



## **PART EIGHT**

### **Growing in Christ Through the Art of Thanksgiving**

#### **Introduction/Review**

1. The Four Soils | Luke 8
  - A. The wayside soil
  - B. The rocky soil
  - C. The thorny soil
  - D. The good soil
2. Thankfulness is essential to growing in Christ.
3. Psalms 100:1-5

#### **I. Thankfulness Starts with Words | Vs. 1**

- A. Are you using words to thank God often?

#### **II. Thankfulness Calls to Action | Vs. 2-3**

- A. The best way to show thankfulness is to use what you have been given.
- B. Hebrew for thankfulness is ("Todah") to admit.
- C. Are you using your blessings to bless others?
- D. Living out thankfulness leads to true worship.

#### **III. Thankfulness Results in Worship | Vs. 4-5**

- A. Living out thankfulness leads to true worship.
- B. Romans 12:1

#### **Conclusion**

**We will grow deeper in Christ and keep the soil of our hearts useful as we are verbally thankful and actively thankful, which leads to true worship.**