

November 29, 2009
Don't Forget to Give Thanks
Luke 17:11-17

What tragedies happened in the life of Horatio Spafford?

1. Financial/business loss due to Chicago fire.
2. Loss of 4 daughters as their ship sank en route to England. His wife survived.

Yet, he was able to write a great hymn of the church:
"It Is Well With My Soul"

Today we learn three things about a thankful heart:

1. A thankful heart is often broken first.
2. A thankful heart is uncommon.
3. A thankful heart doesn't simply accept the blessings that come – it seeks after the giver of the blessings.