A Revolutionary Faith: A Thankful Faith in an "I Got Lucky" World

How do I begin to experience the blessings and the power of God?

- Remaining immersed in truth, which is the <u>Word of God</u>.
- Relating to God as <u>Father</u>.
- Submitting to the Lordship of Christ.
- <u>Loving</u> Jesus above all others.
- Seeking God's purpose, plan, and <u>glory</u>.
- Staying committed to the <u>people</u> of God.
- Living as a <u>witness</u>, sharing the good news with others.

Lesson #8

Revolutionary Faith can't help itself-it must express itself in worship and thanksgiving!

Jesus points out the aspects of true worship. Luke 7:36-49

1) True worship cannot <u>skip</u> the essentials of <u>life</u>.

- 2) True worship cannot <u>come</u> solely from the <u>intellect</u>.
- 3) True worship cannot <u>exist</u> between <u>equals</u>.

True worship always includes thanksgiving. Luke 17:11-18

1) You can be thankful to someone without worshipping them—but you can't worship <u>God</u> without being <u>thankful</u>.

2) You can look at blessings as "getting lucky," or you can recognize the source of all good things.

3) You can experience the <u>physical</u> healing of God without experiencing the <u>spiritual</u> healing of God.

All salvation stories end the same way. Luke 17:19; 7:50