's. (*Isaiah 61:1,2; Luke 4:16-21*)

2) The Prophets, Apostles, and Saints suffered immeasurably in their lives. Their gratitude and faith in the power of King Jesus, destroyed their seasons of depression. (*Isaiah 61:3-8, Luke 4:22-30*)

3) God's remnant with a spirit of gratitude will persevere and thrive in the midst of a wicked generation. We are never to feel defeated, God uses the humble in earthly terms to vanquish the most powerful foes. Mary the Mother of Jesus sang of victory, while her people lived under the heel of Caesar Augustus. Let us have the same attitude in our walk with Christ. (*Isaiah 61:9-11; Luke 1:39-56*)