Give thanks for your blessings

I think that Thanksgiving is one of the most important holidays we can have in America. Together we can all take time to give thanks, even if one is not religious.

This holiday allows us to at least take time to express thankfulness to others who have helped us or blessed us through the year. Having a thankful heart and attitude is something we can cultivate.

It is the grass-roots attitudes of people that really build a nation and community. Let's build ours on thankfulness!

Speaking of choosing thankfulness, one of the books that I've perused this week is "After the Fire: A True Story of Friendship and Survival," by Robin Gaby Fisher. This real-life drama was lived by college students after a fire raged through the freshman dormitories of Seton Hall University.

This book will make you reflect on the goodness of just living everyday life (for yourself and your family), because in just moments, three students were killed and 58 injured. Parents, give thanks for your returning college students, if only for a brief few days.

Fisher writes a dynamic book about the fight for survival and recovery from burns and also the search for the arsonist. Friendship is made deep during this trying time for the students and families. A real inspirational book.

A book on families, displaying thankfulness, cheerfulness and a can-do spirit is "Cheaper by the Dozen," by Frank B. Gilbert. This 1963 book about an actual family with 12 children is a fun and inspiring story. If you have not read it, you might consider checking it out. We also have this title in DVD of the original movie made by 20th Century Fox.

The new Steve Martin rendition (20th Century Home Entertainment) of "Cheaper by the Dozen" is funny and brings the issues of family up to the 21st century, but it loses the real message and unique qualities of the original, whose father is extremely attentive to organization and time management.

The interesting thing about this real family is that their background helped direct the children's paths of employment and giftings. Some actually became famous specialists in the study of engineering in time, movement and workplace

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The Pioneer Memorial Library shelves holding our new acquisitions will soon be overflowing like some Thanksgiving dining tables.

New DVD's now available for checkout: "Dora Saves the Snow Princess," "Barbie: A Christmas Carol," "Tinker Bell," "Ice Age: The Meltdown," "Indiana Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull," "Miss Pettigrew Lives for a Day," "Picture This," "Married Life," "Blade II," "Blade Trinity," "Panic Room."

Upcoming Audio "Smoke Screen," by Sandra Brown; "Rough Weather," by Robert B. Parker; "One Fifth Avenue," by Candice Bushnell; "Silks," by Dick Francis; "Salvation in Death," by J.D. Robb; 'Wedding Bells," by Haywood Smith; "Unexpected Love," and "A Daughter's Inheritance," both by Judith Miller and Tracie Peterson; "The Shack," by William P.

Upcoming Fiction Books: "A

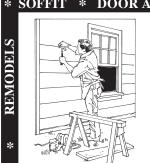
Disguise" Clever by Kathleen Fuller; Delacourt "Miss Speaks her Mind,' by Heidi Ashworth; "Death Walked In," by Carolyn Hart; "Hannah's Dream," by Jerry Eicher; "A Good Woman," by

Danielle Steel; "Just Breathe," by Susan Wiggs; "Llano River Valley," by Kent Conwell; "Divine Justice," by David Baldacci; "Hot Mahogany, by Stuart Woods; "Murder Express," by Robert Scott; "The Rustler," by Linda Lael Miller.

Upcoming Nonfiction Books: "The Teacher Who Couldn't Read," by John Corcoran; "The Ultimate Book of Homeschooling Ideas," by Linda Dobson; "Barris Kustom," by National Street Machine Club; "Recipes from KAFCE," by the Kansas Association for Family and Community Education; "Pro Tem: Presidents Tempore of the United States Senate Since 1789," prepared by the Senate Historical Office.

The library will be open its normal hours on Saturday (9 a.m. -4 p.m.) and Sunday (1 a.m. -4p.m.). Remember our December (Christmas) Booked for Lunch is Wednesday at noon. See you





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