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One of the **Greatest Powers Available to One / All is Thanksgiving** – Along with **Faith** / **Praise** becomes a **3-Fold Cord** that Can't Be Broken –as matter of fact this scripture full of Different Powers Available...

I. The Power of Trouble (11-13)

1. It has a Unifying Effect

- **in Spirit (1)** “*thru midst of Sam/ Gal..*”
under Normal Circumstances
 - **Bitter Enemies** –now **Something in Common**
- **in Purpose (13)**, “*..lifted up their voices..*”

2. It has a Dividing Effect

- **Much Easier to Blame** –vs – **Spread Hope**

II. The Power of His Word (14) “*go show yourselves to priest.*”

1. There's Nothing More Powerful than the Word of Living God

2. Worlds Framed by it - Hebrews 11:3 (AMP)

³ By faith we understand that the worlds [during the successive ages] were framed (fashioned, put in order, and equipped for their intended purpose) by the word of God, so that what we see was not made out of things which are visible.

3. It had Power to Change Situation's/ Circumstances

III. The Power of Faith in His Word (14) “*as they went cleansed..*”

1. Many times we make the Big Mistake Trusting in Feelings –vs- Faith

2. They applied Word to Problem

3. Need to Stop Talking About Problem / Start Talking to Them!!!!

- **cleanse** =make clean, purge,

IV. The Power of Thanksgiving (15-19)

1. (17) “*..where are the nine?*” -too many caught up in **Gift** –vs- **Giver**

2. (15) “*..turned back*” -Use the Same **Intensity** w- **Thx** as w- **Asking**

3. A Life of Thanksgiving will cause.....

- **Direction** –it drew him closer
- **Distinction** –loud voice **glorified** God –proper focus
- **Denial of Self** –Fell down at His feet
- **Dynamics of Thanksgiving (19)**
 - **Arise(Strength)**
 - **Go Way(Freedom)**
 - **Made Whole(restored / complete)** -Scars Gone -Restored
 - **The Others Were Healed but Hindered By Scars**
 - **We Need to Learn the Lesson - Not Only**
 - **Remember to Thank God**
 - **Let it Be Intense**

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