

# NOTES

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# GOALS FOR 2018

## DEVELOPING A THANKFUL HEART

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JUST ANOTHER DAY

Luke 17:11-19

- ① \_\_\_\_\_  
*Now on his way to Jerusalem, Jesus traveled along the border between Samaria and Galilee. <sup>12</sup> As he was going into a village, ten men who had leprosy met him.*
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*They stood at a distance <sup>13</sup> and called out in a loud voice, "Jesus, Master, have pity on us!"*
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*<sup>14</sup> When he saw them, he said, "Go, show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were cleansed.*
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*<sup>15</sup> One of them, when he saw he was healed, came back, praising God in a loud voice. <sup>16</sup> He threw himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him—and he was a Samaritan.*
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*<sup>17</sup> Jesus asked, "Were not all ten cleansed? Where are the other nine? <sup>18</sup> Has no one returned to give praise to God except this foreigner?" <sup>19</sup> Then he said to him, "Rise and go; your faith has made you well."*

WHERE'S YOUR FOCUS

\* Has your thankfulness to Jesus been \_\_\_\_\_?

SINCE...

**Hebrews 12:28-29** *Therefore, since we are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, let us be thankful, and so worship God acceptably with reverence and awe, <sup>29</sup> for our "God is a consuming fire."*

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All references taken from The New International Version of the Bible unless noted.

### ① Fasting and Replacing

This goal will develop an effective, personal time with God.

**Isaiah 58:5-8** *Is this the kind of fast I have chosen, only a day for people to humble themselves?*

☺ How will 2108 be different because you fasted?

### ② Deepen our commitment to living God's Word

- This goal challenges us to ask this question, "Am I living what I am learning in the Bible?"

**James 1:19-25** *Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says.*

- Need FIVE Bible Study Facilitators.

☺ We need to hear the word of God fresh & new while committing to living God's Word no matter how I feel about it.

### ③ Expand the reach of our outreach

- We will expand our outreach by finding specific people groups whom our people have a heart for.

**Matthew 4:18-20** <sup>19</sup> *"Come, follow me," Jesus said, "and I will send you out to fish for people."*

☺ Let's increase our fishing skills so we can catch more people.

### ④ Read two theological books in 2018

- It's time for Christians to struggle through reading a deeper book of Theology.

**Heb. 5:11-14** <sup>12</sup> *by this time you ought to be teachers, you need someone to teach you the elementary truths of God's word all over again*

This year pick two books & slowly & prayerfully read thru them:

**Holiness for Ordinary People** by Keith Drury.

**A Right Concept of Sin** by Richard S. Taylor.

**Entire Sanctification** by J. Kenneth Grider.

**Life in the Son** by Robert Shank.

**Called to be Holy** by John Oswalt.

☺ We need to become Christians who live by the Spirit.

### ⑤ Strengthen marriages

- We hope to make strong marriages, stronger and help struggling marriages get healthy.

**Malachi 2:10-16** <sup>14</sup> *...the LORD is the witness between you and the wife of your youth. You have been unfaithful to her, though she is your partner, the wife of your marriage covenant.*

☺ Let's awaken the seriousness of the marriage covenant w/ God.