



THANKSGIVING

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Today, I am thanking God for these three things:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____



What does the word **thanksgiving** mean? *Write your answer below.*

Thanksgiving

The story of Thanksgiving is about the adventure and journey to freedom by people that are called the Pilgrims. What is a pilgrim? *Write your answer in the box below.*

Pilgrim

Pilgrim



The people that eventually came to be called Pilgrims were first called Separatists and that is a name that they earned the hard way – they wanted to be separate and protect their beliefs.

[Who Were the Pilgrims?](#)

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What did they want to separate from? *Write your answer below.*



The people that we call Pilgrims were arrested, fined, and harassed in England, just because of the way that they wanted to worship. Through it all, they didn't give up their beliefs – they persevered. Their perseverance helped build America!

What does the word **persevere** mean? *Write your answer below.*

[Definition](#)

Which of the following statements are true about William Brewster? Circle **True** or **False**.

William Brewster



1. He was the captain of the *Mayflower*. **True False**
2. He was a religious leader of the Pilgrims. **True False**
3. The King of England had him arrested. **True False**
4. All of his children and his wife sailed with him on the *Mayflower*. **True False**
5. William Brewster had a child named Wrestling. **True False**

What words do you think describe the Pilgrim, William Brewster? Circle your choices below.

BRAVE

FEARFUL

LAZY

TRAVELER

Faithful

Separatist

CARELESS

crazy

Have you had to have courage before? *Circle your answer below.*



When did you need to have courage? *Draw a picture of that time in the box below.*



“Keep your fears to yourself, but share your courage with others.”

Robert Louis Stevenson