

# Thanking God Even Though

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## 1 Thessalonians 5:18

### WE MUST GIVE THANKS TO GOD IN EVERY CIRCUMSTANCE BECAUSE...

01: God is \_\_\_\_\_ than your problem.

02: God will \_\_\_\_\_ the power to \_\_\_\_\_ problem.

03: God will \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ through the problem.

Don't focus in on what you've \_\_\_\_\_

~ But focus in on what you \_\_\_\_\_.

➤ Ephesians 5:15-16

### WHAT ARE YOU TAKING FOR GRANTED?

01: Your \_\_\_\_\_.

02: Your \_\_\_\_\_.

03: Your \_\_\_\_\_.

### 1 THESSALONIANS 5:18

((CONTEMPORARY ENGLISH VERSION))

18 Whatever happens, keep thanking God because of Jesus Christ. This is what God wants you to do.

### EPHESIANS 5:15-16 ((CONTEMPORARY ENGLISH VERSION))

15 Act like people with good sense and not like fools.

16 These are evil times, so make every minute count.

((E X T R A N O T E S))

## COUNTING MY BLESSINGS

01: \_\_\_\_\_

02: \_\_\_\_\_

03: \_\_\_\_\_

## 'MY BLESSINGS'

01:

02:

03:

Love isn't the healthiest emotion

~ It's \_\_\_\_\_.

\*\*Note: You can look up the verses in the translation at [biblegateway.com](http://biblegateway.com)\*\*  
(EXTRA NOTES)

## PSALM 37:32-40 \* PROPHETIC WORD

**32** The wicked try to trap and kill good people,  
**33** but the Lord is on their side, and He will defend (**vindicate**) them when they are on trial. **34** Trust me Lord (**with hope and confidence**) and follow Him. He will give you the land (**God will honor your faithfulness by blessing you**), and you will see the wicked destroyed. **35** I have seen the wicked person acting like a tyrant (**oppressor, brutal abuser**), towering over everyone like a cedar tree. **36** But suddenly they disappear! I looked, but they were gone and no longer there. **37** Notice the innocent person, and look at the decent person (**one who pleases God**), because the peacemaker (**one who looks out for everyone's welfare**) has a bright future, **38** but sinners (**rebels, those who quarrel and fight for rights**) will be completely destroyed (**plucked down, brought to naught**) and are wiped out. **39** The Lord protects His people, and they can come to Him in times of trouble (**distress, affliction, emotional anguish, adversity**). **40** The Lord helps (**rescues**) and saves (**provides a way of escape, delivers**) you from the wicked because you run to Him (**confide in Him, trust God**).