

“The Power of Thankfulness”

Psalm 100



**THE POWER OF
THANKFULNESS**

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Shout with joy to the LORD, all the earth!

Worship the LORD with gladness.

Come before him, singing with joy.

Acknowledge that the LORD is God!

He made us, and we are his.

We are his people, the sheep of his pasture.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving;

go into his courts with praise.

Give thanks to him and praise his name.

For the LORD is good.

His unfailing love continues forever,

and his faithfulness continues

to each generation.

A powerful Psalm on thankfulness!

HOW?

- 1. Shout with Joy.**
- 2. With Gladness.**
- 3. With Singing.**
- 4. With Praise.**
- 5. Acknowledge he is God**

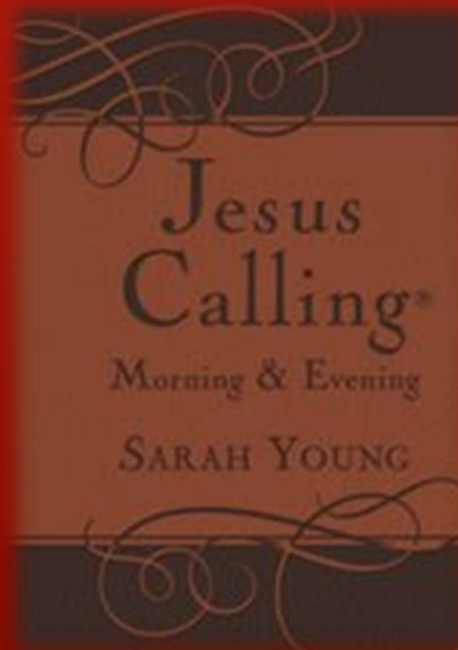
WHY?

- 1. He made us.**
- 2. We are His people.**
- 3. He is good.**
- 4. His unfailing love.**
- 5. His faithfulness.**

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"Jesus Calling"

***"the devotions
are meant to be
read slowly,
preferably in a
quiet place with
your Bible
open."***



“When many things seem to be going wrong trust Me. When your life feels increasingly out of control, thank Me. These are supernatural responses, and they can lift you above your circumstances. If you do what comes naturally in the face of difficulties, you may fall prey to negativism. Even a few complaints can set you on a path that is a downward spiral, by darkening your perspective and mind-set. With this attitude controlling you, complaints flow more and more readily from your mouth. Each one moves you steadily down the slippery spiral...

...The lower you go, the faster you slide, but it is still possible to apply brakes. Cry out to Me in My Name! Affirm your trust in Me, regardless of how you feel. Thank Me for everything, though this seems unnatural – even irrational. Gradually you will begin to ascend, recovering your lost ground.

When you are back on ground level, you can face your circumstance from a humble perspective. If you choose supernatural responses this time – trusting and thanking Me – you will experience My unfathomable Peace.”

Because of Jesus Christ...

Colossians 3:15-17 Let the peace of Christ keep you in tune with each other, in step with each other. None of this going off and doing your own thing. And cultivate thankfulness. Let the Word of Christ—the Message—have the run of the house. Give it plenty of room in your lives. Instruct and direct one another using good common sense. And sing, sing your hearts out to God! Let every detail in your lives—words, actions, whatever—be done in the name of the Master, Jesus, thanking God the Father every step of the way.

***5 specific things
that we are
thankful for, that
perhaps we often
take for granted...***