

## Making Compassion Your Strong Suit

Caring For Humanity - Part 2 of 4

**“Count off seven Sabbaths of years. Then have the trumpet sounded everywhere on the Day of Atonement consecrate the fiftieth year and proclaim liberty throughout the land to all its inhabitants. It shall be a year of Jubilee.”**

Leviticus 25:8-10

Three things would happen at Jubilee:

- All debts were \_\_\_\_\_.

**“Do not be hard-hearted or tight-fisted toward your poor brother. Rather be open-handed and freely lend him whatever he needs. Be careful not to harbor this wicked thought. The year for canceling debts is near so that you show ill will toward your needy brother and give him nothing. He may then appeal to the Lord against you, and you will be found guilty of sin. Give generously to him and do so without a grudging heart. Then, because of this, your God will bless you.”**

Deuteronomy 15:7-10

- All prisoners are \_\_\_\_\_.

**“Consecrate the fiftieth year and proclaim liberty throughout the land to all its inhabitants...”**

Leviticus 25:10

- All land goes back to its \_\_\_\_\_.

**“The land must not be sold permanently, because the land is mine, and you are but aliens and tenants.”**

Leviticus 25:23

**“There should be no needy persons among you if only you fully obey the Lord your God and are careful to obey all these commands I am giving you today.”**

Deuteronomy 15:4-6

**“...He has sent me to proclaim freedom for the captive and release for the prisoners to proclaim the year of the Lord’s favor.”**

Isaiah 61:1

Jesus: **“The Spirit of the Lord is upon Me, because He has anointed Me to preach good news to the poor ... to proclaim the year of the Lord’s favor.... Today this Scripture is fulfilled in your hearing.”**

Luke 4:18-19,21

Jesus: **“Whenever you did one of these things to someone overlooked or ignored, that was me—you did it to me.’... Whenever you failed to do one of these things to someone who was being overlooked or ignored, that was me—you failed to do it to me.”**

Matthew 25:40,45 (Mes)

**“There were no needy persons among them, for from time to time, those who owned lands sold them, brought the money from the sales, put it at the Apostles’ feet, and it was distributed to anyone as he had need.”**

Acts 4:34-35

**“On the first day of the week, let each of you set something aside privately storing up whatever you can according to your income.”**

1 Corinthians 16:2

**“No servant can be the slave of two masters; such a servant will hate one and love the other or will be loyal to one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and money.”**

Luke 16:13 (GN)

**“Don’t store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth corrupts and thieves break in and steal, but lay up for yourselves treasures in Heaven for where your treasure is, that’s where your heart will be.”**

Matthew 6:19-21

What It Takes To Be A Person Of Jubilee:

1. Jubilee people \_\_\_\_\_.

**“When you give to the poor, it is like lending to the Lord, and the Lord will pay you back.”**

Proverbs 19:17 (GN)

2. Jubilee people \_\_\_\_\_.

**“Much is required from the person to whom much is given; much more is required from the person to whom much more is given.”**

Luke 12:48 (GN)

3. Jubilee people \_\_\_\_\_ at the unacceptable.

**“The Spirit of the Lord has come upon Me... to proclaim the acceptable year of the Lord.”**

Luke 4:18-19