

*Duty: Oh that Men would praise the Lord for his Goodness, and declare the Wonders which he doth for the Children of Men!*

Shall not *we* now accept of this Invitation of *David*, shall *we* not follow his Example in the Closet, and in the Temple? Every Person's particular Conduct must direct him in the former,—but let the latter be the Subject of this Day's Commemoration.

If it is at all Times, and in all Places, our most bounden Duty to return Thanks, can Time or Place be better adapted to this sacred Purpose? When new, and remarkable Blessings have been granted to us, then the wonderful Operations of Providence are strongest on our Minds; then warmed with Gratitude, are we better disposed to all the Acts of Worship and Thanksgiving. But much should I take from  
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