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We have the power to build people up with our words.
If we'll use them.

Proverbs 18:21

Death and life are in the power of the tongue, and those who love it will eat its fruits.

Romans 12:10

Love one another with brotherly affection. **Outdo** one another in showing honor.

1 Corinthians 1:4-7

I give thanks to my God always for you because of the grace of God that was given you in Christ Jesus, that in every way you were enriched in him **in all speech and all knowledge**– even as the testimony about Christ was confirmed among you– so that **you are not lacking in any gift**, as you wait for the revealing of our Lord Jesus Christ

Romans 1:8-10

First, I thank my God through Jesus Christ for all of you, because your faith is proclaimed in all the world. For God is my witness, whom I serve with my spirit in the gospel of his Son, that without ceasing I mention you always in my prayers, asking that somehow by God's will I may now at last succeed in coming to you.

Romans 16:3-4

Greet Priscilla and Aquila, my fellow workers in Christ Jesus, who risked their necks for my life, to whom not only I give thanks but all the churches of the Gentiles give thanks as well.

>> Paul did not let his thankfulness for people stop at his emotions, but he became the mouthpiece of God to build people up.

>> Thankfulness is a God-given emotion that should not stop at our minds, but should lead to thanksgiving.

>> Don't just be thankful, but practice thanksgiving.

>> Thankfulness for people is not meant to just be enjoyed, but it is meant to be shared and used to build people up.

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>> Make it a habit that when you feel something you say something.

>> Let's not just be the hands and feet of Jesus, but let's be the voice of Jesus into people's lives.