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Choose an Attitude of Gratitude

*1 Thessalonians 5:18*

A. Giving Thanks reminds me that I must give Account to a Higher Authority

* Whodo you turn to when you give thanks?
* God’s Giving deserves our Thanks-giving!
* More than Thanks-Giving, it’s all about Thanks-Living

B. Giving Thanks reminds me of the Power of a Right Attitude

* Trials and Tribulations come to us all
* Some people become Sour and Cranky
* Others become Sweet and Kind
* Use adversity as Stepping Stones to grow closer to God
* Are you an Act-or or a React-or?
* “If you don’t have all the things you Want, be grateful for all you don’t have that you Don’t want!”
* Relationship between a Thankful Heart and a Joyful Heart
* If you are low on Joy, start giving Thanks

C. Giving Thanks reminds me that God is in Control and He is Good

* It’s not about thanking God For everything but In everything
* God is Good! All the Time!
* Relationship between Thanks and Praise
* Don’t just have a long list of Requests; fill your heart with Praise and Thanksgiving!

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