

PRAYER verses from the Bible (some, not all)

[Philippians 4:6](#) ESV

Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God.

[Mark 11:24](#) ESV

Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours.

[Romans 8:26](#) ESV

Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness. For we do not know what to pray for as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with groanings too deep for words.

[Matthew 6:6](#) ESV

But when you pray, go into your room and shut the door and pray to your Father who is in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you.

[John 15:7](#) ESV

If you abide in me, and my words abide in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be done for you.

[1 Thessalonians 5:17](#) ESV

Pray without ceasing,

[James 5:16](#) ESV

Therefore, confess your sins to one another and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person has great power as it is working.

[Matthew 6:7](#) ESV

“And when you pray, do not heap up empty phrases as the Gentiles do, for they think that they will be heard for their many words.

[Jeremiah 33:3](#) ESV

Call to me and I will answer you, and will tell you great and hidden things that you have not known.

[Matthew 26:41](#) ESV

Watch and pray that you may not enter into temptation. The spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak.”

[Colossians 4:2](#) ESV

Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it with thanksgiving.

[Ephesians 6:18](#) ESV

Praying at all times in the Spirit, with all prayer and supplication. To that end, keep alert with all perseverance, making supplication for all the saints,

[Luke 11:9](#) ESV

And I tell you, ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you.

[Jeremiah 29:12](#) ESV

Then you will call upon me and come and pray to me, and I will hear you.

[Matthew 6:9-13](#) ESV

Pray then like this: “Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

[1 John 5:14](#) ESV

And this is the confidence that we have toward him, that if we ask anything according to his will he hears us.

[Luke 18:1](#) ESV

And he told them a parable to the effect that they ought always to pray and not lose heart.

[Romans 12:12](#) ESV

Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer.

[Philippians 4:6-7](#) ESV

Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

[1 Timothy 2:1-4](#) ESV

First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people, for kings and all who are in high positions, that we may lead a peaceful and quiet life, godly and dignified in every way. This is good, and it is pleasing in the sight of God our Savior, who desires all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth.

[1 Timothy 2:8](#) ESV

I desire then that in every place the men should pray, lifting holy hands without anger or quarreling;

[Matthew 6:5-8](#) ESV

“And when you pray, you must not be like the hypocrites. For they love to stand and pray in the synagogues and at the street corners, that they may be seen by others. Truly, I say to you, they have received their reward. But when you pray, go into your room and shut the door and pray to your Father who is in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you. “And when you pray, do not heap up empty phrases as the Gentiles do, for they think that they will be heard for their many words. Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him.

[Psalm 34:17](#) ESV

When the righteous cry for help, the LORD hears and delivers them out of all their troubles.

[Psalm 145:18](#) ESV

The LORD is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth.

[2 Chronicles 7:14](#) ESV

If my people who are called by my name humble themselves, and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and heal their land.

[1 Timothy 2:5](#) ESV

For there is one God, and there is one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus,

[Matthew 21:22](#) ESV

And whatever you ask in prayer, you will receive, if you have faith.”

[Luke 6:27-28](#) ESV

“But I say to you who hear, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you.

[1 Thessalonians 5:16-18](#) ESV

Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

[Hebrews 4:16](#) ESV

Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

[1 John 5:15](#) ESV

And if we know that he hears us in whatever we ask, we know that we have the requests that we have asked of him.

[Acts 1:14](#) ESV

All these with one accord were devoting themselves to prayer, together with the women and Mary the mother of Jesus, and his brothers.

[Matthew 5:44](#) ESV

But I say to you, Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you,

[1 John 5:14-15](#) ESV

And this is the confidence that we have toward him, that if we ask anything according to his will he hears us. And if we know that he hears us in whatever we ask, we know that we have the requests that we have asked of him.

[James 4:3](#) ESV

You ask and do not receive, because you ask wrongly, to spend it on your passions.

[Psalm 5:3](#) ESV

O LORD, in the morning you hear my voice; in the morning I prepare a sacrifice for you and watch.

[John 14:13](#) ESV

Whatever you ask in my name, this I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son.

[Acts 2:42](#) ESV

And they devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers.

[James 4:2](#) ESV

You desire and do not have, so you murder. You covet and cannot obtain, so you fight and quarrel. You do not have, because you do not ask.

[James 1:6](#) ESV

But let him ask in faith, with no doubting, for the one who doubts is like a wave of the sea that is driven and tossed by the wind.

[Psalm 18:6](#) ESV

In my distress I called upon the LORD; to my God I cried for help. From his temple he heard my voice, and my cry to him reached his ears.

[1 John 1:9](#) ESV

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

[Psalm 66:17](#) ESV

I cried to him with my mouth, and high praise was on my tongue.

[John 15:16](#) ESV

You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit and that your fruit should abide, so that whatever you ask the Father in my name, he may give it to you.

[1 Peter 3:12](#) ESV

For the eyes of the Lord are on the righteous, and his ears are open to their prayer. But the face of the Lord is against those who do evil.”

[Mark 11:25](#) ESV

And whenever you stand praying, forgive, if you have anything against anyone, so that your Father also who is in heaven may forgive you your trespasses.”

[Matthew 18:20](#) ESV

For where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I among them.”

[Proverbs 15:29](#) ESV

The LORD is far from the wicked, but he hears the prayer of the righteous.

[1 Peter 4:7](#) ESV

The end of all things is at hand; therefore be self-controlled and sober-minded for the sake of your prayers.

[James 5:14-15](#) ESV

Is anyone among you sick? Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord. And the prayer of faith will save the one who is sick, and the Lord will raise him up. And if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven.

[Matthew 18:19-20](#) ESV

Again I say to you, if two of you agree on earth about anything they ask, it will be done for them by my Father in heaven. For where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I among them.”

[Psalm 141:2](#) ESV

Let my prayer be counted as incense before you, and the lifting up of my hands as the evening sacrifice!

[Matthew 7:7](#) ESV

“Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you.

[Matthew 6:1-34](#) ESV

“Beware of practicing your righteousness before other people in order to be seen by them, for then you will have no reward from your Father who is in heaven. “Thus, when you give to the needy, sound no trumpet before you, as the hypocrites do in the synagogues and in the streets, that they may be praised by others. Truly, I say to you, they have received their reward. But when you give to the needy, do not let your left hand know what your right hand is doing, so that your giving may be in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you. “And when you pray, you must not be like the hypocrites. For they love to stand and pray in the synagogues and at the street corners, that they may be seen by others. Truly, I say to you, they have received their reward. ...

[Ezra 8:23](#) ESV

So we fasted and implored our God for this, and he listened to our entreaty.

[1 John 3:22](#) ESV

And whatever we ask we receive from him, because we keep his commandments and do what pleases him.

[Acts 4:31](#) ESV

And when they had prayed, the place in which they were gathered together was shaken, and they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and continued to speak the word of God with boldness.

[Luke 6:12](#) ESV

In these days he went out to the mountain to pray, and all night he continued in prayer to God.

[1 Peter 3:7](#) ESV

Likewise, husbands, live with your wives in an understanding way, showing honor to the woman as the weaker vessel, since they are heirs with you of the grace of life, so that your prayers may not be hindered.

[Psalm 118:5](#) ESV

Out of my distress I called on the LORD; the LORD answered me and set me free.

[1 Chronicles 16:11](#) ESV

Seek the LORD and his strength; seek his presence continually!

[Acts 16:25](#) ESV

About midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the prisoners were listening to them,

[Psalm 39:12](#) ESV

“Hear my prayer, O LORD, and give ear to my cry; hold not your peace at my tears! For I am a sojourner with you, a guest, like all my fathers.

[Psalm 4:1](#) ESV

To the choirmaster: with stringed instruments. A Psalm of David. Answer me when I call, O God of my righteousness! You have given me relief when I was in distress. Be gracious to me and hear my prayer!

[Mark 1:35](#) ESV

And rising very early in the morning, while it was still dark, he departed and went out to a desolate place, and there he prayed.

[Psalm 42:1-48:14](#) ESV

To the choirmaster. A Maskil of the Sons of Korah. As a deer pants for flowing streams, so pants my soul for you, O God. My soul thirsts for God, for the living God. When shall I come and appear before God? My tears have been my food day and night, while they say to me all the day long, "Where is your God?" These things I remember, as I pour out my soul: how I would go with the throng and lead them in procession to the house of God with glad shouts and songs of praise, a multitude keeping festival. Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you in turmoil within me? Hope in God; for I shall again praise him, my salvation ...

[Acts 12:5](#) ESV

So Peter was kept in prison, but earnest prayer for him was made to God by the church.

[Luke 11:1](#) ESV

Now Jesus was praying in a certain place, and when he finished, one of his disciples said to him, "Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples."

[1 Timothy 2:1-2](#) ESV

First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people, for kings and all who are in high positions, that we may lead a peaceful and quiet life, godly and dignified in every way.

[James 5:13](#) ESV

Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing praise.

[Matthew 6:9](#) ESV

Pray then like this: "Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.

[Psalm 19:14](#) ESV

Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, O LORD, my rock and my redeemer.

[Psalm 66:18](#) ESV

If I had cherished iniquity in my heart, the Lord would not have listened.

[Luke 9:16-17](#) ESV

And taking the five loaves and the two fish, he looked up to heaven and said a blessing over them. Then he broke the loaves and gave them to the disciples to set before the crowd. And they all ate and were satisfied. And what was left over was picked up, twelve baskets of broken pieces.

[Job 42:10](#) ESV

And the LORD restored the fortunes of Job, when he had prayed for his friends. And the LORD gave Job twice as much as he had before.

[Hebrews 5:7](#) ESV

In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to him who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverence.

[Matthew 6:1-13:58](#) ESV

“Beware of practicing your righteousness before other people in order to be seen by them, for then you will have no reward from your Father who is in heaven. “Thus, when you give to the needy, sound no trumpet before you, as the hypocrites do in the synagogues and in the streets, that they may be praised by others. Truly, I say to you, they have received their reward. But when you give to the needy, do not let your left hand know what your right hand is doing, so that your giving may be in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you. “And when you pray, you must not be like the hypocrites. For they love to stand and pray in the synagogues and at the street corners, that they may be seen by others. Truly, I say to you, they have received their reward. ...

[Zechariah 10:6](#) ESV

“I will strengthen the house of Judah, and I will save the house of Joseph. I will bring them back because I have compassion on them, and they shall be as though I had not rejected them, for I am the LORD their God and I will answer them.

[1 John 5:16](#) ESV

If anyone sees his brother committing a sin not leading to death, he shall ask, and God will give him life—to those who commit sins that do not lead to death. There is sin that leads to death; I do not say that one should pray for that.

[James 5:13-18](#) ESV

Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing praise. Is anyone among you sick? Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord. And the prayer of faith will save the one who is sick, and the Lord will raise him up. And if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven. Therefore, confess your sins to one another and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person has great power as it is working. Elijah was a man with a nature like ours, and he prayed fervently that it might not rain, and for three years and six months it did not rain on the earth. ...

[Matthew 6:9-10](#) ESV

Pray then like this: “Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

[Psalm 55:17](#) ESV

Evening and morning and at noon I utter my complaint and moan, and he hears my voice.

[James 5:14](#) ESV

Is anyone among you sick? Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord.

[Luke 18:1-8](#) ESV

And he told them a parable to the effect that they ought always to pray and not lose heart. He said, “In a certain city there was a judge who neither feared God nor respected man. And there was a widow in that city who kept coming to him and saying, ‘Give me justice against my adversary.’ For a while he refused, but afterward he said to himself, ‘Though I neither fear God nor respect man, yet because this widow keeps bothering me, I will give her justice, so that she will not beat me down by her continual coming.’” ...

[John 14:13-14](#) ESV

Whatever you ask in my name, this I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If you ask me anything in my name, I will do it.

[John 9:31](#) ESV

We know that God does not listen to sinners, but if anyone is a worshiper of God and does his will, God listens to him.

[James 1:5](#) ESV

If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask God, who gives generously to all without reproach, and it will be given him.

[Proverbs 28:9](#) ESV

If one turns away his ear from hearing the law, even his prayer is an abomination.

[Matthew 21:22-23](#) ESV

And whatever you ask in prayer, you will receive, if you have faith.” And when he entered the temple, the chief priests and the elders of the people came up to him as he was teaching, and said, “By what authority are you doing these things, and who gave you this authority?”

[Proverbs 15:8](#) ESV

The sacrifice of the wicked is an abomination to the LORD, but the prayer of the upright is acceptable to him.

[Luke 1:37](#) ESV

For nothing will be impossible with God.”