

**Isaiah 12:1-6**  
The Importance Of  
Being Thankful To God

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**Big Picture**

**Prologue:** Isaiah 6:7 ...your iniquity is taken away and you are forgiven.

**Chapters 7-11** Judgment turning to salvation for Israel.

**Epilogue:** Isaiah 12:1 ...Your anger is turned away and you comfort me.

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**The Believer Will Give Thanks**

**Old Exodus:** Exodus 12-14  
Song of Thanksgiving: Exodus 15

**New Exodus:** Isaiah 11:11-16  
Song of Thanksgiving: Isaiah 12

Isaiah 12:1 Then (you) will say on that day, "I will give thanks to You, O LORD; For although You were angry with me, Your anger is turned away, and You comfort me."

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### The Need For Propitiation

1 John 4:10 In this is love, not that we loved God, but that He loved us and sent His Son to be the propitiation for our sins.

#### 1st Exodus

Passover lamb  
slain

#### New Exodus

The Lamb of God  
slain

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### Praises Belong To Yahweh

Isaiah 12:2 NKJV "Behold, God is my salvation, I will trust and not be afraid; '**For Yah, the LORD**, is my strength and song; He also has become my salvation.' "

Exodus 15:2 P.T. **Yah, the LORD** is my strength and song, and He has become my salvation; This is my God, and I will praise Him; My father's God, and I will extol Him.

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### All God's People Will Praise Him

Isaiah 12:3-4 Therefore you will joyously draw water from the springs of salvation. And in that day you will say, "Give thanks to the LORD, call on His name. Make known His deeds among the peoples; Make them remember that His name is exalted."

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### The Mighty Deeds Of God

Psalm 66:5-6a Come and see the works of God, Who is awesome in His deeds toward the sons of men. **He turned the sea into dry land...**

Psalm 77:12, 20 I will meditate on all Your work And muse on Your deeds... You led Your people like a flock **By the hand of Moses and Aaron.**

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### The LORD Is Worthy of Praise!

Isaiah 12:5-6 Praise the LORD in song, for He has done excellent things; Let this be known throughout the earth. Cry aloud and shout for joy, O inhabitant of Zion, For great in your midst is **the Holy One of Israel.**

Exodus 15:21 Miriam answered them, "Sing to the LORD, for He is highly exalted; The horse and his rider He has hurled into the sea."

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### The Need To Give Thanks To God

#### ➤Lack of Gratitude In The Garden:

Genesis 3:1 NKJV Now the serpent was more cunning than any beast of the field which the Lord God had made. And he said to the woman, "Has God indeed said, 'You shall not eat of every tree of the garden'?"

Genesis 3:6 When the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was a delight to the eyes, and that the tree was desirable to make one wise, she took from its fruit and ate...

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### The Need To Give Thanks To God

Romans 1:21-24a For even though they knew God, they did not honor Him as God or give thanks, but they became futile in their speculations, and their foolish heart was darkened. Professing to be wise, they became fools, and exchanged the glory of the incorruptible God for an image in the form of corruptible man and of birds and four-footed animals and crawling creatures. **Therefore God gave them over...**

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### Our Lord's Example

Mark 8:6 And He directed the people to sit down on the ground; and taking the seven loaves, He gave thanks and broke them, and started giving them to His disciples to serve to them...

1 Corinthians 11:24 and when He had given thanks, He broke it and said, "This is My body, which is for you; do this in remembrance of Me."

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### An Attitude of Gratitude

Ephesians 5:18-20 NET And do not get drunk with wine, which is debauchery, but be filled by the Spirit, speaking to one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody with your heart to the Lord; always giving thanks for all things in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to God, even the Father;

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### An Attitude of Trust

Philippians 4:6 **Be anxious for nothing**, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God.

Isaiah 12:1-2 Then you will say on that day, "I will give thanks to You... Behold, God is my salvation, **I will trust and not be afraid...**

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### An Attitude of Expectation

Revelation 11:17-18...We give You thanks, O Lord God, the Almighty, who are and who were, because You have taken Your great power and have begun to reign. And the nations were enraged, and Your wrath came, and the time came for the dead to be judged, and **the time to reward Your bond-servants** the prophets and the saints and those who fear Your name, the small and the great, and to destroy those who destroy the earth."

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