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**Matthew 5:1-3 (NKJV)** 1 And seeing the multitudes, He went up on a mountain, and when He was seated His disciples came to Him. 2 Then He opened His mouth and taught them, saying: 3 "Blessed *are* the poor in spirit, For theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

**1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 (NKJV)** 16 Rejoice always, 17 pray without ceasing, 18 in everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you

**1 Thessalonians 5:18 (TLB)** No matter what happens, always be thankful, for this is God’s will for you who belong to Christ Jesus.

**Psalm 77:3 (NKJV)** I remembered God, and was troubled; I complained, and my spirit was overwhelmed. Selah

**Philippians 2:14-15 (NIV)** 14 Do everything without complaining or arguing, 15 so that you may become blameless and pure, children of God without fault in a crooked and depraved generation, in which you shine like stars in the universe.

**John 8:12 (NIV)** When Jesus spoke again to the people, he said, "**I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life**."

**Psalm 100:1-5 (NKJV)** 1 A Psalm of Thanksgiving. Make a joyful shout to the LORD, all you lands! 2 Serve the LORD with gladness; Come before His presence with singing. 3 Know that the LORD, He *is* God; *It is* He *who* has made us, and not we ourselves; *We are* His people and the sheep of His pasture. 4 Enter into His gates with thanksgiving, *And* into His courts with praise. Be thankful to Him, *and* bless His name. 5 For the LORD *is* good; His mercy *is* everlasting, And His truth *endures* to all generations.

**1 Timothy 6:17 (NIV)** Command those who are rich in this present world not to be arrogant nor to put their hope in wealth, which is so uncertain, but to put their hope in God, who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment.

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**2 Timothy 3:1-5 (NIV)** 1 But mark this: There will be terrible times in the last days. 2 People will be lovers of themselves, lovers of money, boastful, proud, abusive, disobedient to their parents, ungrateful, unholy, 3 without love, unforgiving, slanderous, without self-control, brutal, not lovers of the good, 4 treacherous, rash, conceited, lovers of pleasure **rather** than lovers of God-- 5 having a form of godliness but denying its power. Have nothing to do with them.

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

**1 Thessalonians 5:18 (NKJV)** in everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

**1 Thessalonians 5:18 (NIV)** give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.