

## Thankful Qualities

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There are many qualities that go into being thankful. A quality is a characteristic that is possessed by someone. I am thankful for many things like my family, friends, and much more. You have to have special qualities to be thankful. In order to be thankful, you have to have a thankful heart or a place in your heart for gratitude. Here are some qualities that you need to be thankful for in your life..

Something that makes a person's heart thankful is a heart full of *gratitude* for the things God has done and continues to do in and throughout our life. Gratitude is one of the most important qualities of being thankful. Gratitude is gratefulness and appreciation for another person's kindness, gifts, help, favors, and so much more. I have gratitude for my family, friends and so much more. I have gratitude for everything everybody does for me. In the same sense, someone can also have gratitude for you.

Another quality that makes someone thankful is *appreciation*. Appreciation is the recognition and enjoyment of the good qualities of someone or something. You feel appreciation when you realize how lucky YOU are. You appreciate everything you have and feel bad for others who aren't as lucky as you are. Appreciation is also when you thank someone for everything they have done for you. You can also have appreciation for someone. I appreciate my family, friends, and my house and so much more.

Another quality for thankfulness is *kindness*. Kindness is one of the most important qualities of life. Kindness is the quality of being friendly, generous, and considerate. In addition,

you can do a kind of work of kindness like community service. Kindness is very important to be thankful. You have to be kind to someone when they do something for you. My family and other people are very kind to me. You have to put a lot of kindness and effort into doing something for someone.

There are many qualities that go into being thankful. Three very important ones I think are *gratitude, appreciation, and kindness*. I am so thankful for my family, friends, and everything they do for me. I am thankful for my house and more. I have many qualities that I am thankful for as well. These are some of the most important qualities to be thankful for in my life.