

## MY NEXT STEP TODAY IS:

- I will memorize **1 Thessalonians 5:18 (NIV)**
- I will join the New Life church family
- I will accept Christ for the first time today
- I will sign up for the next baptism
- **Spring (New Beginnings):** Thank God for growth and new opportunities
- **Summer (Fruitfulness):** Thank God for success and joy
- **Fall (Change):** Thank God for pruning and preparation
- **Winter (Waiting):** Thank God for His presence and promises

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### MEMORY VERSE:

*Give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's  
will for you in Christ Jesus.*

**1 Thessalonians 5:18 (NIV)**

**Note:** Gratitude is not based on your situation—it's rooted  
in God's unchanging character.

### 1. RECOGNIZE GOD'S GOODNESS IN SEASONS OF

\_\_\_\_\_.

*"The Lord has done great things for us, and we are filled with  
joy." Psalm 126:3 (NIV)*

**A.** \_\_\_\_\_ **where every blessing  
comes from.**

- Gratitude keeps you humble and dependent on God.

*"When you have eaten and are satisfied, praise the Lord your  
God for the good land he has given you. Be careful that you  
do not forget the Lord your God, failing to observe his  
commands, his laws and his decrees that I am giving you this  
day." Deuteronomy 8:10-11 (NIV)*

GRATITUDE IN ALL SEASONS

*"Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of the heavenly lights, who does not change like shifting shadows."* **James 1:17 (NIV)**

**B. \_\_\_\_\_ IN THE GIVER, NOT JUST THE GIFT.**

- Blessings should point you to the Source, not the supply.

*"Praise the Lord, my soul, and forget not all his benefits."*

**Psalms 103:2 (NIV)**

*"Wealth and honor come from you; you are the ruler of all things. In your hands are strength and power to exalt and give strength to all. Now, our God, we give you thanks, and praise your glorious name."*

**1 Chronicles 29:12–13 (NIV)**

**2. \_\_\_\_\_ THANKFUL IN SEASONS OF BROKENNESS.**

*"Though the fig tree does not bud and there are no grapes on the vines, though the olive crop fails and the fields produce no food, though there are no sheep in the pen and no cattle in the stalls, yet I will rejoice in the LORD, I will be joyful in God my Savior."*

**Habakkuk 3:17–18 (NIV)**

**A. Focus on God's presence, not your \_\_\_\_\_.**

*"The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit."* **Psalms 34:18 (NIV)**

**B. Trust that \_\_\_\_\_ has a purpose.**

*"Consider it pure joy, my brothers and sisters, whenever you face trials of many kinds, because you know that the testing of your faith produces perseverance. Let perseverance finish its work so that you may be mature and complete, not lacking anything."*

**James 1:2–4 (NIV)**

**3. \_\_\_\_\_ IN GOD'S GRACE IN SEASONS OF BECOMING.**

*"And the God of all grace, who called you to his eternal glory in Christ, after you have suffered a little while, will himself restore you and make you strong, firm and steadfast."* **1 Peter 5:10 (NIV)**

*"But he knows the way that I take; when he has tested me, I will come forth as gold."* **Job 23:10 (NIV)**

**A. Be \_\_\_\_\_ in transition.**

- The in-between time is God's classroom for character.

*"Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up."* **Galatians 6:9 (NIV)**

**B. Trust that God is still in \_\_\_\_\_.**

- Seasons change, but God remains constant.
  - **Hebrews 13:8** — *"Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever."*
  - **Malachi 3:6** — *"I the Lord do not change."*

**C. Worship while you \_\_\_\_\_.**

*"But those who wait on the Lord shall renew their strength; They shall mount up with wings like eagles, They shall run and not be weary, They shall walk and not faint."* **Isaiah 40:31 (NKJV)**

**"DON'T JUST GO THROUGH THE SEASON— \_\_\_\_\_  
THROUGH THE SEASON WITH GRATITUDE."**