

Matthew 5:1-12

Pride is the gateway sin to all other sin.

Pride keeps people from Jesus and pride keeps people from becoming more like Jesus.

The opposite of pride is humility.

The daily battle we face is our pride
vs our humility.

I. Be Different (Matthew Chapters 5-7)

A. When Jesus' righteousness is living through you, you will stand out in this world.

II. Be Blessed (Matthew 5:3-11)

III. Be Poor in Spirit (Matthew 5:3)

A. Pride must be replaced by humility.

B. Pride will keep us from experiencing all God has to offer us in Christ.

IV. Cultivate a Heart of Humility

A. Abide in Jesus.

B. Be Gracious.

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from becoming more like Jesus.