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Psalm 141:2

“Let my prayer be set forth before You as incense; and the lifting up of my hands, as the evening sacrifice.” Psalm 141:2

When was the last time you offered the Lord an evening sacrifice? You may say, “But the days of sacrifice, the killing of innocent animals are over.” Remember, such things were “types” or pictures of true spiritual realities.

Few Christians today practice this offering of the evening sacrifice. True, we have no animals to sacrifice, neither is it necessary. But there is an evening sacrifice that when offered to the Lord blesses His heart and offers us His protection and safety from pride and arrogance.

There is a humbling of heart when ever we say to the Lord or someone else – “thank you.” We acknowledge that they have done something for us, given something to us or were simply mindful of us in a way that blessed us – and possibly in a way in which we could not bless ourselves.

How many times has the Lord guided your steps throughout the day, protected you, helped you, and you forgot to say “thank You”? Your offering of an evening sacrifice – the pausing for a few moment to reflect on the day’s happenings – and to then say to Him Who stood by you all the day long – “thank You Lord for Your help. Without Your blessing on me today I would have failed or chosen poorly. Lord, because of Your anointing on my life – that business deal – or the few moments I had to share my faith with an acquaintance – or the car accident I missed or survived – Lord, at the close of this day, I offer You the evening sacrifice and say, “Thank You.”

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