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The Lord wants you to live in His light.

1 Chron. 29:11 *Yours, LORD, is the greatness and the power and the glory and the majesty and the splendor, for everything in heaven and earth is Yours. Yours, LORD, is the kingdom; You are exalted as head over all.*

David is praising the LORD because of the generous giving of the people to build the Temple for God. It is so important for our spiritual growth to not only realize where the benefits of this life come from, but also *Who* they come from. This is one of the things that most characterize the life and heart of David. He was always quick to remember and proclaim the goodness and provision of the LORD. **Ps. 9:1** *I will give thanks to you, Lord, with all my heart; I will tell of all your wonderful deeds.* Are we willing to do the same?

I wonder if we are quick to thank the LORD for His provision and His goodness, or, do we take some of the credit for ourselves. David fought battles for Israel. He gave great sums of money towards the Temple. He did so many things as the greatest King of Israel. But, we see that David wants no credit. Instead, he continues to exalt the LORD over all. I believe that because David was a man after God's own heart, he was living the truth of **1 Pt. 5:6** *Humble yourselves, therefore, under God's mighty hand, that He may lift you up in due time.*

Beloved, let's make sure to continue to give God all the glory and praise that He deserves. To Him be the glory and honor both now and forever more!

Dear LORD, help us to remember Who You are and what You have done. Your love for us is great and Your provisions are without end. We bring praise to You and You alone. In Jesus Name, Amen