

A Thanksgiving Prayer for All

24 November 2011

Gracious and Merciful Creator of all that is seen and unseen, once again we come to You as a Nation and individually as Your children, and profess our thankfulness for the material things in our lives that make life for us voyagers on this earth a bit easier, we are grateful. For our lives and health, we are grateful. For the nourishment that sustains our bodies, we are grateful.

For all the beauty, we have experienced in our lives, be it through touch, smell, sight or sound we are grateful. For the taste of love that we have experienced in our lives be it through the wisdom of loving parents who modeled Your depthless love and forgiveness for us, or for those of us who have known the love of another voyager, we are grateful. For the freedom we currently enjoy and neglect at times, we are grateful.

For those who selflessly care for and protect us as they serve in our Neighborhoods, States, Nation and throughout the world with the example of Your ministering angels, we are grateful. Lord Keep all those servants safe as they perform their duties, comfort them and those that they love as they are separated because of their service.

For those that have heard and responded to the truth of Your saving grace and for those who have faithfully continued through the course that You have set before them and through their example, courage and service we have learned and continued to learn about our relationship with You, we are grateful.

Lord please accept our intercession now for those who are no longer or not yet able to speak with You. For those who have wandered away from You or for those who are imprisoned in their bodies, minds or spirits as a result of their sins or the sins of others, or for those who are yet being knit together in their mommies wombs, Lord please keep them all safe from harm and evil.

May You, The Light of the World dispel the darkness of lies and despair of the evil one; that we recognize all too well can quickly overcome and consume our time and lives.

Lord help us in all of our relationships, please give us the ability to genuinely hear one another's points in time of conflict and may truth and reality always become clear to all concerned, please don't let any evil or selfishness creep into our relationships, may we cherish and nourish them all, be it with our families, friends, coworkers and especially with You.

For all of us whose love has gone cold, we ask that You refresh us. Lord please comfort all those who mourn and remember the precious ones that they have lost. We ask that You bring to recall all those great memories that we shared and may we be encouraged and sustained by them.

May You our God of peace, our great Shepherd, equip us with everything good for doing Your will, and please Lord, work in us so that we will be pleasing to You, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen.



A Blessed Thanksgiving to All

From Your Friends and Family at Grace

