《天路导向》 双语讲义

藉我赐恩福 (24) BLESSED TO BE A BLESSING – Part 24

SECTION A 甲部

- 1. Hello, listening friends. 亲爱的朋友,你好。
- 2. We praise God that you have tuned in to this program.

我们赞美神,你能够听这个节目,

- 3. And we pray constantly that God will use these words to bless your life. 我们也不断地祷告,求神使用这些信息赐福给你。
- 4. It is our prayer that God would accept the sacrifice of our bringing this to you to bless you and bless your family. 我们祈求神,接纳我们所奉献的,就是把这个节目带给你,让你和你的家人都因此而蒙福。
- There are many people around the world who are praying for you.
 其实在世界各地,有许多人在为你祷告,
- 6. So that as you receive the word of God, 让你听了神的话之後,
- 7. it will strengthen you, 使你有力量,
- 8. and empower you. 可以获得能力,
- 9. So that you will be a soldier for Jesus Christ, 以致於你能成为耶稣基督的精兵,
- 10. and that you'll be a true witness for Jesus Christ. 成为耶稣基督真实的见证人。
- 11. And we try to do all this in series of messages. 我们就是以系列信息的方式来完成这目的,
- 12. So that you can follow with us day after day. 让你长期的跟著我们一起来学习。
- 13. And we love to hear from you. 我们很希望能接到你的音讯,

- 14. We want to know how God is using these messages to bless your life. 我们很想知道神如何使用这些信息赐福给你,
- 15. So, we're going to ask you if you'll take a minute and write us a letter. 所以诚心邀请你,花点时间给我们写信。
- 16. If you are joining this broadcast for the first time, 如果你今天是第一次收听我们的节目,
- 17. we are drawing near the end of a series of messages from the first epistle of Peter. 我们讲彼得前书里的系列信息,已经快接近尾声了。
- 18. At the beginning of the epistle, 在这卷书开始的部份,
- 19. Peter taught us to count our blessings. 彼得教导我们要数算恩典,
- 20. These are the sevenfold blessing that I will list for you again. 让我们温习一下,他所列出的七重福气。
- 21. First, 第一,
- 22. the blessing of election. 被拣选的福气。
- 23. Second, 第二,
- 24. the blessing of the new birth. 重生的福气。
- 25. Thirdly, 第三,
- 26. the blessing of a living hope. 活泼的盼望。
- 27. Fourthly, 第四,
- 28. the blessing of the inheritance that we have in Jesus Christ.
 在耶稣基督里承受基业的福气。
- 29. Fifth, 第五,

- 30. the blessing of God's protection. 神保守的福气。
- 31. Sixth, 第六,
- 32. the blessing of suffering for Christ's sake. 为基督受苦的福气。
- 33. Seventh, 第七,
- 35. Next, Peter tells us that we must respond to these blessings with thankfulness. 接著,彼得叫我们以感恩来回应这些福气,
- 36. There are six ways to express our thankfulness. 有六种表达感恩的方法。
- 37. First, in thankfulness to God, we are to live in alertness and self-control. 第一,因为感谢神,我们就会儆醒,并自我节制;
- 38. Second, in thankfulness to God, we are to live a life of holiness and obedience. 第二,因为感谢神,我们就会过著圣洁,而顺服神的生活;
- 39. Third, in thankfulness to God, we are to live a life of reverence and awe and respect for God as our Father.
 第三,因为感谢神,我们就会过著敬畏神、尊神为父的生活;
- 40. Fourth, in gratitude to God, we are to grow in love. 第四,因为感谢神,我们就会在爱心上不断长进;
- 41. And fifth, in gratitude to God, we are to grow in the Word.第五,因为感谢神,我们就会在认识神的话语上不断长进;
- 42. Sixth, in gratitude to God, we are to grow up. 第六,因为感谢神,我们属灵的生命就要不断地长进。
- 43. Peter writes this epistle like a ladder that we must climb. 彼得写这卷书信,就像一级级楼梯让我们往上爬,
- 44. One part resting upon the other. 一个步骤接著一个步骤。

- 45. Peter tells us that once we are born again, 彼得说,我们重生之後,
- 46. we find our true identity in Christ. 就能找到我们在基督里的身份地位;
- 47. Once we are born again, 当我们重生之後,
- 48. we will receive blessings from God so that we might be a blessing to others. 我们就从神那里领受恩惠,使我们能成为别人的祝福;
- 49. As we are born again, 当我们重生之後,
- 50. we must imitate the behavior of Jesus. 必须效法耶稣的行为。
- 51. Today, in 1 Peter chapter 4 verses 12 to 19, 今天要讲,彼得前书四章 12-19节。
- 52. the apostle speaks once again to believers who are suffering for the sake of Christ. 使徒彼得在这里,再一次对那些为基督受苦的信徒说话。
- 53. I want to ask you a question, 我想问你一个问题,
- 54. have you ever experienced discrimination because of your faith? 你有没有因著你的信仰,被人歧视的经历?
- 55. Have you ever experienced persecution because of your faith? 你有没有因著你的信仰,被人逼迫的经历?
- 56. Then this message is for you. 这信息就是为你而讲的。
- 57. Peter tells believers three things about suffering for the sake of Christ. 彼得曾经三次对基督徒谈到,为基督受苦的教导。
- 58. If you have a Bible, please turn with us to 1
 Peter chapter 4 beginning at verse 12 to verse 19.
 如果你有圣经,请翻到彼得前书四章,12-19 节。
- 59. Let's read that together. (**If time allows you, please go ahead and read this passage.**) 让我们一起来看这段经文。
- 60. Christians in Peter's day were experiencing all kinds of persecution and suffering. 在彼得那时代的基督徒,遭受各种各类的逼迫和苦难,

- 61. And Christians back then were tempted to ask why.
 - 那些基督徒忍不住都要问,到底是为什麽?
- 62. They are asking the question, saying, 他们问道:
- 63. "How is it that we Christians, of all people, who love deeply, are maligned and falsely accused?"

在众人之中,为什麽偏偏是我们这些爱主的 基督徒,要遭受攻击和冤枉?

- 64. In the same way, the Gentile Christians of Peter's day were surprised by the persecution of their pagan society. 同样的,彼得时代的外邦基督徒,也很惊奇那些异教社会加给他们的迫害,
- 65. and so Peter writes to them and saying in verse 12, 所以在 12 节那里,彼得对他们说,
- 66. "Do not be surprised at the painful trials that you are experiencing." 有火炼的试验临到你们,不要以为奇怪。
- 67. In fact, Peter tells them three things about suffering for the sake of Christ. 彼得告诉他们有关为主受苦的三件事:
- 68. First, 第一,
- 69. he said there is a special blessing that comes from being falsely accused and severely maligned.
 他说,你们若为基督的名受辱骂,便是有福的。
- 70. You'll find that in verse 14 of chapter 4. 这是第四章 14 节所说的。
- 71. When you suffer unjustly, rejoice and be exceedingly glad. 当你受冤屈之苦时,应该欢喜快乐。
- 72. Why? 为什麽?
- 73. Because when they falsely accuse you, 因为当别人诬告你时,
- 74. when they hate you for no reason, 当他们无缘无故地憎恨你时,
- 75. when they twist the truth about you, 当他们歪曲事实诬赖你时,
- 76. when they work hard to isolate you, 当他们想尽办法孤立你时,

- 77. when they bombard you with modern day falsehoods, 当他们以现代的谎言来轰炸你时,
- 78. take heart. 小心!
- 79. Don't be discouraged. 不要灰心失望!
- 80. Don't be tempted to join the parade of the apathetic. 千万不要被诱惑,加入无动於衷的队伍;
- 81. Don't be tempted to give up and deny the faith. 不要被诱惑,加入放弃信仰、否定信仰的队伍;
- 82. But remember that there is a spiritual blessing in store for you. 要记住,神已经为你预备了属灵的福分。
- 83. Remember it in this way, 请你记住,
- 84. when you are standing before the enemy, 当你面对敌人时,
- 85. you are participating in Christ's suffering. 你是和基督一同受苦;
- 86. Remember in that way, you are winning some of them over to eternal salvation. 请你记住,你可能赢得其中一些人的灵魂,使他们永远得救;
- 87. Remember that they are being blinded by Satan and cannot see the truth. 请你记住,他们受魔鬼蒙蔽,以致於看不见直理;
- 88. Remember that you can reach out to them even in the midst of their false accusations. 请记住,即使你被诬告,还是可以向他们传福音;
- 89. Remember that you will receive a blessing both here and now and in the hereafter. 请记住,你不但今生可以蒙福,将来在永恒里也会蒙福。
- 90. So first, there is a blessing in store for you. 因此第一就是,神为你预备了属灵的福分。
- 91. Secondly, 第二,
- 92. Peter is telling the Gentile Christians in Asia Minor not to be ashamed of suffering. 彼得告诉那些在小亚西亚的外邦基督徒,不要以为主受苦为耻。

- 93. Look at verse 16 of chapter 4. 请看第四章 16节,
- 94. The only thing you can be ashamed of is this, 唯一你应该觉得羞耻的是,
- 95. if you are reaping the consequences of wrongdoing.
 你犯罪後,自食恶果。
- 96. But if you are maligned by others, 但如果你受了恶毒的辱骂,
- 97. don't try to gain acceptance by apologizing for the truth.

 千万不要以妥协真理,来换取别人的接纳;
- 98. Don't try to please them by backing down. 千万不要为了讨好人,而在真理上让步。

SECTION B

乙部

- 1. There is only one person that you need to be concerned to please.
 你只需要留心讨好一位,
- 2. There is only one person that you need to be concerned to honor and obey.
 你只需要留心尊崇并顺服一位,
- And don't ever be ashamed of Him or His Gospel.
 绝对不要以祂或祂的福音为耻。
- 4. Because if you are ashamed of Jesus, 因为如果你以耶稣为耻,
- 5. Jesus said he'll be ashamed of you before his Father in heaven. 耶稣说,祂在天父面前也要以你为耻。
- 6. Then the third thing Peter is saying for his readers in Asia Minor is this, 彼得对他在小亚西亚的读者所提的第三件事,
- 7. in the midst of your suffering, 当你身处患难中时,
- 8. remember that he will never forsake you. 要记住,神永不会丢弃你。
- 9. Look at verse 19 of chapter 4. 请看第四章 19节,
- 10. Rather than taking the insult and the false accusation personally, 与其把这些侮辱和诬告看为是对你个人的攻击,

- 11. take it as an opportunity to trust the Lord. 还不如把它当作是你信靠神的机会。
- 12. And when you surrender to the Lord in tough times,
 当你在遭遇艰难的时候,把自己交在神手里;
- 13. when you trust him with all of your heart in difficult times, 在困难的时刻,你全心全意信赖祂;
- 14. when you commit yourself fully to him in times of danger, 在危险的关头,你把自己完全交托给神;

- 18. Why? 为什麽?
- 19. Because you are walking with the Lord in obedience in tough times.因为在艰难的时候,你肯顺服,与神同行,
- 20. He will walk with you in the midst of the fiery furnace of life. 祂将要在你人生试炼的火炉中与你同在。
- 21. When you trust in the Lord with all your heart, 当你全心全意地信靠主,
- 22. and lean not on your own understanding, 而不是倚靠自己的理性时,
- 23. He will walk with you in the den of lions. 祂将要在狮子坑里与你同在。
- 24. Believers are obedient. 基督徒都该顺服神,
- 25. And obedient people believe and trust in Him. 顺服的人都相信祂,倚靠祂。
- 26. Remember, the Bible said that there were three young men, 还记得吗?圣经记载了三个年轻人,
- 27. they were obedient to the Lord. 他们顺服神,
- 28. They were faithful to the Lord. 他们对神尽忠。
- 29. The whole world was against them. 全世界都跟他们作对,

- 30. Their neighbors were against them. 他们的邻居反对他们,
- 31. Their friends were against them. 他们的朋友跟他们作对,
- 32. Many of their friends compromised the faith. 他们好些朋友都在信仰上妥协,
- 33. But they were determined to obey the Lord, 但他们下定决心要顺服神,
- 34. and honor the Lord, 尊崇神,
- 35. and please him alone. 单单讨祂喜欢,
- 36. So, they continued in their prayer life. 於是他们继续祷告的生活。
- 37. The king didn't like that. 国王很不高兴,
- 38. So, he heated up the fiery furnace, 於是烧红了火炉,
- 39. seven times. 有七倍的热度,
- 40. And he threw them in the fire. 然後把他们丢进烈火中。
- 41. But then, he looked in. 後来他往里看,
- 42. And they did not burn. 他们都没有著火,
- 43. Not even a single hair of their head was singed. 连一根头发都没有烧焦。
- 44. But they were not alone. 然而不只他们三个人在火里面,
- 45. There was a fourth person walking with them. 有第四个人与他们同在,
- 46. It was the pre-incarnate Jesus. 就是道成肉身之前的耶稣。
- 48. and he turned the fiery furnace into a paradise. 祂把烧红的火炉变成天堂。
- 49. God promised, 神应许说,
- 50. "I will honor those who honor me. 尊重我的,我必尊重他。

- 51. But those who'll be ashamed of me, of them I'll be ashamed before my heavenly Father." 凡以我为羞耻的,我在我父面前也以他为耻。
- 52. And so, my listening friend, 所以,亲爱的朋友,
- 53. I want to encourage you today. 今天我要勉励你,
- 54. Stand firm. 站稳了,
- 55. This life will soon be over. 今生很快就会过去,
- 56. And one day, you'll stand before the Lord in heaven.有一天,你要站在天上主耶稣面前。
- 57. And it is my prayer for me and for you, 这是我为你,也是为我自己的祷告,
- 58. that we would hear from the lips of Jesus, 我们将要听见耶稣亲口说,
- 59. "Well done, good and faithful servant. 好,你这又良善,又忠心的仆人,
- 60. You have been faithful on little, now you can be faithful on much." 你在不多的事上有忠心,我要把许多事派你管理。
- 61. Remember this, 请记住,
- 62. that we will reign and rule in the universe with our Lord. 将来我们要与主一同掌权,管理这个宇宙。
- 63. So, it is my prayer for you and for me, 所以我为你,也为我自己祷告,
- 64. that we will stand strong, 让我们站立得稳,
- 65. and we would not compromise. 永不妥协,
- 66. So that we would have the victory. 我们才能得胜。
- 67. And until next time, I wish you God's richest blessings 愿神大大地赐福给你,我们下次节目再会。