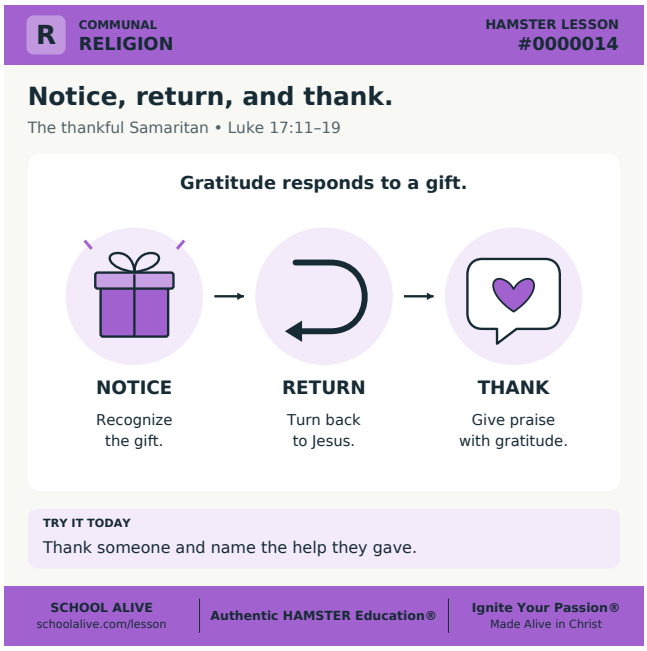


1. ❓ How can we respond when someone shows us kindness?
2. 🙋 Notice the gift and thank the giver. Luke tells how one man returned to praise God and thank Jesus after being healed.
3. ⏳ Luke 17:11–19 is a Gospel account from Jesus' journey toward Jerusalem. Ten men with a skin disease ask Him for mercy; one who returns is a Samaritan.
4. 💡 All ten are cleansed as they go to show themselves to the priests. One turns back, praises God, and falls at Jesus' feet in gratitude.
5. 🔍 The returning man pays attention to the giver, not only the gift. His gratitude responds to mercy already received; it does not buy healing.
6. 🌎 We can thank God in prayer and thank people for their care. Being grateful does not require hiding sadness or pretending every difficulty has ended.
7. 🎯 Today, thank one person for a specific kindness: "Thank you for taking time to help me with ___." Tell them how it helped, then thank God for that care.

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