

Family Prayer Inspires Strangers' Shocking Kindness

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A family was going about their morning at a local breakfast restaurant in Oklahoma, bowing their heads to thank God for their sausages, eggs and pancakes.

After their meal, they expected their bill when their waiter handed them a note instead: "Because you prayed, we paid. Continue to raise your sons in Christ. God Bless."

The gesture about had the mother in tears, *KFOR* reports.

"We see a lot of people paying it forward, buying for other people. Especially coming holiday time, we see a lot of that, we do. Because we have really good customers," the restaurant's assistant manager tells the news site.

Paying it forward is a growing trend at restaurants and drive-thrus, as one person paying for another behind them sparks a spirit of giving among customers.

Take an experience last month as an example: A high-school football team decided to pay it forward after another man blessed them with a meal.

"The guy told us to say, 'God bless them,' so we made sure we told them and they were like 'no, God bless him,'" the restaurant owner told *ABC News*. Members of the team then paid for other customers.

The phenomenon also occurred at a Florida Starbucks, where 378 people paid for the person behind them, inspired by the generosity of the previous customers.

As for the Oklahoma family, their gift is going viral. Take a look.