ABOUNDING IN THANKSGIVING

A 14-DAY CHALLENGE



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Introduction

Beloved, thanksgiving is the grateful acknowledgement of the Father's goodness and of what He has done, expressed to Him in faith. You recognise the Giver, understand His goodness through the Word and respond to Him. Your mouth gives that response a voice; your conduct gives it expression.

Paul speaks of believers being rooted and built up in Christ, established in the faith and "abounding therein with thanksgiving" (Colossians 2:7, KJV). Thanksgiving belongs in a life established in Christ. The more clearly you understand what you have received, the more intelligently you can give thanks. You have something definite to say to your Father!

Begin with what He has done. In Christ you have redemption and forgiveness. The Father has qualified you for the inheritance of the saints in light (Colossians 1:12–14). You are His child, and through Christ you have access to Him. Let these realities give substance to your thanksgiving. You speak from your place in His family.

Read with understanding

Take one reading each day, with your Bible open. Read the key Scripture and the passages named beneath it. Consider what the passage says, how its thought develops and the response it calls for. Give attention to the teaching before you move to the response.

Keep a notebook if you find it helpful. Name the goodness you have recognised, write the truth that has become clear and identify the action you will take. Where the reading leads you to pray, address the Father in the Name of the Lord Jesus. Speak each declaration with understanding and let your conduct agree with it.

Let thanksgiving shape your life

The first five readings help you recognise and remember. The next four bring thanksgiving into prayer, faith and changing circumstances. The final five consider people, generosity, praise, testimony and the responsibilities of daily life. These subjects belong together. What you know of the Father finds expression in what you say and do.

Three short notes near the end explain words and expressions in Days 3, 5 and 7. Read them alongside the relevant passages when you want to examine those points more closely.

Give each reading time to work in the day before you. If you miss a day, resume with the next unread reading. When you finish the fourteen days, use Continuing in the Word to review what you have learned and carry it forward. The Father is good. Acknowledge Him with understanding, and let His Word direct your response.

DAY ONE

Begin with His Goodness

"For the LORD is good; his mercy is everlasting; and his truth endureth to all generations."

Psalm 100:5, KJV

Read Psalm 100:1–5; Ephesians 2:6, 18.

Psalm 100 gives us a reason for thanksgiving: the Lord is good. The psalm calls God's people to serve Him with gladness and to sing to Him. Then it tells them why. His goodness, His enduring mercy and His faithfulness give substance to their praise. They have more than a sound to make; they have truth to declare.

The psalm speaks in the language of the Old-Covenant temple, with its gates and courts. That is not your posture. You were born into the Father's presence; you are seated with Christ in heavenly places (Ephesians 2:6), and the Spirit of God dwells in you. Through Christ you have access by one Spirit unto the Father (Ephesians 2:18). Thanksgiving does not win you entrance; it is the voice of one who is already in. You are not standing outside until you have praised enough to be admitted.

Beloved, begin here. Thank your Father because He is good. Let His Word supply the content when your thoughts are full of other things. Say what you know of Him: His mercy endures, His truth

stands, and through Christ you have access to Him. You can speak to Him with confidence today.

RESPOND TO THE FATHER

Read Psalm 100:5 aloud. Turn each statement into thanksgiving: His goodness, His enduring mercy and His truth. Speak to Him in your own words.

CARRY THIS TRUTH

Through Christ I have access to the Father. I acknowledge His goodness with thanksgiving.