BLESS OTHERS

"I am blessed to **BLESS OTHERS**."

Genesis

5:1 When God created mankind, he made them to be like himself. ² He created them male and female, and blessed them and called their name "Adam."

Bless Others by KNOWING your GIFTS.

Psalm 139:14 - "Thank you for making me so wonderfully complex! Your workmanship is marvelous - how well I know it."

Truth: Blessed isn't something you HAVE it's something you ARE.

Q: What are your top 3 God given gifts - and how are you making them better?

1:28 Then **God blessed them** and said,
"Be *fruitful* and *multiply*. *Fill the earth* and *rule it*.

**Reign over the fish in the sea, the birds in the sky, and all the animals that scurry along the ground."

- fruitful: parah "to increase, to grow, to produce"
- multiply: rabah "to increase, to excel, to be great"
- **fill**: male' "to satisfy, to accomplish, to finish"
- rule: kabash "to subdue, to conquer, to tread on"
- reign: radah "to have dominion, to rule over"

1:29 Then God said, "Look! I have given you every seed-bearing plant throughout the earth and all the fruit trees for your food."

Bless Others by USING your GIFTS.

Romans 12:6 - "God has given each of us different gifts for doing certain things well."

Truth: Using your gift isn't PRIDE - it's PURPOSE.

Q: What will you do today that others will be glad you did?

the **sixth day**. Then God looked over all he had made, and he saw that it was **very good**!

^{2:1} So the creation of the heavens and the earth and everything in them was completed. ² On the seventh day God had finished his work of creation, so he rested (*ceased*) from all his work.

^{2:3} And **God blessed the seventh day** and declared it holy, because it was the day when he rested from all his work of creation.

Bless Others by RESTING your GIFTS.

Genesis 12:2 - "I will bless you and you will be a blessing to others." (*God's promise to Abraham*)

Truth: God is doing something IN you so he can do something TROUGH you.

Q: What is God doing in you that will become a blessing to others?

Questions and Actions.

Q: What are your **top 3 God-given gifts** and skills and how are you making them better?

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Q: What will you **do today** that others will be glad you did?

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Q: What is God doing in you that **will become** a blessing to others?

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Prayer: "Thank you for blessing me. I'm often tempted to compare and complain if things aren't going my way. I look forward to not only *seeing* your daily blessings but *being a blessing* to those around me."

Action:

Pick one person in your life and bless them with a *handwritten note* of encouragement.

Notes.