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Mia's Thanksgiving Pie

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"Thank You, God," whispered Mia, for this bright Thanksgiving day!



"Come help me bake, sweetheart," Grandma called. "We'll make our Thanksgiving pie - and fill it with gratitude!



"tirst, we need flour," said Grandma. "It reminds us that God provides what we need just like He sent manna in the desert." "Thank You, God, for food," Mia said.



"Butter makes things soft," Grandma smiled. "God's love softens our hearts too." Mia giggled as she stirred. "Thank You, God, for love that melts like butter!"



"Sugar makes life sweet," Grandma said. "When we thank God, it sweetens our hearts." "Thank You, God, for sweetness," Mia whispered.



"Apples remind us of God's good gifts - fresh, crisp, and new every morning," said Grandma.

"Thank You, God, for all the good things You give," said Mia.



"Cinnamon adds warmth,"
Grandma said. "Just like
kindness does."

"Thank You, God, for warm hugs and kind hearts," said Mia.



"Sometimes we must wait," Grandma said softly. "While we wait, God is still at work - just like the pie baking." Mia nodded. "Thank You, God, for patience."



"It's done!" Mia cheered. "It smells like Heaven!" "Yes," Grandma said, "hecause thankfulness always does."



The family gathered around the table.

"Before we eat," Grandma said,
"let's thank God for every
blessing - big and small."

Everyone held hands and prayed.



Mia whispered softly, "Thank You, God, for Grandma. for pie, for family, and for Your love that fills my heart."



Mia helped wash the last dish. "Thanksgiving isn't just today, is it, Grandma?" she asked. "No, dear," Grandma smiled. "It's every day we remember God's goodness."



"Grandma," Mia said, "the pie was perfect."

"It was," Grandma said,
because we mixed in the sweetest ingredient of all - a thankful heart.



Mia's Thanksgiving Pie Recipe

Ingredients

- 2 cups of flour for God's daily provision
- 1 cup of butter for hearts softened by love
- " cup of sugar for the sweetness of thankfulness
- 6 cups of sliced apples for God's good gifts
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon for warmth and kindness
- 4 teaspoon nutmeg for the spice of joy
- A pinch of salt to remember God's faithfulness
- 1 tablespoon of love the secret ingredient in every blessing



* Directions

- 1. Preheat your heart (and oven) to warmth and gratitude 375°F (190°C).
- 2. Mix flour, butter, and a thankful heart until life feels soft and full.
- 3. Stir in sugar, apples, and spices, remembering: God's blessings are fresh every morning.
- 4. Pour into a crust of love, smoothing each worry with prayer.
- 5. Bake until golden, while whispering, "Thank You, God, for Your goodness."
- 6. Share with family, friends, and neighbors because joy grows when it's given away.



"Every pie, every prayer, and every day is sweeter when it's filled with gratitude. Remember, thankfulness is the recipe for joy."



Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; His love endures forever. Psalm 107:1