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Mind-Set: Thankful Thinking – Part II

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Colossians 3:2-4 (Amplified Bible, AMP)

2 Set your mind *and* keep focused *habitually* on the things above [the heavenly things], not on things that are on the earth [which have only temporal value]. 3 For you died [to this world], and your [new, real] life is hidden with Christ in God. 4 When Christ, who is our life, appears, then you also will appear with Him in glory.

Thankful Thinking

1 Thessalonians 5:18 (AMP)

in every situation [no matter what the circumstances] be thankful *and* continually give thanks to God; for this is the will of God for you in Christ Jesus.

Luke 17:11-19 (King James Version, KJV)

11 And it came to pass, as he went to Jerusalem, that he passed through the midst of Samaria and Galilee. 12 And as he entered into a certain village, there met him ten men that were lepers, which stood afar off: 13 And they lifted up their voices, and said, Jesus, Master, have mercy on us. 14 And when he saw them, he said unto them, Go shew yourselves unto the priests. And it came to pass, that, as they went, they were cleansed. 15 **And one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, and with a loud voice glorified God,** 16 **And fell down on his face at his feet, giving him thanks:** and he was a Samaritan. 17 And Jesus answering said, Were there not ten cleansed? but where are the nine? 18 There are not found that returned to give glory to God, save this stranger. 19 And he said unto him, Arise, go thy way: **thy faith hath made thee whole.**

John 6:1-13 (New Living Translation, NLT)

1 After this, Jesus crossed over to the far side of the Sea of Galilee, also known as the Sea of Tiberias. 2 A huge crowd kept following him wherever he went, because they saw his miraculous signs as he healed the sick. 3 Then Jesus climbed a hill and sat down with his disciples around him. 4 (It was nearly time for the Jewish Passover celebration.) 5 Jesus soon saw a huge crowd of

people coming to look for him. Turning to Philip, he asked, “Where can we buy bread to feed all these people?” 6 He was testing Philip, for he already knew what he was going to do. 7 Philip replied, “Even if we worked for months, we wouldn’t have enough money to feed them!” 8 Then Andrew, Simon Peter’s brother, spoke up. 9 “There’s a young boy here with five barley loaves and two fish. But what good is that with this huge crowd?” 10 “Tell everyone to sit down,” Jesus said. So they all sat down on the grassy slopes. (The men alone numbered about 5,000.) 11 Then Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks to God, and distributed them to the people. Afterward he did the same with the fish. And they all ate as much as they wanted. 12 After everyone was full, Jesus told his disciples, “Now gather the leftovers, so that nothing is wasted.” 13 So they picked up the pieces and filled twelve baskets with scraps left by the people who had eaten from the five barley loaves.

- **Thankful Thinking positions you to be decisive vs. 5&6**
- **Thankful Thinking helps you stay positive even when the problem seems bigger than your resources. vs. 7**
- **Thankful Thinking keeps you open to all ideas. vs. 8&9**
- **Thankful Thinking helps you to make steps moving toward an answer. vs. 10&11**
- **Thankful Thinking builds your faith. vs. 11**
- **Thankful Thinking is not wasteful. vs. 12**
- **Thankful Thinking will eventually result in miracles and overflow.**