

[UN]Thankful  
**The Grown-Ups Table**  
*Deuteronomy 8:7-10; Psalm 23:4;*  
*Exodus 15:22-25*



MEMBER'S GUIDE

**GETTING STARTED**

How was your Thanksgiving celebration? Does anyone have a funny story? How did you thank Jesus on that day?

How has being in a LifeGroup this semester affected your life and your walk with God?

**VIDEO NOTES**

**APPLICATION QUESTIONS**

[Read 1 Thessalonians 5:18](#)

1) Why do we often only give thanks to God for the good circumstances in our lives? When should we thank Him?

[Read Deuteronomy 8:7-10](#)

2) Thanking God is the most basic level of praise. What is the importance of giving thanks to God for your provisions? Why do you believe that is still hard to do sometimes?

[Read Exodus 14:29-31](#)

3) Why is it so much easier to trust God when everything is going great?

[Read Exodus 15:22-23](#)

4) Have you ever disobeyed God and found yourself in a desert? How did you get in your desert and how did you get out?

[Read Exodus 15:24-25](#)

5) Have you ever found yourself grumbling? Did anyone grumble on Thanksgiving Day? Have you grumbled about family members, friends, bosses, or leadership at church? How about God?



**APPLICATION QUESTIONS (cont.)****Read Psalm 23:4**

6) Even if you are in a valley or desert, how can you make it without fear?

**Read Romans 8:28-29**

7) If God allows everything to happen in your life for a purpose, how does that change your perspective on life?

**SUMMARY (My Take-Away for This Week)****WORK OUT (This Week's Assignments)**

- Has our LIFEgroup been missional by reaching out to others? Plan a serve-together for the holidays as a LifeGroup
- Plan to serve together at "Christmas in the Square", Sat., Dec. 16th.
- Plan a LifeGroup Christmas party
- Have you grown in discipleship by being a part of the LIFEgroup?
- Who in this group would like to multiply our group by going and starting a new group?

**MY NEXT STEPS**

1. This week, I will remember all that God has done for me rather than looking at what I might lack.
2. This week, I will express my thanks to God in all circumstances.
3. This week, I will tell a friend why I am thankful for God.
4. This week, I will memorize *1 Thessalonians 5:18*, "give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus."

**HOW MY GROUP CAN PRAY FOR ME THIS WEEK**