

## Thanksgiving

**When thou hast eaten and art full, then thou shalt bless the LORD thy God for the good land which he hath given thee.**

*Deuteronomy 8:10*

This passage might seem as though the Holy Spirit inspired it with our country in mind because of the verses that surround it which could rightly describe both the bountiful land that we live in, and the many blessings received by this people. And though this was spoken by Moses to the Israelites, not to us, it is safe for us to draw some parallels between God's blessings upon that nation and ours. It is likewise important that we remember to **always** be **thankful** to the LORD God who has blessed us so greatly. And if the blessings written of here are parallel to the blessings this nation has received, then this nation needs to also take care to remember the warnings that go along with them, such as we find in verse 19 of this chapter: **And it shall be, if thou do at all forget the LORD thy God, and walk after other gods, and serve them, and worship them, I testify against you this day that ye shall surely perish.**

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