"The Lord has blessed you with an abundance of the things of the earth.

"He has blessed you with peace.  He has blessed you with knowledge.  He has blessed you with testimony.  And He has blessed you with the good things of the earth...

"How thankful we ought to be, my brothers and sisters, how very, very grateful we ought to be.

"...How thankful we ought to be that somehow in the majesty and kindness and goodness of the Lord you and I were brought forth in this generation with the marvelous and wonderful blessings we hold.”

*President Gordon B. Hinckley*