

GIVE
THANKS

PART 2
Psalms 103: 1-22

I. Four ways to give thanks.

- A. In our **songs** (Ps. 66:1).
- B. In our **speech** (Ps. 19:1; Ps. 40:9-10).
- C. In our **feasting** (cf. Ex. 12:17).
- D. In our **stewardship** (Lk. 6:38).

II. What does our thanksgiving accomplish?

- A. Thanksgiving gives God the **credit** for what He has done (Deut. 8:11-14).
- B. Thanksgiving **encourages** the team (Heb. 10:25).
- C. Thanksgiving **overcomes** the Enemy (II Cor. 10:4; II Cor. 2:11; Rev. 12:11).
- D. Thanksgiving is an antidote to the **ingratitude** that **prosperity** may bring (Deut. 8:10-12).

At Home This Week

1. If you haven't done so already, take time to make out a list of all the things you thank God for...worship Him as you bring this list before Him.
2. Ask God for opportunities to share how God has blessed you both with those you know and those you don't know.
3. Talk about the effect praise/worship has the Enemy. Conversely, what effect does complaining and ingratitude have in the area of spiritual warfare?



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