

RECEIVE IT What made my life better this year that no one arranged?

Some of the best things in life arrive on their own.

Start from your map: look for everything marked ☀. Any name fits the Who or what line: God, the way bodies heal, a good harvest, or "I don't know." An honest "I don't know" is a fine answer.

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What the kids said. Ask, "What's something good that happened this year that nobody planned?" Write it the way they say it.

Photo hunt: Things, places, seasons: a garden at its peak, a healed knee, a sunrise. Add them to the Thankful Album.

Getting ready for tomorrow

- ☐ Choose the photos to print, a few per person. If your plan is a fair tree or a Gratitude Album, you'll need two copies of each. Decide when and where you'll print them.
 - ☐ Find scissors and colored paper.
 - ☐ Ask everyone to think of one thing they can do now that they couldn't do a year ago. Help a shy kid pick theirs.
 - ☐ Check that the trunk is up on the wall.
- If something isn't ready by tomorrow, Thursday still works.