

GIVING GRATITUDE THIS THANKSGIVING 2024

We give gratitude this Thanksgiving season — gratitude for all that God our Heavenly Father has done for us. For his love, mercy and grace. For his patience, faithfulness, provision and protection.

We give gratitude for all that He is doing to answer our prayers and petitions; bring fruitfulness to our repentance, sacrifices and sufferings; and restore America.

THANKSGIVING PRAYERS 2024

Peace & Gratitude Go Hand in Hand

- ◆ Dear Heavenly Father, throughout Your Word You show us that peace and gratitude go hand in hand. When I am giving thanks, expressing gratitude for all that I have to be thankful for, I feel a deepening peace within me. Your *“peace that passes understanding,”* the Shalom that is your wholeness within me.
- ◆ So I take hold of Colossians 3:15 and *let the peace of Christ rule in my heart, since as members of one body of Christ I am called to peace. And am thankful.*
- ◆ Philippians 4:6-7 provides me a guide for marrying peace with gratitude: *“Have no anxiety at all, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, make your requests known to God. Then the peace of God that surpasses all understanding will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.”* So I cast all of my worries, anxiety and fears at the feet of Jesus Christ. I reject the lies of negative thoughts. I empty so that You beloved Jesus Yeshua, will fill me with your love and peace.
- ◆ I am thankful Lord God, that I am part of a body of Christ whose flesh is love, whose blood is faith. I am thankful that I am not alone in this world, that You made me and destined me to be a part of a family of love. Reminding myself of this, brings peace to the core of my being.

I Give Thanks!

- ◆ Father God, from Psalm 118:28-29 I say: *“You are my God, and I will give thanks to you; you are my God; I will extol you. This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.”* Lord God, You have given us a new day, new hope and a

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new chance to restore America to her promise in You. What mercy, grace and love!
Thank you Heavenly Father! Thank you! Thank you! Thank you!

- ◆ Lord God, I proclaim from Lamentations 3:24-26 that *YOU are my portion and my inheritance, says my soul; therefore I have hope in You and wait expectantly for You. You Lord God are good to those who wait confidently for You, to those who seek You. It is good that one waits quietly for the salvation of the Lord.*
- ◆ Lord God, from Psalm 136:55-59, *“I called on Your name, O Lord, out of the lowest pit. You have heard my voice, do not hide Your ear from my prayer for relief, from my cry for help. You drew near on the day I called to You; You said, ‘Do not fear.’ O Lord, You have pleaded my soul’s cause [You have guided my way and protected me]; You have rescued and redeemed my life. O Lord, You have seen the wrong done to me; judge my case.”* [AMP]. Thank you Heavenly Father, for redeeming my life, making straight all of my crooked paths, healing my heart, sanctifying my soul.
- ◆ I proclaim Psalm 7:17, that *“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.”*
- ◆ For truly according to Psalm 28:7, *You Lord are my strength and my shield; in You my heart trusts, and I am helped; my heart exults, and with my song I give thanks to You!*

We Praise You Lord God!

- ◆ *I praise You Lord, for You are good; for Your mercy endures forever; I praise the God of gods; for Your mercy endures forever; I praise the Lord of lords; for Your mercy endures forever. Halleluia! Psalm 136:1-3*
- ◆ Lord God, it is true in Psalm 136:23-26, that *You remembered me in my low estate, for Your mercy endures forever; You freed me from my foes, for Your mercy endures forever; and gives bread to all flesh, for Your mercy endures forever. Praise the God of heaven, for Your mercy endures forever. And what a generous and profound mercy! Thank you Heavenly Father! Thank you Lord Jesus Christ, Mercy Incarnate!*
- ◆ Heavenly Father, we lift up our voices and hearts in unison to proclaim 2 Corinthians 2:14, *“But thanks be to God, who always leads us in triumph in Christ, and through us spreads and makes evident everywhere the sweet fragrance of the knowledge of Him. For we are the sweet fragrance of Christ which ascends to God.”* Yes Lord God, our love for You and Christ Jesus IS the sweet fragrance ascending to You!

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We Give Thanks Together!

- ◆ Heavenly Father, we embrace Ephesians 5:19 and *“Speak to one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, offering praise by singing and making melody with your heart to the Lord; always giving thanks to God the Father for all things, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.”* (AMP)
- ◆ Have our love and enjoy Heavenly Father! We pour out our love to You Lord Jesus Christ Yeshua Hamasheach! We love Thee! We love Thee!

Grateful for Your Kingdom

- ◆ Dear Lord God, we are ever so grateful for the gift of YOUR Kingdom; for the hope and vision of it gives us the strength, courage and inspiration to persevere in this world. Yes, we proclaim Hebrews 12:28-29, *“Therefore, since we receive a kingdom which cannot be shaken, let us show gratitude, and offer to God pleasing service and acceptable worship with reverence and awe; for our God is indeed a consuming fire.”* (AMP)
- ◆ We know Lord God according to Hebrews 13:14-15, that *“we have no lasting city, but we are seeking the city which is to come. Through Him, therefore, let us at all times offer up to God a sacrifice of praise, which is the fruit of lips that thankfully acknowledge and confess and glorify His name.”*

I Give Thanks in ALL Things

- ◆ Holy Father, I commit to You 1 Thessalonians 5:18, that *in every situation, no matter what the circumstances, I shall be thankful and continually give thanks to You God; for this is the will of God for me in Christ Jesus.* (AMP)
- ◆ Lord God I ask of You from 1 Thessalonians 5:23, *Now may the God of peace Himself sanctify me through and through [that is, separate me from profane and vulgar things, make me pure and whole and undamaged—consecrated to You—set apart for Your purpose]; and may my spirit and soul and body be kept complete and be found blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.* (AMP)
- ◆ I take hold of the promises of 1 Thessalonians 5:24, that *faithful and absolutely trustworthy is He who is calling me to Himself for my salvation, and He will do it, He will fulfill His call by making me holy, guarding me, watching over me, and protecting me as His own.”* (AMP). Thank you Heavenly Father! Thank you Lord Jesus Christ!

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- ◆ Truly I shall *give thanks always and for everything to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ*, according to Ephesians 5:20.

Thank You for Eternal Life!

- ◆ Holy Father, thank you for the gift of your son Jesus Christ. Thank you for the most precious gift, eternal life with You and Christ Jesus. I rejoice in 1 John 5:11, *“God gave us eternal life, and this life is in his Son.”*
- ◆ Heavenly Father, I submit my will to your Will. I give over my insinuations, desires and goals, that You will fill me with Your desires for me and through me, so that I shall enter your heavenly abode, according to Matthew 7:21-23.
- ◆ 2 Corinthians 4:17 reminds me that hardships and challenges are all fleeting, and are part of preparing me for eternal life with You Lord God and precious Jesus Christ; *“For this light momentary affliction is preparing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison.”* How utterly generous of You Father God!
- ◆ Lord God, I take comfort from John 10:27-28, where Jesus tells me: *“My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them out of my hand.”*
- ◆ Truly Father God, Your Word in John 3:15 brings me comfort and hope: *“For God so loved the world, that He gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.”* For this most precious and profound gift, I give thanks and gratitude from the depths of my heart and soul! Halleluia!

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Sealing Prayer:

A psalm of thanksgiving.

“Shout joyfully to the Lord, all you lands;

serve the Lord with gladness;

come before him with joyful song.

Know that the Lord is God,

he made us, we belong to him,

we are his people, the flock he shepherds.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving,

his courts with praise.

Give thanks to him, bless his name;

good indeed is the Lord,

His mercy endures forever,

his faithfulness lasts through every generation.”

Psalm 100:1-5