

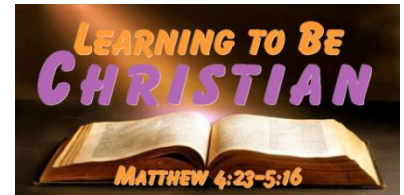


Central Parkway Baptist Church

Loving God • Engaging People • Making Disciples

Sunday, December 3, 2017
Pastor Grant Hignight

Enduring Persecution Matthew 5:10-12



1. Expect to be persecuted for righteousness
 - 1) God has an enemy
 - 2) Christians have an enemy
 - i. Created in God's image
 - ii. Adopted as God's children
 - iii. Living God's purpose and plan
2. Train for righteousness
 - 1) Receive God's instruction
 - 2) Acknowledge the challenge
 - 3) Prepare for battle
3. Live righteousness
 - 1) The reward is real
 - 2) You are not alone
 - 3) Jesus wins

