

Devotional

Then said Jesus, "Were there not ten cleansed? Where are the nine? Luke 17:17

Noticing that his servants never said grace at mealtime, a king decided to teach them a lesson.

The king invited a beggar in torn, tattered rags to eat at his banquet table. After feasting at this bountiful table, the beggar got up and walked away without thanking the king for his kindness and generosity.

The servants were horrified and filled with anger because the beggar was so ungrateful. Then the king reminded them that this was exactly how they were treating God, failing to thank Him for all the good things they enjoyed.

Ingratitude has been a common characteristic in human life across the centuries. Jesus recognized this unhealthy trait when He healed the ten lepers. Only one returned to express his gratitude. We need to be extremely careful not to be numbered among the ungrateful nine.

Prayer: Our heavenly Father, from whom cometh every good and perfect gift, we thank Thee for the beauty and bounty of the earth - for every gift of Thy love each day brings. Help us to be more grateful and more deserving. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Thought for the Day

The Christian's attitude is one of gratitude.

Obituary

JACOBS - In the Brantford General Hospital, on Tuesday, February 18, 1969, Peter Jacobs of R 1, Ohsweken, in his 80th year; husband of the late Ida Winnie, dear father of Nelles, R 6, Hagersville, Hazel and Lillian both of Niagara Falls, N.Y.; brother of Freeman, R 2, Ohsweken; also survived by 5 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren. Mr. Jacobs rested at the home of Amos Keyes, R 1, Ohsweken, until Thursday, 1 p.m. for funeral service 1:30 p.m. in the lower Cayuga Longhouse, Six Nations Reservation. Interment in adjoining cemetery.

Mohawk Language Lesson # 15, Book 11

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| 30 - áh senh ni wáh senh              | 41 - gah yé rih ni wáh senh eñhs gah     |
| 31 - áh senh ni wáh senh eñhs gah     | 42 - gah yé rih ni wáh senh déh geh nih  |
| 32 - áh senh ni wáh senh déh geh nih  | 43 - gah yé rih ni wáh senh áh senh      |
| 33 - áh senh ni wáh senh áh senh      | 44 - gah yé rih ni wáh senh gah ye rih   |
| 34 - áh senh ni wáh senh gah yé rih   | 45 - gah yé rih ni wáh senh wihs k       |
| 35 - áh senh ni wáh senh wihs k       | 46 - gah yé rih ni wáh senh yá yak       |
| 36 - áh senh ni wáh senh yá yak       | 47 - gah yé rih ni wáh senh já dah       |
| 37 - áh senh ni wáh senh já dah       | 48 - gah yé rih ni wáh senh shah dé gonh |
| 38 - áh senh ni wáh senh shah dé gonh | 49 - gah yé rih ni wáh senh dyóh donh    |
| 39 - áh senh ni wáh senh dyóh donh    | 50 - wihs k ni wáh senh                  |
| 40 - gah yé rih ni wáh senh           |  |

Conversation using numbers

How old are you? a. Dó nah de soh se ri yá gonh? or b. Do ni di sá yenh?

I am thirty-eight years old - "Áh senh ni wáh senh shah dé gonh ni do wáh gyenh."

How much did you pay for your coat? - "Do ni sa ga rýa kon ne sa dya da wih?"

I paid forty-five dollars for it - "Ga yé rih ni wáh senh wihs k ni gah wíhs da geh ni waht ga rýa kon."

How many years did you teach? - "Do nih yoh se rá geh wah se ri hoñh yenh?"

Fifty years - Wihs k ni wáh senh ni yoh se rá keh.

COMING EVENTS

- Feb. 26 - St. John's Ladies Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. S. A. Anderson.
- Feb. 28 - Friday, 5:30 p.m. Corn Soup Supper, Ohsweken Baptist Church. Auspices of Choir.
- Feb. 28 - 9:00 - 12:00 p.m. Dance at Ohsweken Community Hall. Admission \$1. Auspices New Credit School.
- Feb. 28 - 1 p.m. Rummage Sale at Jean Hill's pool-room. Auspices Mohawk Langhouse.
- Mar. 1 - Saturday 10 a.m. Annual Indian Hockey Tournament at Strathroy, Ont.
- Mar. 1 - Saturday, 8 p.m. Rally at Six Nations Penecostal Church. Rev. Harvey R. Arnold, Hamilton, Guest Speaker. Pastor David Butler.
- Mar. 2 - Art Class 2:00 p.m.- 4:00 p.m. Old Central School, Ohsweken, Mr. Geo. Rachus, instructor.
- Mar. 3 - Monday, 8 p.m. Bingo! Ohsweken Community Hall. Free admission. \$100. Jackpot. Auspices Merchants.
- Mar. 5 - Sour Springs Women's Institute at the home of Mrs. Leah Powless.