

## THOSE PEOPLE—1

### THOSE “OVERLY NEEDY” PEOPLE

RELIEF: IMMEDIATE & TEMPORARY \_\_\_\_\_.

RESTORATION: WORKING WITH PEOPLE TO \_\_\_\_\_  
THEM TO THEIR GOD-GIVEN POTENTIAL.

#### RESTORATION

<sup>1</sup> One day Peter and John were going up to the temple at the time of prayer — at three in the afternoon. <sup>2</sup> Now a man crippled from birth was being carried to the temple gate called Beautiful, where he was put every day to beg from those going into the temple courts. <sup>3</sup> When he saw Peter and John about to enter, he asked them for money.

<sup>4</sup> Peter looked straight at him, as did John. Then Peter said, "Look at us!" <sup>5</sup> So the man gave them his attention, expecting to get something from them.

<sup>6</sup> Then Peter said, "Silver or gold I do not have, but what I have I give you. In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, walk." <sup>7</sup> Taking him by the right hand, he helped him up, and instantly the man's feet and ankles became strong. <sup>8</sup> He jumped to his feet and began to walk. Then he went with them into the temple courts, walking and jumping, and praising God. - Acts 3:1-8

#### THREE PRAYERS OF A RESTORER

GOD, HELP ME GIVE PEOPLE WHAT THEY TRULY \_\_\_\_\_ NOT  
JUST WHAT THEY \_\_\_\_\_.

*Then Peter said, "Silver or gold I do not have, but what I have I give you. In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, walk. - Acts 3:6*

GOD, HELP ME STAY OUT OF YOUR WAY BY NOT  
CONTINUALLY RESCUING PEOPLE FROM THEIR  
\_\_\_\_\_.

*Do not be deceived: God cannot be mocked. A man reaps what he sows. - Galatians 6:7*

GOD, HELP ME REMEMBER THAT I'M IN \_\_\_\_\_ TOO AND  
THAT YOU ARE ALWAYS THE ANSWER.

<sup>5</sup> *Yet I am poor and needy; come quickly to me, O God. You are my help and my deliverer; O Lord, do not delay. - Psalm 70:5*