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Notes | December 28, 2025

Remember His Faithfulness

It's very easy to remember what you got for Christmas this year, but what about five years ago? It's easy to feel relaxed when you're on the dream vacation, but the second you get back and the stress hits, you forget that peaceful feeling you once had. Where do you turn when you feel alone or chaotic? It can be so easy to feel like we have been "forgotten" by God, when in reality, we are the ones that have forgotten how He has been faithful.

Key Scripture | Exodus 16:32-33

Moses said, "This is what the Lord has commanded: 'Take an omer of manna and keep it for the generations to come, so they can see the bread I gave you to eat in the wilderness when I brought you out of Egypt.'"

So Moses said to Aaron, "Take a jar and put an omer of manna in it. Then place it before the Lord to be kept for the generations to come." – Exodus 16:32-33

...in the morning there was a layer of dew around the camp. When the dew was gone, thin flakes like frost on the ground appeared on the desert floor. When the Israelites saw it, they said to each other, "What is it?" For they did not know what it was.

Moses said to them, "It is the bread the Lord has given you to eat. ... The people of Israel called the bread manna. It was white like coriander seed and tasted like wafers made with honey.

Related Scriptures

Exodus 16:13b-15, 31; Exodus 17:7

Icebreakers:

Q: What was your favorite memory from 2025?

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Key Thoughts and Reflections:

I. Joy comes from remembering what God has done

Q: When have you felt the deepest joy in your life?

Q: There is a phrase that you can either be “a glass half full or a glass half empty.” Which way would you lean toward?

Q: What is something that you can do going into 2026 to help you remember the faithfulness of the Lord?

II. Forgetting Gods faithfulness leaves us FEELING alone.

Q: Was there a time in this last year where you felt alone?

Q: What causes us to forget Gods faithfulness in our lives?

Q: Why do you think Scripture tells us over 200 times not to forget Gods faithfulness?

III. Gratitude leads to a joyful life.

Q: Is it easy for you to reach out to others and let them know how you feel about them or why you are thankful for them?

Q: Is thanking God for what He has given you a part of your daily rhythm?

Q: Do you have people in your life you could ask to be your “fire friends”? Meaning that when the fire comes, they are there to help you remember all the good from God and also pray you through it?

Get Practical

With the New Year coming we want to encourage you to continue growing in your prayer life. If you need help or guidance of any kind in this, reach out to your campus pastor! Gratitude is also so much easier to live out when you have people holding you accountable. Jump into a small group at the end of January so you don't have to tackle life alone!