

The Two Words In ThanksGiving

Thanksgiving Service 2015

1 Chronicles 29:10-22

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10 David praised the LORD in the presence of the whole assembly, saying, “Praise be to you, O LORD, God of our father Israel, from everlasting to everlasting. 11 Yours, O LORD, is the greatness and the power and the glory and the majesty and the splendor, for everything in heaven and earth is yours. Yours, O LORD, is the kingdom; you are exalted as head over all. 12 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.

13 Now, our God, we give you thanks, and praise your glorious name. **14** “But who am I, and who are my people, that we should be able to give as generously as this? Everything comes from you, and we have given you only what comes from your hand. **15** We are aliens and strangers in your sight, as were all our forefathers. Our days on earth are like a shadow, without hope. **16** O LORD our God, as for all this abundance that we have provided for building you a temple for your Holy Name, it comes from your hand, and all of it belongs to you.

17 I know, my God, that you test the heart and are pleased with integrity. All these things have I given willingly and with honest intent. And now I have seen with joy how willingly your people who are here have given to you. **18 O LORD, God of our fathers Abraham, Isaac and Israel, keep this desire in the hearts of your people forever, and keep their hearts loyal to you.**

19 And give my son Solomon the wholehearted devotion to keep your commands, requirements and decrees and to do everything to build the palatial structure for which I have provided.” **20** Then David said to the whole assembly, “Praise the LORD your God.” So they all praised the LORD, the God of their fathers; they bowed low and fell prostrate before the LORD and the king.

21 The next day they made sacrifices to the LORD and presented burnt offerings to him: a thousand bulls, a thousand rams and a thousand male lambs, together with their drink offerings, and other sacrifices in abundance for all Israel. **22** They ate and drank with great joy in the presence of the LORD that day. . . . -- (NIV)



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1. Let's Explore The Word

“Thanks.”

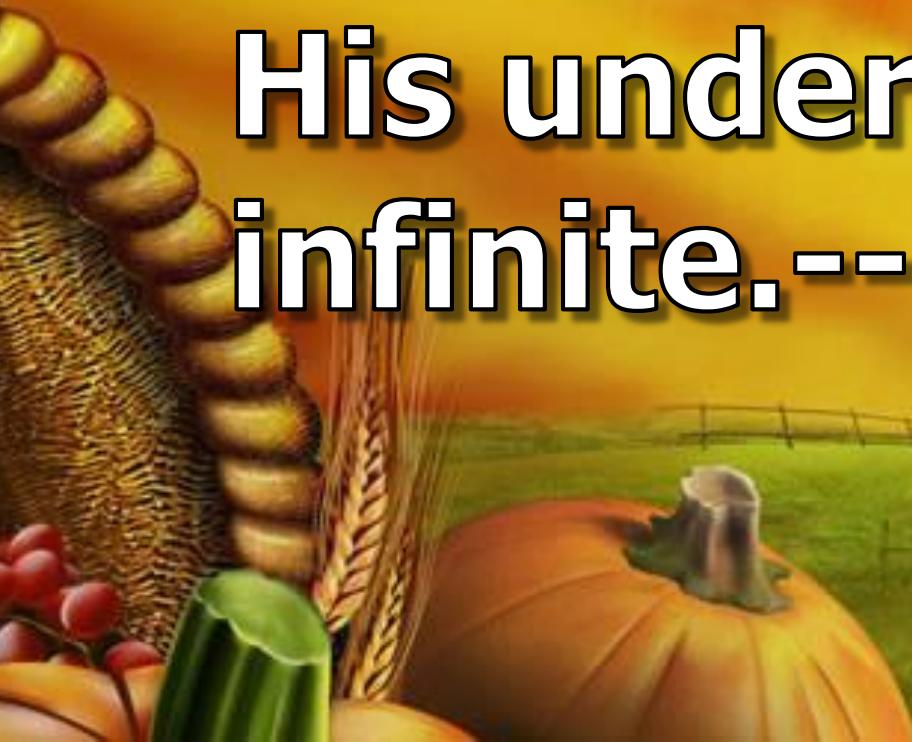
1 Chronicles 29:10 Therefore David blessed the LORD in the presence of all the assembly. And David said: “Blessed are you, O LORD, the God of Israel our father, forever and ever.-- (ESV)

A. We Offer Thanks For His Attributes.

1 Chronicles 29:11 Yours, O LORD, is the greatness and the power and the glory and the majesty and the splendor, for everything in heaven and earth is yours. Yours, O LORD, is the kingdom; you are exalted as head over all.-- (NIV)

Psalm 147:5

**Great is our Lord and
abundant in strength;
His understanding is
infinite.-- (NASB)**



Isaiah 40:22

**God sits above the circle of
the earth. The people below
seem like grasshoppers to
him! He spreads out the
heavens like a curtain and
makes his tent from them.--
(NLT)**

Psalm 33:10-11

**10 The LORD bringeth the
counsel of the heathen to
nought: He maketh the
devices of the people of none
effect. 11 The counsel of the
LORD standeth for ever, The
thoughts of his heart to all
generations.-- (KJV)**

Psalm 10:16

The LORD is king for ever and ever. Those who worship other gods will vanish from his land.-- (GNB)

B. We Offer Thanks For The Fatherhood of God.

1 Chronicles 29:10 Therefore David blessed the LORD in the presence of all the assembly. And David said: "Blessed are you, O LORD, the God of Israel our father, forever and ever.-- (ESV)

Isaiah 64:8

**Yet, O LORD, you are
our Father. We are the
clay, you are the
potter; we are all the
work of your hand.--
(NIV)**

Deuteronomy 14:2

**for you are a people holy to
the LORD your God. Out of all
the peoples on the face of the
earth, the LORD has chosen
you to be his treasured
possession.-- (NIV)**

Galatians 4:6-7

⁶ Because you are sons, God sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, the Spirit who calls out, “Abba, Father.” ⁷ So you are no longer a slave, but a son; and since you are a son, God has made you also an heir.-- (NIV)

C. We Offer Thanks For His Blessings.

**1 Chronicles 29:12 Wealth and honor come from you alone, for you rule over everything. Power and might are in your hand, and at your discretion people are made great and given strength.--
(NLT)**

Psalm 24:1

**The earth is the LORD's,
and everything in it. The
world and all its people
belong to him.-- (NLT)**

2. Let's Explore The Word " _____ Giving _____. "

1 Chronicles 29:14–15 ¹⁴ “But who am I, and who are my people, that we should be able to give as generously as this? Everything comes from you, and we have given you only what comes from your hand. ¹⁵ We are aliens and strangers in your sight, as were all our forefathers. Our days on earth are like a shadow, without hope.— (NIV)

B. We Should Give To God Willingly.

1 Chronicles 29:17 I know, my God,
that you test the heart and are
pleased with integrity. All these
things have I given willingly and
with honest intent. And now I have
seen with joy how willingly your
people who are here have given to
you.-- (NIV)

A. We Should Give To God Humbly.

1 Chronicles 29:14 But who am I, and who are my people, that we could give anything to you? Everything we have has come from you, and we give you only what you first gave us!-- (NLT)

C. We Should Give To God Sacrificially.

1 Chronicles 29:3 "And now, because of my devotion to the Temple of my God, I am giving all of my own private treasures of gold and silver to help in the construction. This is in addition to the building materials I have already collected for his holy Temple.--- (NLT)

2 Corinthians 8:5

**They even did more
than we had hoped,
for their first action
was to give
themselves to the
Lord and to us, just
as God wanted
them to do.-- (NLT)**





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