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You're Thankful for **WHAT?!**

These don't sound like your typical I'm-thankful-for-these things, do they? But everyone is different and is thankful for different things. There are probably even people who are thankful for skunks. I don't know any of them, but I'm sure they're out there.

So what unusual things are you thankful for? I know you're thankful for your parents and your home. And you might even be thankful for your brother or sister! But think of the things you see or use every day that you don't normally take time to be thankful for.

List three of them:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____



Cool list!

Here are some other unusual I'm-thankful-for things:

- Paper** — otherwise, how would you do your homework?!
- Fuel tank cap** — it keeps the gas from sloshing out of your car.
- Cotton** — so you have soft sheets to sleep on.
- Cameras** — so you can take pictures to remember fun family times.
- Ammonium laureth sulfate** — it's an ingredient in shampoo. You want your hair to be clean, don't you?
- Spiders** — Yes, spiders! They keep insect populations low in your house and yard because they eat lots of insects.

Philippians 1:3 is a short verse, but it says a lot. Look it up in your Bible and read it. Paul wrote the book of Philippians when he was in Rome. He wrote it to the people who lived in Philippi. The people in Philippi took care of Paul when he was with them, and he wanted to let them know that he was thankful for what they did to help him.

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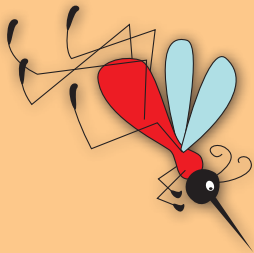
GIVING THANKS!

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OK, so being thankful for nice people isn't unusual. After all, we're talking about being thankful for things that you wouldn't usually think to be thankful for. But what's important to remember about this verse is that Paul said he was thankful every time he remembered the people at Philippi. He thought about them a lot — they came to his mind often. When you have a thankful spirit, you see a lot around you that you can be thankful for — even unusual things.

So next time you see a spider, it's OK to be scared. You don't have to keep it as a pet. But be thankful that the spider eats lots of insects. Otherwise there would be lots more of them in your home!

Ha! Ha! Ha!

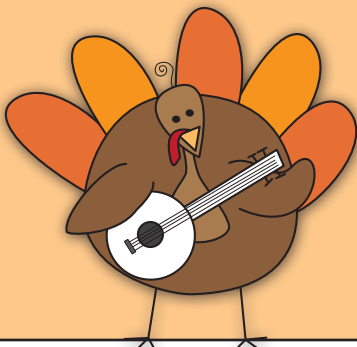


Why did the turkey cross the road?
So the chicken could have the day off.

Knock, knock!
Who's there?
Amos.
Amos who?

A mosquito just bit me!

If April showers bring May flowers, what do May flowers bring?
Pilgrims!



What do you get when you cross a turkey with a banjo?
A turkey that can pluck himself!

CLUBBER STUFF

We asked the kids from Central Baptist Church in Paris, Kentucky, this question: if you could plan a theme night for Awana, what would it be? Here are their answers!

Inside-out Night — Tyler, age 10

Bread and Juice Night — Alex, age 11

Crazy Hair Night — Jessi, age 10 and Lizzie, age 8

Bible Drill Night — Savannah, age 10

Superhero/Sports All-star Night — Dag, age 8 and Kaitlin, age 9

Animal Theme Night — Zack, age 7

Slumber Party Night — Makenzie, age 8

Crazy Hat Night — Hunter, age 9

Sports Theme Night — Emily, age 8 and Alexis, age 9

Jockey Night — Jerad, age 8



November's flower is the chrysanthemum.

November is International Drum Month.

November 3, 1957 — the first living being was sent into space — a Russian dog named Laika!

November 11th is Armistice Day — everyone is encouraged to remember all the soldiers who died in World War I and World War II.

November 26, 1922 — Charles M. Schultz, the guy who created the Peanuts Cartoon, was born in Minneapolis, Minnesota.



Draw a line to match the month with its holiday.
You might have to do some research to find the answers!

(The first one has been done for you.)

Months (in green ovals): August, July, May, June, April, March, November, December, February, October, January, September.

Holidays (in white boxes):
 Aunt and Uncle Day (26th)
 Tell a Joke Day (16th)
 International Children's Day (second Sunday)
 Best Friends Day (8th)
 Saxophone Day (6th)
 International Museum Day (18th)
 October
 January
 International Earth Day (20th)
 Moldy Cheese Day (9th)
 September
 Abraham Lincoln's Birthday (12th)
 International Moment of Laughter Day (14th)
 February
 International Rabbit Day (fourth Saturday)
 December
 National Kazoo Day (28th)
 International Children's Day (second Sunday)

Connections shown:
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 - January is connected to Abraham Lincoln's Birthday (12th).

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Answers:
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CELEBRATE UNIQUE NOVEMBER HOLIDAYS

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23/30	24	25	26	27	28	29

Child Safety Protection Month International Drum Month

- 1st — Book Lovers Day
- 11th — Veteran’s Day
- 16th — Have a Party With Your Bear Day
- 17th — Homemade Bread Day
- 23rd — National Parfait Day
- 27th — Thanksgiving