

## PRAYER GUIDE

According to the Word of God, believers can confidently pray in faith with the assurance that God will hear their prayers and provide for the need the believer has expressed. Please note the following scriptures, which express the will of God in regard to the prayers of his children.

### **1 John 5:14,15**

And this is the confidence that we have in him, that, if we ask any thing according to his will, he heareth us: 15 And if we know that he hear us, whatsoever we ask, we know that we have the petitions that we desired of him.

### **Mark 11:23,24**

For verily I say unto you, That whosoever shall say unto this mountain, be thou removed, and be thou cast into the sea; and shall not doubt in his heart, but shall believe that those things which he saith shall come to pass; he shall have whatsoever he saith. 24 Therefore I say unto you, what things soever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them.

### **Matthew 18:18**

Verily I say unto you, whatsoever ye shall bind on earth shall be bound in heaven: and whatsoever ye shall loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven.

### **John 15:7**

If ye abide in me, and my words abide in you, ye shall ask what ye will, and it shall be done unto you.

## PRAYER HELPS

Select a topic below for powerful scriptures to base your faith upon.

### BOLDNESS

**Proverbs 28:1:** "...the righteous are bold as a lion."

**Matthew 10:19:** "But when they deliver you up, take no thought how or what ye shall speak: for it shall be given you in that same hour what ye shall speak."

**Ephesians 6:19:** "And for me, that utterance may be given unto me, that I may open my mouth boldly, to make known the mystery of the gospel."

**Hebrews 4:16:** "Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need."

## CHILDREN

**Proverbs 13:24:** “He that spareth his rod hateth his son: but he that loveth him chasteneth him betimes.”

**Proverbs 22:6:** “Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it.”

**Isaiah 44:3:** “...I will pour my spirit upon thy seed, and my blessing upon thine offspring.”

**Isaiah 54: 13:** “And all thy children shall be taught of the Lord; and great shall be the peace of thy children.”

**Acts 16:31:** “And they said, Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved, and thy house.”

**Ephesians 6:4:** “And, ye fathers, provoke not your children to wrath: but bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord.”

## COMFORT FOR GRIEF/DEATH

**Psalms 116:15:** “Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints.”

**2 Samuel 12:22,23:** “And he said, While the child was yet alive, I fasted and wept: for I said, Who can tell whether God will be gracious to me, that the child may live? But now he is dead, wherefore should I fast? Can I bring him back again? I shall go to him, but he shall not return to me.”

**John 5:25:** “Verily, verily I say unto you, The hour is coming, and now is, when the dead shall hear the voice of the Son of God: and they that shall hear shall live.”

**John 11:25,26:** “Jesus said unto her, I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live: And whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die. Believest thou this?”

**2 Corinthians 5:6:** “Therefore we are always confident, knowing that, whilst we are at home in the body, we are absent from the Lord.”

**Philippians 1:21:** “For to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain.”

## FINANCES for Oneself

**Malachi 3:10:** “Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be meat in mine house, and prove me now herewith, saith the Lord of hosts, if I will not open you

the windows of heaven, and pour you out a blessing, that there shall not be room enough to receive it.”

**Luke 6:38:** “Give, and it shall be given unto you; good measure, pressed down, and shaken together, and running over, shall men give into your bosom. For with the same measure that ye mete withal it shall be measured to you again.”

**Prayer:** In the Name of Jesus, I/we break the power of the devil over my/our finances. Go, ministering spirits, and cause the money to come. A tither and a giver has every right to claim the blessings of God. Thank You, Father, that all my/our needs are abundantly met. In Jesus’ Name, Amen.

### FINANCES for Another

Use the same scriptures as listed in [FINANCES for Oneself](#).

**Prayer:** We break the power of the devil over the finances of those in financial difficulty and claim deliverance. Go, ministering spirits, and cause the money to come. Thank You, Father. In Jesus’ Name, Amen.

### FAVOR

**Proverbs 3:1,3,4:** “My son, forget not my law; but let thine heart keep my commandments...Let not mercy and truth forsake thee: bind them about thy neck; write them upon the table of thine heart: So shalt thou find favour and good understanding in the sight of God and man.”

**Proverbs 16:7:** “When a man’s ways please the Lord, he maketh even his enemies to be at peace with him.”

### FEAR

**Psalms 27:1:** “The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? the Lord is the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?”

**Psalms 34:4:** “I sought the Lord, and he heard me, and delivered me from all my fears.”

**Psalms 91:5:** “Thou shalt not be afraid for the terror by night; for the arrow that flieth by day.”

**Isaiah 41:10:** “Fear thou not; for I am with thee: be not dismayed; for I am thy God: I will strengthen thee; yea, I will help thee; yea, I will uphold thee with the right hand of my righteousness.”

**Romans 8:15:** “For ye have not received the spirit of bondage again to fear...”

**2 Timothy 1:7:** “For God hath not given us a spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind.”

**1 John 4:18:** “There is no fear in love; but perfect love casteth out fear: because fear hath torment. He that feareth is not made perfect in love.”

### HEALING for Oneself

**1 Peter 2:24:** “Who his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree, that we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness: by whose stripes ye were healed.”

**Romans 8:11:** “But if the Spirit of him that raised up Jesus from the dead dwell in you, he that raised up Christ from the dead shall also quicken your mortal bodies by his Spirit that dwelleth in you.”

Also: **Matthew 8:17, Isaiah 53:4,5, Psalm 103:3,**

**Prayer:** According to Your Word, Father, healing belongs to me. Jesus took my infirmities and bore my sickness. I claim healing of this sickness and infirmity right now, In Jesus’ Name. Thank You, Father, that You hear me. According to your Word it is done. Thank You, Lord, that the healing power of God is at work in my body and the healing process begins now. Thank You, Father. In Jesus’ Name, Amen.

### HEALING for Another

Use the same scriptures as listed in [HEALING for Oneself](#).

**Prayer:** In the Name of Jesus we pray for . We command sickness to leave ’s body. Thank You, Father, for quickening his/ her body by Your Holy Spirit. We pray that the Holy Spirit shall enlighten the eyes of ’s understanding so that he/she would see that healing has already been purchased for him/ her by Jesus. Thank You, Father. In Jesus’ Name, Amen.

### JOB/WORK

**Proverbs 10:4:** “He becometh poor that dealeth with a slack hand: but the hand of the diligent maketh rich.”

**Proverbs 21:5:** “The thoughts of the diligent tend only to plenteousness; but every one that is hasty only to want.”

**1 Thessalonians 4:11,12:** “And that ye study to be quiet, and to do your own business, and to work with your own hands, as we commanded you; That ye may walk honestly toward them that are without, and that ye may have lack of nothing.”

**Titus 3:14:** “And let ours also learn to maintain good works for necessary uses, that they be not unfruitful.”

### [MARRIAGE for Oneself](#)

**Ephesians 5:22,25:** “Wives, submit yourselves unto your own husband, as unto the Lord...Husbands, love your wives, even as Christ also loved the church, and gave himself for it.”

**Philippians 1:9:** “And this I pray, that your love may abound yet more and more in knowledge and in all judgment.”

**2 Corinthians 4:4:** “In whom the god of this world hath blinded the minds of them which believe not, lest the light of the glorious gospel of Christ, who is the image of God, should shine unto them.”

**1 Corinthians 13:4-8a:** “Charity suffereth long, and is kind; charity envieth not; charity vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up, Doth not behave itself unseemly, seeketh not her own, is not easily provoked, thinketh no evil; Rejoiceth not in iniquity but rejoiceth in the truth; Beareth all things, believeth all things, hopeth all things, endureth all things. Charity never faileth”

**Prayer:** Father God, we pray that this marriage will be restored. We break the power of the devil that would try to wreck homes, and we command Satan to stop in his maneuvers in the Name of Jesus. Thank You, Father, for victory in this marriage. In Jesus’ Name, Amen.

### [MARRIAGE for Another](#)

Use the same scriptures as listed in [MARRIAGE for Oneself](#).

**Prayer:** Father God, we pray that this home and this marriage will be restored. We pray that this husband and wife will be willing to surrender themselves unto You and to obey the Word of God. We break the power of the devil that would wreck homes, and we command Satan to stop in his maneuvers in the name of Jesus. Father, we pray that You will send the right people to this couple to instruct them according to the Word of God. Thank You, Father, for victory in this marriage. In the Name of Jesus, Amen.

### [PRAYER FOR THE PASTORS](#)

**Ephesians 6:19-20:** "That utterance may be given unto them, that they may open their mouths boldly, to make known the mystery of the gospel. ...and that they may speak boldly as they ought to speak.

**1 Corinthians 2:4-5:** "And that their speech and their preaching is not with enticing words of man's wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit and power: That our faith should not stand in the wisdom of men, but in the power of God.

**Acts 4:29-30:** "Now Lord...grant unto thy servants, that with all boldness they may speak thy word. By stretching forth thine hand to heal: and that signs and wonders may be done by the name of Thy holy child Jesus.

## PROSPERITY

**Joshua 1:8:** "This book of the law shall not depart out of thy mouth: but thou shalt meditate therein day and night, that thou mayest observe to do according to all that is written therein: for then thou shalt make thy way prosperous, and then thou shalt have good success."

**Job 36:11:** "If they obey and serve him, they shall spend their days in prosperity, and their years in pleasures."

**Psalms 67:5,6:** "Let the people praise thee, O God; let all the people praise thee. Then shall the earth yield her increase; and God, even our own God, shall bless us."

**Proverbs 3:9,10:** "Honour the Lord with thy substance, and with the firstfruits of all thine increase: So shall thy barns be filled with plenty, and thy presses shall burst out with new wine."

**3 John 2:** "Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospereth."

## PROTECTION

**Psalms 34:7:** "The angel of the Lord encampeth round about them that fear him, and delivereth them."

**Psalms 91:9-11:** "Because thou hast made the Lord, which is my refuge, even the most High, thy habitation; There shall no evil befall thee, neither shall any plague come nigh thy dwelling. For he shall give his angels charge over thee, to keep thee in all thy ways."

**Proverbs 1:33:** "But whoso hearkeneth unto me shall dwell safely, and shall be quiet from fear of evil."

**Proverbs 3:25,26:** "Be not afraid of sudden fear, neither of the desolation of the wicked when it cometh. For the Lord shall be thy confidence and shall keep thy foot from being taken."

## PROTECTION/HOME

**Proverbs 3:33:** “The curse of the Lord is in the house of the wicked: but he blesseth the habitation of the just.”

**Proverbs 12:7:** “The wicked are overthrown, and are not: but the house of the righteous shall stand.”

**Psalms 91:10:** “There shall no evil befall thee, neither shall any plague come nigh thy dwelling.”

**Psalms 122:7:** “Peace be within thy walls, and prosperity within thy palaces.”

## RESISTING SATAN

**Ephesians 4:27:** “Neither give place to the devil.”

**James 4:7:** “Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.”

**1 Peter 5:8,9:** “Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour: Whom resist steadfast in the faith...”

## SUICIDE

**Psalms 42:11:** “Why art thou cast down, O my soul? And why art thou disquieted within me? hope thou in God; for I shall yet praise him, who is the health of my countenance, and my God.”

**Psalms 34:1,7:** “I will bless the Lord at all times: his praise shall continually be in my mouth... The angel of the Lord encampeth round about them that fear him, and delivereth them.”

**John 10:10:** “The thief cometh not, but for to steal, and to kill, and to destroy: I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly.”

**1 John 4:4:** “Ye are of God, little children, and have overcome them: because greater is he that is in you, than he that is in the world.”

**Romans 8:37-39:** “Nay, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him that loved us. For I am persuaded that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come. Nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.”

**Psalm 91:15,16:** “He shall call upon me, and I will answer him: I will be with him in trouble; I will deliver him, and honour him. With long life will I satisfy him, and shew him my salvation.”

**Isaiah 54:14,17:** “In righteousness shalt thou be established: thou shalt be far from oppression; for thou shalt not fear: and from terror; for it shall not come near thee...No weapon that is formed against thee shall prosper; and every tongue that shall rise against thee in judgment thou shalt condemn. This is the heritage of the servants of the Lord, and their righteousness is of me, saith the Lord.”

## WISDOM

**James 1:5:** “If any of you lack wisdom, let him ask of God, that giveth to all men liberally and upbraideth not; and it shall be given to him.”

**1 Corinthians 1:30:** “But of him are ye in Christ Jesus, who of God is made unto us wisdom, and righteousness, and sanctification, and redemption.”

**Luke 21:15:** “For I will give you a mouth and wisdom, which all your adversaries shall not be able to gainsay nor resist.”

**Ephesians 1:8:** “Wherein he hath abounded toward us in all wisdom and prudence.”

**Ephesians 1:17-18:** “That the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give unto you the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of him: The eyes of your understanding being enlightened; that ye may know what is the hope of his calling, and what the riches of the glory of his inheritance in the saints.”

**Psalms 119:130:** “The entrance of thy words giveth light; it giveth understanding unto the simple.”

**Proverbs 2:6,7:** “For the LORD giveth wisdom: out of his mouth cometh knowledge and understanding. He layeth up sound wisdom for the righteous: he is a buckler to them that walk uprightly.”

## WISDOM AND GUIDANCE for Oneself

**John 16:13:** “Howbeit when he, the Spirit of truth is come, he will guide you into all truth: for he shall not speak of himself...”

**1 Corinthians 1:30:** “But of him are ye in Christ Jesus, who of God is made unto us wisdom...”

**Psalm 119:130:** “The entrance of thy words giveth light; it giveth understanding unto the simple.”



**Ephesians 1:17:** “That God...may give unto you the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of him.”

**Prayer:** Father, in the Name of Jesus, I claim the wisdom, guidance, and direction that I need. Thank You that You hear me when I pray. I thank You for the answer. Thank You that the Holy Spirit is guiding me into all truth, giving wisdom and direction. I praise You for it! In Jesus' Name, Amen.

#### **WISDOM AND GUIDANCE for Another**

Use the same scriptures as listed in [WISDOM AND GUIDANCE for Oneself](#).

**Prayer:** We pray, Father, for this one who needs wisdom. We pray that You will impart the wisdom, guidance, and direction that needs in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.



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