

## The True Meaning of Thanksgiving

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You must give to the nation. Ask, "What do you need? Let me provide whatever service you need." Even if the whole country came against you, you would have no shame and you could stand with dignity. I am simply saying that you must practice true love. **SMM, We Shall Live In The Original Homeland, July 1, 1987**



Hello,

On November 21, 1620 the Pilgrims signed the Mayflower Compact and began their Plymouth Colony. Of the 102 Pilgrims, only 47 survived till Spring. At one point, only a half dozen were healthy enough to care for the rest.

The following October, the Pilgrims shared food and games with 90 from the Wampanoag tribe for three days. William Bradford, Plymouth's longtime governor, tells of the "great store of wild turkeys, of which they took many." He also notes the "cod and bass and other fish, of which they took good store."

It is from attendee Edward Winslow that we learn that a large group of Wampanoag warriors joined the Pilgrim feast. In telling how the Pilgrims welcomed the Wampanoag to their celebration, Winslow homes in on other attributes of the holiday, then and now: hospitality, generosity, neighborliness... The Wampanoags' "greatest king Massasoit" and his men "went out and killed five deer," which they "bestowed on our Governor [Bradford], and upon the Captain [Myles Standish] and others."

Despite losing half of their family members and fellow believers to the "great sickness," the remaining Pilgrims put their trust in God and prayed with gratitude for His guidance as they sought to establish a community where they could freely worship the Creator without interference from worldly rulers or governments.

Sounds somewhat like America in 2024, but we are grateful that Heavenly Father had mercy on America, and delivered Donald Trump from assassination! We now have a chance to work with patriots and people of faith to restore the USA as a nation that God can use for His will! Amen and Aju!

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[Thanksgiving Proclamations by Washington, Jefferson, Madison, Lincoln, Roosevelt, and others](#)

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May God bless you and your families!

Sincerely,

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