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WEEKLY MINISTRY MEDITATIONS

Pronounced "Soul"

An Attitude Of Gratitude

LUKE 17 :11-19 NLT – (11) As Jesus continued on toward Jerusalem, he reached the border between Galilee and Samaria. (12) As he entered a village there, ten lepers stood at a distance, (13) crying out, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" (14) He looked at them and said, "Go show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were cleansed of their leprosy. (15) One of them, when he saw that he was healed, came back to Jesus, shouting, "Praise God!" (16) He fell to the ground at Jesus' feet, **thanking him** for what he had done. This man was a Samaritan. (17) Jesus asked, "Didn't I heal ten men? Where are the other nine? (18) Has no one returned to give glory to God except this foreigner?" (19) And Jesus said to the man, "Stand up and go. Your faith has healed you."

How much has He done for us? How much will He do for us? Let us not be like those who reap the blessings and run! It is He who made the impossible, possible. It is He who heals. It is He who has mercy on us though we know we are so non-deserving! It is He who provides. It is He who gives Peace of mind. It is He who loves. It is He.

Magnify His Holy name! Edify Him! Give Him the reverence He truly deserves! When you are not thinking about Him, He is thinking about you! Don't wait for a holiday to give Him praise, but do it right now where you are at and when it is all over, show Him "**An Attitude Of Gratitude**" by simply saying "**Thank You Lord!**"

A sense of our spiritual leprosy should make us very humble whenever we draw near to Christ. It is enough to refer ourselves to the compassions of Christ, for they fail not. We may look for God to meet us with mercy, when we are found in the way of obedience. Only one of those who were healed returned to give thanks. It becomes us, like him, to be very humble in thanksgivings, as well as in prayers. Christ noticed the one who thus distinguished himself, he was a Samaritan. The others only got the outward cure, he alone got the spiritual blessing.

Not just this Thanksgiving holiday season, but everyday, show Him your "Attitude of Gratitude." **Begin** your day thanking Him, **End** your day thanking Him. **During** the day, let Him know why you thank Him!

He is worthy. AMEN.

SCRIPTURE

REVELATION 7:11-12

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

It's never right to do something wrong and it's never wrong to do something right.

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