

## LUKE 17:11-19 – BE “THE ONE”

For a believer in Christ, Thanksgiving is to be a way of \_\_\_\_\_.

Ps. 100:4 – “Enter into His gates with thanksgiving, and into His courts with praise. Be thankful unto Him and bless His Name.”

Ps. 107:21 – “Let them give thanks to the Lord for His unfailing love and His wonderful deeds for men.”

Col. 3:15 – “be thankful.”

Col. 3:17 - "And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him"

Heb. 13:15 – “...let us continually offer to God a sacrifice of praise – the fruit of lips that confess His name.”

Clovis Chappel: possible reasons the 9 didn't return:

1. They may have been grateful, but not as demonstrative, so they didn't express their gratitude.
2. Maybe they were so caught up in being healed that they forgot the Healer.
3. The 9 were Jews – the 1 was a Samaritan. Chappel says that perhaps they felt that God “owed” them their healing, since they were His Chosen People.

### I. IT'S A GOOD START TO BE ONE OF THE NINE

- A. They \_\_\_\_\_ to get well. John 5:6 – “do you want to get well?”
- B. They went to \_\_\_\_\_ for help.
- C. They had the faith to \_\_\_\_\_ Christ v. 14 – “as they went” they were healed.

### II. BE “THE ONE”

A. “THE ONE” recognizes \_\_\_\_\_  
Do some \_\_\_\_\_ and you'll do some THANKING.

B. “THE ONE” takes the time to \_\_\_\_\_ gratitude

C. “THE ONE” acknowledges God as God v. 16 – bowing at Jesus' feet  
EVERYTHING we have comes from HIM!!

D. “THE ONE” becomes “\_\_\_\_\_” – (v. 19)

What is purposeful recognition? (Mike Staver)

1. \_\_\_\_\_ - be certain that the recognition is about something the person did.
2. Appreciative - Be clear that it mattered to you!
3. \_\_\_\_\_ - Make it connected to the person, and, when possible, do it live!
4. Immediate - Don't wait! Do it as soon as possible!

