

# NEW BIRTH

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**"I'm Not Going to Let You Take Advantage of Me" by Pastor Dr. Jamal Harrison Bryant**

**Scripture Reference: John 6:1-11:**

This passage of Scripture describes how Jesus noticed the hungry multitude who desired to hear Him preach *good tidings*. To make it possible to satisfy their hunger, Jesus multiplied a lad's lunch and fed over five thousand souls. **GOD WILL SUPPLY YOUR EVERY NEED!** As believers, we must have godly character as givers. The Bible states in Matthew 5:14: *"You are the light of the world. A city that is set on a hill cannot be hidden."* Matthew 5:16 declares, *"Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father which is in heaven"* (NKJV).

But remember, there are standards to take to refrain from being taken advantage of: sometimes you just have to say "No." At times in our lives, people will prey on those having a weak moment, who give in too easily because they don't like seeing others go through. The great revelation in this text is that while the people were in midst of lack (in a desert place), Jesus told them to *sit...* and when they sat, the land was blanketed with grass. The grass gave them comfort —evidence of their being seated on fertile ground!

Dear Lord, we THANK YOU for the word proclaimed in this sermon that gives givers hope; hope to realize the seeds and sacrifices sown through Your people will not go unnoticed. In return, we have been granted a SEASON of RESTORATION, declaring "THE STRUGGLE is OVER!" We rejoice in advance for the GREAT RELEASE and for EVERY SWEATLESS VICTORY coming forth! In Jesus' Name, Amen.

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