Selected Verses on Thanksgiving (ESV)

- **1 Chronicles 16:4** ⁴ ¶ Then he appointed some of the Levites as ministers before the ark of the LORD, to invoke, to thank, and to praise the LORD, the God of Israel.
- **1 Chronicles 16:** ⁸ Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon his name; make known his deeds among the peoples!
- ³⁴ Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever!
- ³⁵ ¶ Say also: "Save us, O God of our salvation, and gather and deliver us from among the nations, that we may give thanks to your holy name, and glory in your praise.
- ⁴¹ With them were Heman and Jeduthun and the rest of those chosen and expressly named to give thanks to the LORD, for his steadfast love endures forever.
- **1 Chronicles 29:13-14** ¹³ And now we thank you, our God, and praise your glorious name. ¹⁴ ¶ "But who am I, and what is my people, that we should be able thus to offer willingly? For all things come from you, and of your own have we given you.
- 2 Chronicles 5:13 and it was the duty of the trumpeters and singers to make themselves heard in unison in praise and thanksgiving to the LORD), and when the song was raised, with trumpets and cymbals and other musical instruments, in praise to the LORD, "For he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever," the house, the house of the LORD, was filled with a cloud,
- **2 Chronicles 7:3** When all the people of Israel saw the fire come down and the glory of the LORD on the temple, they bowed down with their faces to the ground on the pavement and worshiped and gave thanks to the LORD, saying, "For he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever."
- ⁶ The priests stood at their posts; the Levites also, with the instruments for music to the LORD that King David had made for giving thanks to the LORD--for his steadfast love endures forever--whenever David offered praises by their ministry; opposite them the priests sounded trumpets, and all Israel stood.
- 2 Chronicles 20:21 And when he had taken counsel with the people, he appointed those who were to sing to the LORD and praise him in holy attire, as they went before the army, and say, "Give thanks to the LORD, for his steadfast love endures forever."
- **Ezra 3:11** And they sang responsively, praising and giving thanks to the LORD, "For he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever toward Israel." And all the people shouted with a great shout when they praised the LORD, because the foundation of the house of the LORD was laid.
- **Nehemiah 12:** ²⁷ ¶ And at the dedication of the wall of Jerusalem they sought the Levites in all their places, to bring them to Jerusalem to celebrate the dedication with gladness, with thanksgivings and with singing, with cymbals, harps, and lyres.

- ³¹ ¶ Then I brought the leaders of Judah up onto the wall and appointed two great choirs that gave thanks. One went to the south on the wall to the Dung Gate.
- **Psalm 7:17** I will give to the LORD the thanks due to his righteousness, and I will sing praise to the name of the LORD, the Most High.
- **Psalm 9:1** To the choirmaster: according to Muth-labben. A Psalm of David. I will give thanks to the LORD with my <u>whole heart</u>; I will recount all of your wonderful deeds.
- Psalm 26:7 proclaiming thanksgiving aloud, and telling all your wondrous deeds.
- **Psalm 28:7** The LORD is my strength and my shield; in him my heart trusts, and I am helped; my heart exults, and with my song I give thanks to him.
- **Psalm 30:4** Sing praises to the LORD, O you his saints, and give thanks to his holy name.
- ¹² that my glory may sing your praise and not be silent. O LORD my God, I will give thanks to you forever!
- **Psalm 33:2** Give thanks to the LORD with the lyre; make melody to him with the harp of ten strings!
- **Psalm 44:8** In God we have boasted continually, and we will give thanks to your name forever. Selah
- **Psalm 50:14** Offer to God a sacrifice of thanksgiving, and perform your vows to the Most High,
- ²³ The one who offers thanksgiving as his sacrifice glorifies me; to one who orders his way rightly I will show the salvation of God!"
- **Psalm 52:9** ⁹ I will thank you forever, because you have done it. I will wait for your name, for it is good, in the presence of the godly.
- **Psalm 54:6** With a freewill offering I will sacrifice to you; I will give thanks to your name, O LORD, for it is good.
- **Psalm 56:12-13** ¹² I must perform my vows to you, O God; I will render thank offerings to you. ¹³ For you have delivered my soul from death, yes, my feet from falling, that I may walk before God in the light of life.
- **Psalm 57:9** I will give thanks to you, O Lord, among the peoples; I will sing praises to you among the nations. ¹⁰ For your steadfast love is great to the heavens, your faithfulness to the clouds. ¹¹ Be exalted, O God, above the heavens! Let your glory be over all the earth!
- **Psalm 69:30** I will praise the name of God with a song; I will magnify him with thanksgiving.
- **Psalm 75:1** *To the choirmaster: according to Do Not Destroy. A Psalm of Asaph. A Song.* We give thanks to you, O God; we give thanks, for your name is near. We recount your wondrous deeds.
- **Psalm 79:13** But we your people, the sheep of your pasture, will give thanks to you forever; from generation to generation we will recount your praise.

- **Psalm 86:12** I give thanks to you, O Lord my God, with my <u>whole heart</u>, and I will glorify your name forever.
- **Psalm 92:1** *A Psalm. A Song for the Sabbath.* It is good to give thanks to the LORD, to sing praises to your name, O Most High; ² to declare your steadfast love in the morning, and your faithfulness by night, ³ to the music of the lute and the harp, to the melody of the lyre. ⁴ For you, O LORD, have made me glad by your work; at the works of your hands I sing for joy.
- **Psalm 95:2** Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!
- **Psalm 97:12** Rejoice in the LORD, O you righteous, and give thanks to his holy name!
- **Psalm 100:1** *A Psalm for giving thanks.* Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth! ² Serve the LORD with gladness! Come into his presence with singing! ³ Know that the LORD, he is God! It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture. ⁴ Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise! Give thanks to him; bless his name! ⁵ For the LORD is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.
- **Psalm 105:1** Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon his name; make known his deeds among the peoples!
- **Psalm 106:1** Praise the LORD! Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever!
- ⁴⁷ Save us, O LORD our God, and gather us from among the nations, that we may give thanks to your holy name and glory in your praise.
- **Psalm 107:1** Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever!
- **Psalm 107:8** Let them thank the LORD for his steadfast love, for his wondrous works to the children of man!
- ¹⁵ Let them thank the LORD for his steadfast love, for his wondrous works to the children of man!
- ²¹ Let them thank the LORD for his steadfast love, for his wondrous works to the children of man!
- ²² And let them offer sacrifices of thanksgiving, and tell of his deeds in songs of joy!
- ³¹ Let them thank the LORD for his steadfast love, for his wondrous works to the children of man!
- **Psalm 108:3** I will give thanks to you, O LORD, among the peoples; I will sing praises to you among the nations.
- **Psalm 109:30** With my mouth I will give great thanks to the LORD; I will praise him in the midst of the throng.
- **Psalm 111:1** Praise the LORD! I will give thanks to the LORD <u>with my whole</u> <u>heart</u>, in the company of the upright, in the congregation.
- **Psalm 116:17** I will offer to you the sacrifice of thanksgiving and call on the name of the LORD.

- **Psalm 118:1** Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever!
- ¹⁹ Open to me the gates of righteousness, that I may enter through them and give thanks to the LORD.
- ²¹ I thank you that you have answered me and have become my salvation.
- ²⁸ <u>You are my God</u>, and I will give thanks to you; you are my God; I will extol you.
- ²⁹ Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever!
- **Psalm 122:4** to which the tribes go up, the tribes of the LORD, as was decreed for Israel, to give thanks to the name of the LORD.
- **Psalm 136:1** Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever.
- ² Give thanks to the God of gods, for his steadfast love endures forever.
- ³ Give thanks to the Lord of lords, for his steadfast love endures forever;
- ²⁶ Give thanks to the God of heaven, for his steadfast love endures forever.
- **Psalm 138:1** *Of David.* I give you thanks, O LORD, with my whole heart; before the gods I sing your praise;
- ² I bow down toward your holy temple and give thanks to your name for your steadfast love and your faithfulness, for you have exalted above all things your name and your word.
- ⁴ All the kings of the earth shall give you thanks, O LORD, for they have heard the words of your mouth,
- **Psalm 140:13** Surely the righteous shall give thanks to your name; the upright shall dwell in your presence.
- **Psalm 142:7** Bring me out of prison, that I may give thanks to your name! The righteous will surround me, for you will deal bountifully with me.
- **Psalm 145:10** All your works shall give thanks to you, O LORD, and all your saints shall bless you!
- **Psalm 147:7** Sing to the LORD with thanksgiving; make melody to our God on the lyre!
- **Isaiah 12:1** ¶ You will say in that day: "I will give thanks to you, O LORD, for though you were angry with me, <u>your anger turned away, that you might comfort me.</u>
- ⁴ And you will say in that day: "Give thanks to the LORD, call upon his name, make known his deeds among the peoples, proclaim that his name is exalted.
- **Isaiah 51:3** For the LORD comforts Zion; he comforts all her waste places and makes her wilderness like Eden, her desert like the garden of the LORD; joy and gladness will be found in her, thanksgiving and the voice of song.
- Jeremiah 30:19 Out of them shall come songs of thanksgiving, and the voices of those who celebrate. I will multiply them, and they shall not be few; I will make them honored, and they shall not be small.

- Jeremiah 33:11 the voice of mirth and the voice of gladness, the voice of the bridegroom and the voice of the bride, the voices of those who sing, as they bring thank offerings to the house of the LORD: "Give thanks to the LORD of hosts, for the LORD is good, for his steadfast love endures forever!' For I will restore the fortunes of the land as at first, says the LORD.
- **Daniel 2:23** To you, O God of my fathers, I give thanks and praise, <u>for you have</u> given me wisdom and might, and have now made known to me what we asked of you, for you have made known to us the king's matter."
- **Daniel 6:10** ¶ When Daniel knew that the document had been signed, he went to his house where he had windows in his upper chamber open toward Jerusalem. He got down on his knees three times a day and prayed and gave thanks before his God, as he had done previously.
- Jonah 2:9 But I with the voice of thanksgiving will sacrifice to you; what I have vowed I will pay. Salvation belongs to the LORD!"
- **Matthew 11:25** ¶ At that time Jesus declared, "I thank you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, that you have hidden these things from the wise and understanding and revealed them to little children;
- Matthew 15:36 he took the seven loaves and the fish, and having given thanks he broke them and gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the crowds.
- Matthew 26:27 And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks he gave it to them, saying, "Drink of it, all of you,
- **Mark 8:6** And he directed the crowd to sit down on the ground. And he took the seven loaves, and having given thanks, he broke them and gave them to his disciples to set before the people; and they set them before the crowd.
- Mark 14:23 And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks he gave it to them, and they all drank of it.
- Luke 2:38 And coming up at that very hour she began to give thanks to God and to speak of him to all who were waiting for the redemption of Jerusalem.
- Luke 10:21 ¶ In that same hour he rejoiced in the Holy Spirit and said, "I thank you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, that you have hidden these things from the wise and understanding and revealed them to little children; yes, Father, for such was your gracious will.
- Luke 17:16 and he fell on his face at Jesus' feet, giving him thanks. Now he was a Samaritan.
- Luke 22:17 And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks he said, "Take this, and divide it among yourselves.
- ¹⁹ And he took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to them, saying, "This is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."
- John 6:11 Jesus then took the loaves, and when he had given thanks, he distributed them to those who were seated. So also the fish, as much as they wanted.
- ²³ Other boats from Tiberias came near the place where they had eaten the bread after the Lord had given thanks.

- John 11:41 So they took away the stone. And Jesus lifted up his eyes and said, "Father, I thank you that you have heard me.
- Acts 27:35 And when he had said these things, he took bread, and giving thanks to God in the presence of all he broke it and began to eat.
- **Romans 1:8** ¶ First, I thank my God through Jesus Christ for all of you, because your faith is proclaimed in all the world.
- **Romans 1:21** For although they knew God<u>, they did not honor him as God or</u> <u>give thanks to him</u>, but they became futile in their thinking, and their foolish hearts were darkened.
- **Romans 6:17** But thanks be to God, that you who were once slaves of sin have become obedient from the heart to the standard of teaching to which you were committed,
- **Romans 7:25** Thanks be to God through Jesus Christ our Lord! So then, I myself serve the law of God with my mind, but with my flesh I serve the law of sin.
- **Romans 14:6** The one who observes the day, observes it in honor of the Lord. The one who eats, eats in honor of the Lord, since he gives thanks to God, while the one who abstains, abstains in honor of the Lord and gives thanks to God.
- 1 Corinthians 1:4 ¶ I give thanks to my God always for you because of the grace of God that was given you in Christ Jesus,
- 1 Corinthians 1:14 I thank God that I baptized none of you except Crispus and Gaius,
- **1 Corinthians 10:30** If I partake with thankfulness, why am I denounced because of that for which I give thanks?
- **1 Corinthians 11:24** and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and said, "This is my body which is for you. Do this in remembrance of me."
- **1 Corinthians 14:16** Otherwise, if you give thanks with your spirit, how can anyone in the position of an outsider say "Amen" to your thanksgiving when he does not know what you are saying?
- ¹⁷ For you may be giving thanks well enough, but the other person is not being built up.
- 1 Corinthians 14:18 I thank God that I speak in tongues more than all of you.
- 1 Corinthians 15:57 But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.
- **2 Corinthians 1:11** You also must help us by prayer, so that many will give thanks on our behalf for the blessing granted us through the prayers of many.
- **2 Corinthians 2:14** ¶ But thanks be to God, who in Christ always leads us in triumphal procession, and through us spreads the fragrance of the knowledge of him everywhere.
- **2 Corinthians 4:15** For it is all for your sake, so that as grace extends to more and more people it may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God.

- 2 Corinthians 8:16 ¶ But thanks be to God, who put into the heart of Titus the same earnest care I have for you.
- **2 Corinthians 9:11** You will be enriched in every way to be generous in every way, which through us will produce thanksgiving to God.
- ¹² For the ministry of this service is not only supplying the needs of the saints but is also overflowing in many thanksgivings to God.
- ¹⁵ Thanks be to God for his inexpressible gift!
- **Ephesians 1:16** I do not cease to give thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers,
- **Ephesians 5:4** Let there be no filthiness nor foolish talk nor crude joking, which are out of place, but instead let there be thanksgiving.
- ²⁰ giving thanks <u>always and for everything</u> to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ,
- Philippians 1:3 ¶ I thank my God in all my remembrance of you,
- **Philippians 4:6** do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God.
- ${\rm Colossians} \ 1:3 \ \P$ We always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, when we pray for you,
- **Colossians 1:12** giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of the saints in light.
- **Colossians 2:7** rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving.
- **Colossians 3:17** And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.
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- **1 Thessalonians 1:2** ¶ We give thanks to God always for all of you, constantly mentioning you in our prayers,
- 1 Thessalonians 2:13 ¶ And we also thank God constantly for this, that when you received the word of God, which you heard from us, you accepted it not

as the word of men but as what it really is, the word of God, which is at work in you believers.

- **1 Thessalonians 3:9** For what thanksgiving can we return to God for you, for all the joy that we feel for your sake before our God,
- 1 Thessalonians 5:18 give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.
- **2 Thessalonians 1:3** ¶ We ought always to give thanks to God for you, brothers, as is right, because your faith is growing abundantly, and the love of every one of you for one another is increasing.
- **2 Thessalonians 2:13** ¶ But we ought always to give thanks to God for you, brothers beloved by the Lord, <u>because God chose you</u> as the firstfruits to be saved, through sanctification by the Spirit and belief in the truth.
- **1 Timothy 1:12** ¶ I thank him who has given me strength, Christ Jesus our Lord, because he judged me faithful, appointing me to his service,
- **1 Timothy 2:1** ¶ First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people,
- **1 Timothy 4:3** who forbid marriage and require abstinence from foods that God created to be received with thanksgiving by those who believe and know the truth.
- ⁴ For everything created by God is good, and nothing is to be rejected if it is received with thanksgiving,
- **2 Timothy 1:3** ¶ I thank God whom I serve, as did my ancestors, with a clear conscience, as I remember you constantly in my prayers night and day.
- Philemon 1:4 I thank my God always when I remember you in my prayers,
- **Revelation 4:9** And whenever the living creatures give glory and honor and thanks to him who is seated on the throne, who lives forever and ever,
- **Revelation 7:12** saying, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."
- **Revelation 11:17** saying, "We give thanks to you, Lord God Almighty, who is and who was, for you have taken your great power and begun to reign.