

in the Mount: Supplementary Analytical outline/chart. # 1.
(Matthew 5:1-20)

He opened his mouth, and taught them.....

Truth, Concerning the Lord's People
(5:1-20)

<u>Regarding their character</u>	<u>Regarding their condition</u>	<u>Regarding their lot</u>
<u>They are truly happy</u> (These verses seem to summarize the character and condition of the verses preceding them)	<u>When</u> poor in spirit (vs 3) mourning (4) meek (5) hungering and thirsting for righteousness.** (6) merciful (7) pure in heart (8) peacemakers (9) persecuted for righteousness sake ** (10) reviled for Him(11)	<u>For</u> theirs..kingdom of heaven shall be comforted theirs..the earth they shall be filled shall receive mercy shall see God children of God (colla. theirs..kingdom of heaven have great reward.
<u>They are truly useful</u>	<u>When</u> "salting" (13) "lighting" (14) "honoring" (15)	<u>For</u> they are purposed as salt they are set as light instructed to shine
<u>They are truly taught</u>	<u>When</u> honoring the word (17) keeping the word(18) doing the word (19)	<u>For</u> it is eternal the key to usefulness the means of a truly righteous condition.

Observations: The Lord tells us how to be: truly happy
truly useful
truly taught.

- The character prepares for the usefulness... the usefulness is then governed by the teaching.
- The emphasis is fairly made on a Christian life that possesses both active and passive elements.
- That the Beatitudes may be arranged in the form of a numerical collocation is possible, but may not be dogmatically asserted.
- That they are designed as a cyclic unit showing Christian character in a full scope is also a strong possibility.