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(See vs. 24, 26, 28)

4. How does the gospel make it so that we can live with gratitude in our hearts and thanksgiving on our lips?

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6. Paul (God) doesn't really mean "all" in these verses does he? Is there a difference between giving thanks "in" the midst of something than "for" something? How might this difference clarify Paul's command here?

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7. Can you think of a time in which your sin sprang out of ingratitude? What happened?

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