~ A Thanksgiving Heart ~

1) Give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God’s will for you in Christ Jesus. ~ 1Thessalonians 5:18

Thanksgiving = A grateful expression of God’s goodness & mercy.

How can I develop a heart of gratitude?

2) Trust in the LORD with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him…~ Proverbs 3:5-6b

How?

3) Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. ~ Philippians 4:6

Trust!

4) And we know that God causes all things to work together for the good of those who love Him… ~ Romans 8:28

A process of change:

5) Whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. ~ Philippians 4:8

A great starting place:

6) Give thanks to the LORD, for He is good; His love endures forever. ~ Psalm 107:1

Change is a process that starts with a decision and continues with a commitment.

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Our Father in Heaven, I thank you for Jesus, You Son, whom I trust as my Good Shepherd. Thank you, Jesus, that you have much good in store for all who love you.

Today I choose to think about the things that are true, and honorable, and just, and pure, and lovely, and commendable; things that are excellent and worthy of praise. I know that when I look for these things and focus on them, I will see you. For you are good, O Lord, and your love endures forever. Amen.