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Ephesians 5:20 NIV

always giving thanks to
God the Father for
everything, in the name of
our Lord Jesus Christ.



1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 NIV

16 Rejoice always, 17 pray continually, 18 give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.



Colossians 3:15 NIV

Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace. And be thankful.



I. Live For The Lord

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I. Live For The Lord

Romans 14:8 NIV

If we live, we live for the Lord;
and if we die, we die for the
Lord. So, whether we live or
die, we belong to the Lord.



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Romans 12:2 NIV

Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will.



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Psalm 90:12 NIV

Teach us to number our days,
that we may gain a heart of wisdom.



II. Be Filled With The Spirit



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II. Be Filled With The Spirit

Romans 8:9 NIV



You, however, are not in the realm of the flesh but are in the realm of the Spirit, if indeed the Spirit of God lives in you. And if anyone does not have the Spirit of Christ, they do not belong to Christ.



II. Be Filled With The Spirit Acts 2:4 NIV



All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.



II. Be Filled With The Spirit Acts 4:31 NIV



After they prayed, the place where they were meeting was shaken. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and spoke the word of God boldly.



III. Always Be Grateful

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Ephesians 1:15-16 NIV

15 For this reason, ever since I heard about your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love for all God's people, 16 I have not stopped giving thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers.



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Philippians 1:3-5 NIV

3 I thank my God every time I remember you. 4 In all my prayers for all of you, I always pray with joy 5 because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now,



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Colossians 3:17 NIV



And whatever you do, whether
in word or deed, do it all in the
name of the Lord Jesus, giving
thanks to God the Father
through him.



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Philippians 2:14-16 NIV

14 Do everything without grumbling or arguing,
15 so that you may become blameless and pure,
“children of God without fault in a warped and
crooked generation.” Then you will shine among
them like stars in the sky 16 as you hold firmly to
the word of life. And then I will be able to boast
on the day of Christ that I did not run or labor in
vain.