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“.... Morning by morning he awakens me and opens my understanding to his will. The Sovereign Lord has spoken to me, and I have listened...”

- Isaiah 50:4-5 (NLT)

INTRODUCTION



This unique devotional is birthed by the inspiration of the Spirit of God, with the aim of awakening you to God's purposes and realities for your life. Awake Daily Devotional will encourage you and help establish a Bible study routine, making it easier to remain consistent in studying God's Word. It will enhance your spiritual growth, build your faith, deepen your understanding of Scripture, and enrich your Christian living.

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As you read this devotional, I pray you experience the incredible hope and joy that come from God. May you walk in divine alignment, fulfill your purpose in Christ, and bear fruitful seeds for God's glory, in Jesus' name. Amen!

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AN AGENT OF NATION BUILDING

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Wednesday, July 1, 2026

*“Seek the peace of the city whither I have caused you to be carried away captives, and pray unto the Lord for it: for in the peace thereof shall ye have peace.” — **Jeremiah 29:7***

Many people desire a better nation, but few stop to ask an important question: *What am I contributing to the nation where God has placed me?* It is easy to point out what is wrong with a nation. It is easy to criticize leaders, complain about corruption, blame systems, and discuss societal problems. But God calls His people to do more than complain. He calls them to become agents of positive change.

An agent is someone who acts on behalf of another to accomplish a purpose. you are God's representative wherever He has placed you. Whether in your workplace, neighborhood, church, business, school, or community, God expects your presence to make a difference.

Nation building does not begin in government offices alone. It begins with individuals who choose integrity when dishonesty is common. It begins with people who treat others fairly, keep their word, work diligently, and live according to godly values.

Daniel was an agent of nation building in Babylon. Although he lived in a foreign land, he served with excellence, integrity, and wisdom. Joseph did the same in Egypt. Neither man held the

highest position initially, yet their influence brought stability, solutions, and progress to the nations they served. The truth is that every believer has influence.

You build a nation when you raise godly children. You build a nation when you refuse corruption. You build a nation when you serve faithfully in your profession. You build a nation when you strengthen your community instead of contributing to its problems. Small acts of faithfulness often produce greater impact than people realize.

Jesus said that believers are the salt of the earth and the light of the world. Salt preserves. Light illuminates. Wherever God places you, He expects you to bring positive influence and godly values into that environment. Do not wait until you hold a prominent position before making a difference. Nation building begins with the choices you make every day. It begins with how you live, how you work, how you serve, and how you treat people.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

I declare that I am an agent of positive change wherever God has placed me. My life will contribute to the peace, progress, and development of my community and nation. I walk in integrity, excellence, and wisdom. The Lord will use me to bring solutions, encouragement, and transformation to the people around me. In Jesus' Name. Amen..

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Jeremiah 29:7; Matthew 5:13–16; Daniel 6:3	1 Chr 21-22

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BE A PATRIOTIC CITIZEN OF YOUR NATION

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Thursday, July 2, 2026

*“Render therefore unto Caesar the things which are Caesar’s; and unto God the things that are God’s.” — **Matthew 22:21***

Patriotism is more than waving a flag, singing a national anthem, or celebrating national holidays. Patriotism is a genuine love for one's nation expressed through responsibility, respect, contribution, and a desire to see the nation prosper. A patriotic citizen does not simply enjoy the benefits of a nation; he also seeks its progress and well-being.

As believers, our ultimate citizenship is in heaven, but God has also placed us within earthly nations for a purpose. The nation where you live is not an accident. God expects you to be a blessing wherever He has planted you. This means praying for your nation, obeying lawful authority, contributing positively to society, and seeking the welfare of the people around you.

Unfortunately, many people speak negatively about their nation while doing little to improve it. Complaining is easy. Contributing requires responsibility. Every nation has challenges, and areas that need improvement. Yet, nations move forward when citizens choose to become part of the solution rather than observers of the problem. Jeremiah instructed God's people to seek the peace and prosperity of the city where they lived because their own well-being was connected to the well-being of that city. That principle still applies today. When communities

become safer, families benefit. When justice prevails, society becomes stronger. When citizens contribute positively, the entire nation moves forward.

Being patriotic also means living with integrity. Dishonesty, corruption, laziness, and disregard for others damage communities and hinder national progress. Every act of integrity, excellence, and responsibility contributes to building a healthier society. Daniel is a great example of this. Although he lived in Babylon, he served faithfully, worked diligently, and became known for excellence. His commitment to God did not make him a poor citizen. Instead, it made him a valuable contributor to the nation where God had placed him.

You may not hold public office or occupy a position of influence, but your daily choices still matter. The way you work, the way you treat people, the way you raise your family, and the way you serve your community all contribute to the kind of nation you help create. A strong nation is built by responsible citizens. And a patriotic believer understands that loving God and contributing positively to society can go hand in hand.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

I declare that I will be a responsible and patriotic citizen wherever God has placed me. I will contribute positively to my community and nation through integrity, diligence, and godly character. My life will contribute to the well-being and development of society. In Jesus' Name. Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Matthew 22:21; Jeremiah 29:7; Romans 13:1-7	1 Chr 23-25; Acts 9

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PRAY FOR YOUR LEADERS



Friday, July 3, 2026

“I exhort therefore, that, first of all, supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks, be made for all men; For kings, and for all that are in authority...”

— **1 Timothy 2:1–2**

One of the responsibilities God gives believers is to pray for those in positions of leadership. Whether they are political leaders, church leaders, community leaders, or leaders within your workplace, they carry responsibilities that affect many lives. Decisions made by leaders often influence families, communities, organizations, and even entire nations.

Yet leadership is not as easy as it often appears from the outside. Many people are quick to criticize leaders, but few understand the weight of the responsibility they carry. Leaders face pressures, challenges, opposition, and decisions that others may never see. They need wisdom. They need discernment. They need strength. Most importantly, they need God's help.

This is why Scripture commands us to pray for them. Notice that Paul did not say pray only for leaders you agree with. He instructed believers to pray for those in authority. Prayer allows God to work in ways that criticism alone never can. When you pray for leaders, you are asking God to guide their decisions, protect them from error, and give them wisdom to fulfill their responsibilities properly.

Moses needed prayer. David needed prayer. Nehemiah needed prayer. Even the Apostle Paul repeatedly asked believers to pray for him. No leader becomes effective without God's help. When leaders lack wisdom, people often suffer the consequences. But when leaders receive divine direction, those under their care benefit from their decisions. **Proverbs 11:14** says, *“Where no counsel is, the people fall.”*

Godly wisdom in leadership affects everyone connected to that leadership. This applies not only to national leaders but also to spiritual leaders. Pastors, ministers, and church leaders face spiritual battles that are often unseen. They have the responsibility of caring for people, teaching truth, and providing spiritual direction. Instead of speaking against them carelessly, believers should regularly lift them before God in prayer.

Imagine how much stronger families, churches, communities, and nations would become if believers consistently prayed for their leaders. Before you criticize a leader, pray for them. A praying people become a blessing to their leaders, and godly leadership becomes a blessing to the people.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

I declare that I will faithfully pray for those whom God has placed in positions of leadership. I ask the Lord to fill them with wisdom, discernment, integrity, and courage. God will strengthen them, protect them, and help them fulfill their responsibilities effectively In Jesus' Name. Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
1 Timothy 2:1–2; Proverbs 11:14; Hebrews 13:17	1 Chr 26-27

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PRAY FOR YOUR NATION

Saturday, July 4, 2026

“Therefore, that, first of all, supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks, be made for all men; For kings, and for all that are in authority...” — 1 Timothy 2:1-2

Every nation is shaped not only by its leaders and policies but also by the spiritual condition of its people. This is why God calls believers to pray for their nation. Prayer is not merely a religious activity; it is a spiritual responsibility. Through prayer, believers partner with God to influence the atmosphere of their communities, cities, and nations.

It is easy to complain about what is wrong in a nation. People complain about government, insecurity, corruption, economic challenges, and moral decline. While these concerns may be real, Scripture does not instruct believers to respond only with criticism. It calls them to intercede. Prayer allows you to stand in the gap for your nation.

When Abraham prayed, cities were affected. When Elijah prayed, a nation experienced both judgment and restoration. When Daniel prayed, spiritual activity was stirred concerning the future of his people. Throughout Scripture, God consistently worked through men and women who carried their nations before Him in prayer.

A nation is more than its government. It is made up of families, communities, churches, businesses, schools, and institutions.

When you pray for your nation, you are praying for the lives of millions of people. You are asking God to bring wisdom to leaders, righteousness to communities, protection to citizens, and spiritual awakening to the land.

The condition of a nation can change when God's people pray. **2 Chronicles 7:14** says, *"If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray... then will I hear from heaven."* God did not place the responsibility upon politicians alone. He called His people to seek Him.

Never underestimate the power of praying for your nation. Your prayers may never appear in the news. Your intercession may never receive public recognition. Yet, heaven hears every sincere prayer offered on behalf of a people and a land. Instead of speaking only about the problems around you, become someone who carries your nation before God regularly. Nations need believers who pray more than they complain. A praying church becomes a blessing to its nation.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

I declare that I will stand in the gap for my nation through prayer. I pray for righteousness, peace, justice, and the fear of the Lord to prevail in the land. I declare that God will grant wisdom to those in authority and raise leaders who will govern with integrity. My nation shall experience God's mercy, protection, and divine intervention. In Jesus' Name. Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
1 Timothy 2:1–2; 2 Chronicles 7:14; Jeremiah 29:7	1 Chr 28-29; Acts 10

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**YOU ARE A
BLESSING**

Sunday, July 5, 2026

*“And I will make of thee a great nation, and I will bless thee, and make thy name great; and thou shalt be a blessing” - **Genesis 12:2 KJV***

God's desire has never been only to bless His people for themselves alone. From the beginning, His plan was that those who receive His grace would become channels of blessing to others. When God spoke to Abraham, He did not stop at “I will bless thee”; He also said, “thou shalt be a blessing.” This reveals the heart of God concerning every believer. The word “blessing” comes from the Hebrew word *berakah*, which refers to favor, benefit, and divine goodness. A blessed person is not simply someone with material possessions. It is someone whose life reflects the grace and kindness of God to others.

As a child of God, you were created to impact lives positively. Through your words, actions, prayers, and compassion, others should experience the love of Christ. God can use you to encourage someone who feels weary, strengthen someone going through difficulty, or bring hope to a person who feels forgotten.

Many people spend their lives asking, “Who will bless me?” while forgetting that God has already placed something valuable within them for the benefit of others. There is grace on your life that can uplift people around you. Sometimes, the

greatest blessing is not financial help but a timely word of encouragement, sincere compassion, or simply being present for someone in need.

Jesus lived as a blessing everywhere He went. He healed the sick, comforted the brokenhearted, and revealed the love of the Father to people who felt rejected and hopeless. His life demonstrated what it means to carry God's goodness into the lives of others.

Never underestimate the impact your life can have. One act of kindness can restore hope to someone having a difficult day. One prayer can strengthen a discouraged heart. One conversation filled with grace can remind a person that God has not forgotten them.

The more you walk with God, the more His nature becomes visible through your life. A believer who understands they are blessed by God should also desire to bless others freely. God's blessings are meant to flow through you and not stop with you.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

Father, thank You for blessing my life and filling me with Your goodness. Help me become a source of encouragement and hope to those around me. Teach me to reflect the character of Christ daily and use my life for Your glory. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Acts 20:35; 2 Corinthians 9:8 RSV; Matthew 5:16	2 Chr 1-3

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**YOU CAN MAKE A
DIFFERENCE**

Monday, July 6, 2026

*Let your light so shine before men, that they may see
your good works, and glorify your Father which is
in heaven - **Matthew 5:16, KJV***

Never think your life is insignificant or without purpose. God created every believer to influence the world around them and reveal His goodness to others. No matter where you are today, you have the ability to make a difference through the life of Christ in you.

Many people assume impact only comes through large platforms, public recognition, or great achievements. But often, the greatest changes begin through simple acts of obedience, kindness, encouragement, faith, and love. One word spoken at the right time can strengthen a discouraged heart. One act of compassion can restore hope to someone who feels forgotten.

Jesus told us to let our light shine before men. This means you should not hide the life and nature of Christ within you. The word “light” comes from the Greek word *phōs*, which refers to illumination, brightness, or that which makes things visible. God placed His light within you so others can see His love, truth, and grace through your life.

Everywhere Jesus went, He brought transformation. He lifted the broken, comforted the hurting, healed the sick, and gave hope to the hopeless. As His followers, we are called to carry

that same spirit of love and compassion into our world.

You may not realize how much your attitude, prayers, generosity, encouragement, and example affect people around you. There are individuals whose lives can change simply because you chose to obey God and reflect His character. Never underestimate the impact of a yielded life.

Sometimes, the world around us could be dark, difficult, or discouraging. But light becomes most noticeable in darkness. God positioned you in your family, workplace, school, church, and community for a reason. Through you, someone can encounter peace, wisdom, healing, or encouragement.

Do not wait until everything is perfect before deciding to serve God wholeheartedly. Start where you are. Use what God has already placed in your hands. The Holy Spirit can use your gifts, your voice, your resources, and your compassion to touch lives in remarkable ways. Choose every day to be intentional about reflecting Christ. As you do, your life will become a testimony of God's grace and a blessing to many.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

Father, thank You for making my life a vessel of light and blessing. Help me to influence others with Your love, wisdom, and compassion. Teach me to recognize opportunities to encourage, uplift, and minister hope to those around me. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Philippians 2:15; Ephesians 5:8-9; 1 Timothy 4:12	2 Chr 4-5; Acts 11

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**CHRIST IS YOUR
HIDING PLACE**
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Tuesday, July 7, 2026

“For thou art my hiding place; thou shalt preserve me from trouble...” — Psalm 32:7

There are moments in life when your heart becomes tired from pressure, uncertainty, and spiritual battles. Sometimes, situations rise suddenly and leave you searching for peace and stability. In those moments, many people run toward distractions or human comfort, but the believer has a refuge that never fails.

Christ is your hiding place. A hiding place is a place of safety. It is where a person runs when danger appears. Throughout Scripture, God continually revealed Himself as a refuge for His people. David understood this deeply. He faced betrayal, opposition, and difficult seasons, yet he continually returned to God because he knew true safety was found in His presence.

There are battles that cannot be handled through human strength alone. There are moments when your mind feels overwhelmed and your emotions feel unsettled. Yet, even during those seasons, the presence of God can become a place of inward rest. Sometimes, God may not remove the storm immediately, but He preserves you while you walk through it.

You may have experienced seasons where the pressure should have broken you completely; yet, somehow, you remained standing. Your strength may have felt weak, but God continued

sustaining you quietly. That is what happens when Christ becomes your hiding place.

Many people withdraw from God during difficult seasons when they actually need Him the most. But the secret place is where strength is renewed again. It is where fear begins to lose its grip. It is where the heart becomes steady after being troubled for so long.

The enemy often attacks the mind heavily during painful seasons. Thoughts of fear, discouragement, and hopelessness may try to settle into the heart. But when you remain close to God, His presence becomes a covering over your inner life. There is peace that comes from knowing you are not carrying life's burdens alone. You must learn to run toward God instead of away from Him when life becomes difficult. Stay near Him in prayer. Stay near Him in His Word. Stay near Him even when emotions feel unstable. Christ remains your refuge. He remains your covering, and He knows how to preserve those who stay close to Him.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

I declare that Christ is my hiding place and my refuge. I will not be overcome by fear, discouragement, or the pressures of life because God is preserving me continually. My heart finds rest in the presence of God, and my spirit remains secure under His covering. The Lord is strengthening me inwardly and sustaining me always. In Jesus' Name. Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Psalm 32:7; Psalm 91:1 to 2; Proverbs 18:10	2 Chr 6-7; Acts 12

DON'T BE IMPATIENT

Wednesday July 8, 2026

"He that believeth shall not make haste."

— **Isaiah 28:16**

One of the easiest ways to create unnecessary pain in life is through impatience. When people become impatient, they often move ahead of God, force situations, make emotional decisions, or attempt to produce results through human effort. What God intended to unfold through wisdom and timing becomes complicated through haste.

Abraham experienced this. God gave Abraham a promise concerning Isaac, but when the promise seemed delayed, impatience entered the situation. Instead of waiting fully on God, Abraham and Sarah tried to help God fulfill His word through human reasoning, and Ishmael was born. What began through impatience eventually produced conflict, pain, and long-lasting consequences.

Saul also lost greatly because of impatience. God instructed him to wait for Samuel, but Saul became restless when people began scattering and pressure increased around him. Instead of obeying God completely, he acted impulsively. That moment of impatience cost him deeply because he stepped outside God's instruction.

Impatience often becomes dangerous because it pushes people to move before God's timing. Sometimes, people become impatient in relationships. Sometimes, in ministry.

Sometimes, concerning opportunities, finances, or personal desires. Pressure rises, emotions intensify, and suddenly, waiting on God begins feeling uncomfortable. But many unnecessary battles begin when people force doors open: doors that God has not opened yet.

The flesh hates waiting because waiting requires trust. There are times when God may seem silent or slow; yet, silence does not mean abandonment. Many times, God is preparing the person while preparing the promise. If certain things arrive before your character, wisdom, or spiritual maturity are ready, what should have become a blessing can become a burden instead. Impatience often clouds discernment. When people become desperate, they stop listening carefully to God's direction. Emotions begin leading decisions instead of wisdom and spiritual sensitivity.

This is why Scripture repeatedly encourages us to wait upon the Lord. Sometimes, the strongest thing you can do spiritually is remain still until God gives direction clearly. God knows how to bring His promises to pass in your life without any human manipulation.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

I declare that I will not be ruled by impatience, fear, or emotional pressure. My trust remains in God and His timing. I will not move ahead of the Lord through fleshly striving or human wisdom. The Holy Spirit is teaching me patience, discernment, and obedience. In Jesus' Name. Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Isaiah 28:16 TPT; Genesis 16:1-4; 1 Samuel 13:8 -14	2 Chr 8-9

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GOD SEES ALL YOU DO FOR HIM

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Thursday, July 9, 2026

“He built the high gate of the house of the Lord...”
— **2 Chronicles 27:3**

When many people read about Jotham, they often focus on the fact that he became king. But Scripture also takes time to mention something else: his work for the house of God. The Bible specifically records that he built the high gate of the house of the Lord. That detail matters because it reveals something important about God's nature.

God notices what is done for Him. Nothing you do sincerely for God escapes His attention. Many times, people feel unnoticed when serving quietly. Some labor faithfully in prayer, giving, service, encouragement, ministry, or support behind the scenes while receiving little recognition from people. But heaven keeps record differently from men.

God sees the hidden sacrifices. He sees the consistency. He sees the effort others overlook. Sometimes, the enemy discourages believers by making them feel insignificant. He whispers that their contribution does not matter because it is not public or celebrated openly. But throughout Scripture, God continually showed that He notices the hearts of those who serve Him sincerely.

Jesus noticed the widow who gave two small mites while others overlooked her. God remembered Cornelius because of his

prayers and giving. Even a cup of cold water given in His name was not forgotten before Him. This should cause you to reflect personally: What are you doing for God? Not someday. Not when life becomes easier. Not when everything is perfect. Now. Every believer has been given something that can honor God. Your time, your gifts, your resources, your service, your encouragement, your prayers, your obedience, and your willingness all matter before heaven.

You may not stand on a public platform, but your life can still build something for God's kingdom. Some build through prayer. Some through giving. Some through serving faithfully. Others through strengthening people quietly behind the scenes. God sees every sincere labor done from a heart of love toward Him. Never become weary in doing good for the Lord. What is done for God carries eternal value even when human recognition is absent. And often, the things done quietly before God are the things heaven values deeply.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

I declare that my life will be useful for the kingdom of God. I will not become discouraged, weary, or distracted in serving the Lord. God sees every sacrifice, every act of obedience, every prayer, and every labor I do for His glory. My service to God is not in vain. In Jesus' Name. Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
2 Chronicles 27:3 TLB; Hebrews 6:10; Matthew 10:42, RSV	2 Chr 10-13; Acts 13

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HEAL THE SICK

Friday, July 10, 2026

"And these signs shall follow them that believe; In my name shall they cast out devils... they shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover"

- Mark 16:17–18, KJV

Healing has always been part of God's desire for His people. Throughout the ministry of Jesus, we repeatedly see Him moved with compassion toward the sick, the weak, and the broken. He healed diseases, restored strength, opened blind eyes, and brought hope to those society had given up on. Jesus did not merely talk about healing; He demonstrated the love and power of God through it.

Before He ascended, the Lord commissioned believers to heal the sick in His Name. This instruction was not given only to a select group of people; it was given to those who believe. The word "heal" comes from the Greek word *iaomai*, which means to cure, restore, or make whole. God's healing power does more than address symptoms; it brings restoration and wholeness.

Many believers desire to see God move through them but often feel unqualified or uncertain. Yet, healing is not based on human ability or personal perfection. It flows from the power of the Holy Spirit and the authority in the Name of Jesus. God simply looks for yielded hearts willing to believe and act on His Word.

When Jesus sent out His disciples, He instructed them to

preach the Kingdom and heal the sick. The early Church continued in this ministry because they understood that healing reveals God's compassion and points people to Christ. Even today, God still desires to touch lives through His people.

When you meet sick people, pray for them. Speak words of faith and life. Be sensitive to the leading of the Holy Spirit. Sometimes, healing may be instantaneous, and at other times, it may be progressive; but always remain confident in God's power and love.

Compassion is important in ministering healing. Jesus was often moved with compassion before miracles occurred. People are not projects or opportunities for display; they are souls deeply loved by God. Healing ministry should always reflect the heart and love of Christ. Do not allow fear or doubt silence your faith. The same Jesus who healed in the Scriptures is alive today, and His power has not changed. As you yield yourself to Him, He can work through your hands, your prayers, and your words to bring healing and hope to others.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

Father, thank You for the healing power in the Name of Jesus. Teach me to walk in faith, compassion, and sensitivity to the Holy Spirit. Let Your healing power flow through me to bring restoration, strength, and hope to others. I declare that sickness, pain, and oppression bow to the authority of Jesus Christ. Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Matthew 10:7–8; Acts 10:38; James 5:14–15	2 Chr 14-16

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MAINTAIN A TENDER HEART BEFORE GOD



Saturday, July 11, 2026

*“Blessed are the pure in heart: for they shall
see God” - Matthew 5:8 KJV*

One of the most valuable things you can preserve is a tender heart before God. A tender heart remains humble, teachable, sensitive, and responsive to the Holy Spirit. It does not resist God's dealings or become hardened through disappointment and pain.

The condition of your heart shapes spiritual perception. Long before outward actions appear, inward conditions are already developing quietly within. This is why you must pay attention to what is happening inside you, not only around you.

A hardened heart rarely develops overnight. It often grows gradually through repeated hurt, pride, unresolved offense, disappointment, or continual resistance to conviction. Many people continue functioning outwardly while inwardly becoming spiritually dry. Worship no longer moves them deeply. Prayer becomes routine. Compassion weakens. Spiritual sensitivity slowly fades.

Ezekiel 36:26 (KJV) says: *“A new heart also will I give you, and a new spirit will I put within you: and I will take away the stony heart out of your flesh, and I will give you a heart of flesh.”* A heart of flesh represents softness toward God. It responds when corrected. It remains open to healing and transformation.

It does not hide behind pride or constantly defend its wounds. The enemy understands this, which is why he tries to harden people through painful experiences and unresolved bitterness.

Sometimes, wounded people quietly withdraw from fellowship and spiritual relationships. Isolation may feel safer, but it often creates greater vulnerability. God never intended for you to carry hidden pain alone. Healing begins when your heart stays open before Him. There are moments when the Holy Spirit gently reveals areas that need healing, forgiveness, or surrender. Those moments should not be ignored. A tender heart allows God to continue shaping your character, strengthening your faith, and deepening your spiritual growth.

Remain quick to forgive and humble enough to receive correction. Refuse to nurture hidden resentment. Protect your spiritual sensitivity carefully because a tender heart can still hear God clearly even in difficult seasons. When your heart stays tender before God, peace flows more freely. Discernment remains sharp. Joy becomes steady again. Grace continues working deeply within.

PRAYER/DECLARATION

Father, keep my heart soft and yielded before You. Remove every trace of bitterness, pride, and hidden hurt from within me. Teach me to remain humble, sensitive, and responsive to the Holy Spirit. I walk closely with You and grow continually in spiritual strength in Jesus' Name. Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Psalm 51:10; Hebrews 3:12–15; Ezekiel 11:19	2 Chr 17-18; Acts 14

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OFFENSE WEAKENS SPIRITUAL STRENGTH



Sunday, July 12, 2026

“Keep thy heart with all diligence; for out of it are the issues of life” - Proverbs 4:23 (KJV)

Not every spiritual battle comes loudly. Some begin quietly within the heart. You can still attend church, pray, worship, and smile outwardly while inwardly carrying offense that is slowly draining spiritual strength. This is why the condition of your heart matters deeply to God.

The word *offense* comes from the Greek word *skandalon*, which refers to a trap or stumbling block. That meaning is important because offense often works like a hidden trap. The enemy uses very painful experiences, harsh words, betrayal, disappointment, rejection, and misunderstandings to wound the heart. If those wounds are left unattended, they can slowly harden you inwardly.

Many people do not suddenly walk away from spiritual passion. Sometimes, they simply become weighed down by unresolved hurt. Their thoughts continually return to what someone said or did. Prayer begins to feel difficult. Joy fades gradually. Spiritual sensitivity weakens because the heart is occupied with pain instead of fellowship with God.

Hebrews 12:15 (KJV) says: *“Looking diligently lest any man fail of the grace of God; lest any root of bitterness springing up trouble you, and thereby many be defiled.”* Bitterness never

remains hidden for long. It eventually affects words, attitudes, relationships, and spiritual perception. A wounded heart can begin interpreting everything through pain. Sometimes, you may feel tempted to pull away from godly relationships or become resistant to correction because offense has quietly settled within.

Jesus warned that many would become offended in the last days. This shows that offense is one of the enemy's subtle strategies to weaken people spiritually and create division. Forgiveness protects the heart. It does not mean the pain was insignificant, nor does it mean wrong actions are excused. Forgiveness simply means refusing to allow hurt to gain permanent control over your heart. There are moments when you must release pain because your fellowship with God is too precious to lose. **Ephesians 4:31–32 (KJV)** says: *“Let all bitterness, and wrath, and anger, and clamour, and evil speaking, be put away from you, with all malice: And be ye kind one to another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God for Christ's sake hath forgiven you.”*

Refuse to allow offense to become a resting place within you. A healthy spirit remains full of peace, grace, and spiritual strength.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

Father, help me guard my heart diligently. I refuse to live with bitterness, resentment, or hidden offense. Heal every wounded place within me and keep my spirit tender before You. I walk in forgiveness, love, and peace, in Jesus' Name. Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Hebrews 12:14–15 RSV; Ephesians 4:26–32; Matthew 24:10–13 ESV	2 Chr 19-21; Acts 15

3 8
**PLANTED BY THE RIVERS
OF WATER**

Monday July 13, 2026

“And he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season...”

— **Psalm 1:3**

A tree planted by the rivers of water does not struggle for survival the same way a dry tree does. Its roots remain connected to a constant source. Even when seasons change around it, life continues flowing underneath. This is the picture God gives concerning the person who stays connected to Him.

Your spiritual life was never meant to survive on occasional encounters with God. You cannot live on yesterday's prayer, yesterday's revelation, or yesterday's strength. Just as a tree continually draws water from its roots, your spirit must continually draw life from God.

There are seasons when life becomes heavy. Pressure increases. Answers seem delayed. Situations become uncertain. Yet people who remain rooted in God often carry an inward strength that cannot be explained naturally. Outwardly, storms may still exist, but inwardly, there is stability because their roots are connected to a deeper source. This is why staying planted matters.

Many believers become spiritually weak because they drift away from consistent fellowship with God. Distractions slowly replace prayer. Noise replaces meditation on the Word.

Spiritual dryness begins quietly before it becomes obvious openly. But when you stay planted in God's presence, your inward man continues receiving strength even during difficult seasons.

Psalms 1 also says the tree “brings forth fruit in its season”. Notice that fruit does not appear overnight. Growth takes time. Roots develop before fruit becomes visible. In the same way, God often works deeply within you before outward results appear. As you remain planted in Him, your life begins producing spiritual fruit gradually. Your character changes. Your discernment becomes sharper. Your faith becomes steadier.

A planted tree is not constantly uprooted by changing weather. In the same way, a believer rooted in God does not collapse every time circumstances shift. They become spiritually strong, fruitful, and difficult to shake. This is why consistency with God matters so deeply. Stay planted in His Word. Stay planted in prayer. Stay planted in fellowship with Him. Because people who stay connected to God continue growing even in seasons that should have broken them.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

I declare that my life is planted deeply in God. My roots remain connected to God's presence, His Word, and the Holy Spirit continually. I will not become spiritually dry, unstable, or easily shaken by difficult seasons. My life will continue producing fruit in every season In Jesus' Name. Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Psalms 1:1 to 3; Jeremiah 17:7–8; Colossians 2:6-7	2 Chr 22-23



THIS IS THE DAY OF SALVATION

Tuesday, July 14, 2026

*“Behold, now is the accepted time;
behold, now is the day of salvation.”*

— **2 Corinthians 6:2**

One of the greatest mistakes people make is assuming they have unlimited time to respond to God. Many intend to seek Him later, surrender later, repent later, or take their spiritual life seriously later. But Scripture continually reminds us that tomorrow is never guaranteed.

Paul wrote in the above opening scripture, *“Now is the accepted time; behold, now is the day of salvation.”* Salvation is not something to postpone. God's invitation is extended today. The heart can become hardened when a person continually ignores God's voice. Conviction that is resisted repeatedly can slowly turn into spiritual indifference. This is why **Hebrews 3:15** says, *“Today, if ye will hear his voice, harden not your hearts.”*

Jesus came so humanity could be reconciled to God. Through His death and resurrection, forgiveness, mercy, and eternal life became available to all who believe in Him. Salvation is not earned through human effort or personal goodness. It is received through faith in Christ. Many people spend years searching for peace, fulfillment, and purpose in temporary things, yet the soul was created for fellowship with God. Nothing in this world can replace the life found in Christ.

The enemy often whispers that there is still plenty of time, but no one knows how long they have on earth. Life moves quickly. Eternity is too serious to treat casually. This is the day to return to God wholeheartedly. This is the day to surrender fully to Christ. This is the day to stop delaying obedience and respond to His call.

God is still saving. He is still restoring. He is still calling hearts back to Himself. His mercy remains available today. Jesus said in **John 6:37**, *“Him that cometh to me I will in no wise cast out.”* No matter the past, no matter the failures, His grace is sufficient for the one who turns to Him sincerely.

The opportunity to respond to God is a gift. Do not ignore it. If you are not saved yet, I would like to invite you to make Jesus the lord of your life so you can find peace with God. Kindly say the prayer of salvation written out for you at the final page of this devotional.

PRAYER/DECLARATION

Father, thank You for the gift of salvation through Jesus Christ. Thank You because Your mercy is still reaching hearts today. My heart remains responsive to Your voice and fully surrendered to Your will. My life belongs to You, and my heart will continually walk in obedience and faith. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
2 Corinthians 6:2; Hebrews 3:15; John 6:37 NKJV	2 Chr 24-25; Acts 16

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PUT ON CHRIST



Wednesday, July 15, 2026

*“But put ye on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make not provision for the flesh...” — **Romans 13:14***

When you gave your life to Christ, God did not simply call you to stop certain behaviors. He called you into transformation. Scripture says to *“put on the Lord Jesus Christ.”* This means your life should gradually begin to reflect His nature, His character, and His way of living.

Every day, you are presented with opportunities to reveal either the flesh or Christ. When offense comes, what comes out of you? When pressure rises, how do you respond? When people misunderstand you, does your attitude still reflect Jesus? These moments reveal what is truly being formed within the heart.

The flesh naturally wants revenge, pride, bitterness, and self-exaltation. But the nature of Christ produces humility, patience, wisdom, and love. This is why spiritual growth is not only about outward activities. It is about allowing the character of Christ to become visible in your daily life.

Many people desire the power of God while resisting the process of transformation. Yet true maturity is not only seen in spiritual gifts or public ministry. It is seen in conduct. It is seen in speech. It is seen in the ability to remain yielded to God even when emotions are rising strongly within you.

Putting on Christ requires intentional surrender. Your old nature will constantly try to rise. Anger may try to control your words. Pride may try to shape your reactions. Fleshly desires may try to pull your heart away from God. But the Holy Spirit works within you daily, helping you walk differently.

This is why fellowship with God matters deeply. The more time you spend with Christ, the more His nature begins affecting your thoughts, desires, and responses. Things that once felt normal no longer sit comfortably within your spirit because Christ is being formed within you.

People should encounter something different when they encounter you. Not because you are pretending to appear spiritual, but because the life of Jesus is becoming visible through your conduct and character. God did not call you to resemble the world around you. He called you to reveal His Son.

PRAYER/DECLARATION

I declare that I am putting on the nature of Christ daily. My words, thoughts, attitudes, and conduct will reflect Jesus. I will not be ruled by pride, anger, bitterness, or fleshly desires. The Holy Spirit is transforming my life and teaching me to walk in righteousness, humility, and love. Christ is being revealed through me continually, and my life will honor God in every season. In Jesus' Name. Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Romans 13:14; Galatians 2:20; Colossians 3:10-14	2 Chr 26-28

3 RETURN TO YOUR FIRST LOVE 8

Thursday, May 16, 2026

“Nevertheless, I have somewhat against thee, because thou hast left thy first love.” — Revelation 2:4

It is possible to remain active in spiritual things while the heart slowly drifts away from deep fellowship with God. A person may still attend church, pray occasionally, and continue outward routines, yet inwardly lose the passion and tenderness they once had toward the Lord.

Jesus spoke to the church in Ephesus about this very condition. They were disciplined, hardworking, and doctrinally sound, but something important was missing. Their love for Him was no longer what it once had been.

Many believers do not drift away suddenly. It often happens gradually through distraction, spiritual neglect, disappointment, busyness, compromise, or prolonged focus on earthly pressures. Over time, prayer becomes routine, worship loses sincerity, and time with God becomes less important. God never intended relationship with Him to become empty religious activity. Christianity is not merely about duty. It is fellowship with the living Christ.

The phrase first love speaks of devotion, affection, and sincere pursuit of God. It reflects the hunger and sensitivity that often marks a believer's early walk with Him. There was excitement in

prayer, joy in worship, and genuine desire for His presence.

Jesus did not speak to condemn the church in Ephesus but to call them back. **Revelation 2:5** says, *“Remember therefore from whence thou art fallen, and repent, and do the first works.”* God still calls hearts back to closeness with Him.

Many people search for satisfaction in achievements, entertainment, relationships, or possessions while their souls quietly long for deeper communion with God. Nothing in this world can replace intimacy with Him. Returning to your first love begins with turning your attention back to God sincerely. It means making room again for prayer, worship, Scripture, and fellowship with the Holy Spirit. It means valuing His presence more than distractions.

God has not withdrawn from His people. He still desires closeness with those who seek Him sincerely. **Jeremiah 29:13** says, *“And ye shall seek me, and find me, when ye shall search for me with all your heart.”* A heart fully turned toward God will never remain empty.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

Father, thank You for continually drawing my heart back to You. Thank You because Your presence still satisfies the deepest needs of my soul. My heart remains tender toward You and responsive to Your voice. Spiritual distraction and coldness will not take root within me. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Revelation 2:4–5 AMP; Jeremiah 29:13; Psalm 63:1 ESV	2 Chr 29; Acts 17

3 8
REVEAL CHRIST ALWAYS

Friday, May 17, 2026

"Let no corrupt communication proceed out of your mouth, but that which is good to the use of edifying..." — Ephesians 4:29

As a believer, your life should continually reveal Christ. Not only in church services or during spiritual moments, but also in your words, attitudes, reactions, and daily conduct. People should encounter the nature of Christ through the way you speak, respond, and carry yourself.

One of the clearest tests of spiritual maturity appears during moments of offense, anger, and frustration. Many people speak kindly when everything is peaceful, but when they become upset, another side suddenly appears. Some say things like, "I will show him the other side of me," or, "If I speak my mind, I will finish him with my words." These kinds of reactions may feel natural to the flesh, but they do not reflect the Spirit of Christ. The nature you received in Christ is not hateful, destructive, or cruel.

Words carry power. A person can damage hearts deeply through anger, sarcasm, insults, and harsh speech. Many relationships have been wounded because people spoke from emotion instead of allowing the Holy Spirit to govern their hearts. Sometimes, one careless moment can leave pain that lasts for years.

This is why God cares about your speech and conduct. When Christ truly rules within you, His nature begins shaping the way you respond to people. Instead of using words to destroy, you begin learning how to respond with wisdom, restraint, and grace. This does not mean you never correct people or address wrong behavior. But even correction should carry the spirit of Christ.

Anyone can react through anger and fleshly emotion. But it takes spiritual maturity to remain yielded to God when emotions are rising strongly within you. The Holy Spirit can help you control your tongue, calm your reactions, and respond differently even during difficult situations.

Never use anger as an excuse to reveal a side of yourself that does not honor God. You are called to reveal Christ always: in conversations, conflict, private moments, public moments, and even when you are offended. The world already knows what hatred, pride, bitterness, and cruelty look like. What people need to encounter is the nature of Jesus revealed through surrendered lives.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

I declare that my life will reveal the nature of Christ continually. My words, reactions, attitudes, and conduct will honor God. I will not be ruled by anger, bitterness, pride, or harsh speech. The Holy Spirit is helping me respond with wisdom, grace, patience, and self-control. In Jesus' Name. Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Ephesians 4:29; Colossians 3:12-14; Galatians 5:22-23	2 Chr 30-31

3 8
SPEAK LIFE

Saturday, July 18, 2026

*“Death and life are in the power of the tongue: and they
that love it shall eat the fruit thereof”*

- Proverbs 18:21 KJV

Words are powerful. Through words, hearts are encouraged, lives are shaped, and destinies are influenced. God designed speech to carry impact, which is why Scripture repeatedly emphasizes the importance of what comes out of our mouths. Many people underestimate the effect their words have on their lives and on those around them.

The phrase “speak life” reflects the truth that our words can release hope, healing, strength, encouragement, and faith. The word “life” in this context comes from the Hebrew word *chayyiyim*, which refers to life, vitality, renewal, and active living. God desires that our speech produce life and not destruction.

Throughout the Bible, we see God using words to create, bless, strengthen, and transform. In Genesis, God spoke light into darkness. Jesus spoke peace to storms, healing to the sick, and hope to the broken. His words carried authority because they were aligned with truth and faith.

Many times, people speak based only on what they feel or see in the moment. When challenges arise, fear and negativity often dominate conversations. But believers are called to speak differently. Our words should reflect faith in God and confidence

in His promises. This does not mean pretending difficulties do not exist. Rather, it means refusing to let hopelessness, bitterness, or fear shape our confession continually. There is enough darkness in the world already. God wants His children to release words that strengthen and uplift others.

A person who constantly speaks defeat eventually weakens their own faith. But words filled with faith and truth strengthen the heart and renew the mind. This is why it is important to guard your speech carefully. Speak peace over your family. Speak hope over your future. Speak strength in times of weakness. Speak God's promises over your life.

Your words also affect those around you. One encouraging conversation can restore someone who feels weary or forgotten. Kind words can heal wounded hearts and remind people that God has not abandoned them. Choose today to speak words that build, heal, encourage, and bring life.

PRAYER/DECLARATION

Father, help me to guard my words carefully and speak in alignment with Your truth. Let my speech bring encouragement, peace, hope, and strength to others. Teach me to speak faith instead of fear and life instead of negativity. May my words reflect the wisdom and love of Christ daily. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Ephesians 4:29; Mark 11:23; Colossians 4:6	2 Chr 32-33; Acts 18

3 SPIRITUAL FORMATION DURING HIDDEN SEASONS

Sunday, July 19, 2026

“And let patience have her perfect work, that ye may be perfect and entire, wanting nothing.”

— **James 1:4**

There are seasons in life where it feels like nothing is happening. You are praying, growing, remaining faithful, yet everything around you seems quiet. No major opportunities. No visible progress. No public recognition. In moments like that, it is easy to wonder if God has forgotten you. But hidden seasons are often the places where God does His deepest work.

Before Joseph entered the palace, he spent years in places that felt hidden and painful. Before David sat on the throne, he was alone in fields tending sheep and later hiding in caves. Even Jesus spent years in preparation before stepping into public ministry. God has always been interested in preparing people privately before revealing them publicly.

The difficult thing about hidden seasons is that they test the heart. They expose impatience, frustration, insecurity, and even pride. Sometimes, you may feel overlooked while watching other people move ahead quickly. At other times, you may wonder why certain prayers seem delayed. Yet, many times, God is doing more within you than around you.

Some lessons cannot be learned through public success. They are learned in quiet places where your trust in God becomes

genuine. Hidden seasons teach you how to remain faithful without applause. They teach you how to seek God without needing constant recognition from people. This is where roots begin growing deeper.

A tree develops underground long before fruit becomes visible. In the same way, God often strengthens your character before visible results begin appearing outwardly. He may be teaching you patience. He may be teaching surrender. He may be removing certain things from your heart that could damage you later if left untouched.

So, do not despise quiet seasons with God. Keep praying even when nothing appears to be changing. Keep growing even when nobody notices. Keep remaining faithful in small things. The work God is doing within you now may become the very foundation for what He calls you into later. And one day, you may look back and realize that the hidden season was not a waste after all. It was preparation.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

I declare that God is strengthening me, shaping my character, and preparing me according to His wisdom. I will not become discouraged, impatient, or frustrated with the process of God. My roots are growing deeper in Him, and my life is being established through His grace. In Jesus' Name. Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
James 1:4; Psalm 105:17-19 RSV; Galatians 6:9	2 Chr 34; Acts 19

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STRENGTHENED FROM WITHIN



Monday, July 20, 2026

*That he would grant you, according to the riches of his glory, to be strengthened with might by his Spirit in the inner man - **Ephesians 3:16 KJV***

One of the greatest works God does in the life of a believer happens inwardly. Many people focus only on external results, but God is deeply concerned about the condition and strength of your inner man. He knows that when you are strong within, you can stand firm through pressure, uncertainty, delays, and opposition without losing your peace or confidence.

In Paul's prayer for the Church, he asked that believers would be strengthened with might by the Holy Spirit in their inner man. This means God does not expect you to rely only on human strength or emotions to navigate life. He has given you the Holy Spirit to strengthen, sustain, and empower you daily.

There are seasons when life feels overwhelming. Sometimes, challenges come unexpectedly, and people begin to feel tired mentally, emotionally, or spiritually. But the beautiful thing about walking with God is that your strength is not dependent on circumstances. The Spirit of God within you renews you continually.

The more you fellowship with the Lord through prayer, worship, and meditation on the Word, the stronger your spirit becomes. Fear begins to lose its hold. Anxiety fades. Confidence rises

within you because you become more conscious of God's presence and power at work in your life.

Paul also prayed that Christ would dwell in our hearts by faith and that we would be rooted and grounded in love. Many believers struggle because they have not fully settled in the love of God. When a person truly understands that they are loved by the Father, insecurity, condemnation, and striving begin to disappear. God's love gives stability to the soul.

The love of Christ is deeper and greater than human understanding. It heals wounded hearts, restores broken confidence, and reminds us that we are never abandoned. Even in difficult moments, His presence remains constant.

God's desire is not merely for you to survive spiritually but to be filled with all His fullness. He wants your life overflowing with His peace, wisdom, joy, strength, and grace. This is why you must never speak weakness over yourself. The Holy Spirit lives in you, and He is able to strengthen you from within every single day.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

Father, strengthen me with might by Your Spirit in my inner man. Let Christ dwell richly in my heart by faith. Root and ground me deeply in love so I may understand the greatness of Christ's love. Fill me with all Your fullness and let Your presence overflow through my life daily. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Isaiah 40:31; Colossians 2:9–10; 2 Corinthians 4:16	2 Chr 35-36; Ezr 1

3 8
**THE BURDEN TO
PRAY**

Tuesday, July 21, 2026

“Likewise, the Spirit also helpeth our infirmities: for we know not what we should pray for as we ought...”

— **Romans 8:26**

One of the ways the Holy Spirit prompts you is through a burden to pray. There are moments when a sudden spiritual weight comes upon you without warning. You may begin thinking strongly about someone for no clear reason. At times, you may feel unusual heaviness within your spirit even when everything appears normal outwardly.

Sometimes, you lose rest internally. Sometimes, you feel spiritually alert without understanding why. At other times, prayer begins rising within you suddenly and intensely. These moments should not always be ignored.

The Holy Spirit often uses these inward burdens to draw your attention toward situations that require prayer and spiritual covering. There are times when spiritual warfare may be taking place around someone, and the Holy Spirit moves upon you to intercede before you fully understand what is happening.

Many believers have experienced moments where someone remained strongly on their heart until they prayed. Later, they discovered that person was going through difficulty during that exact period. This is one of the ways the Holy Spirit works through intercession.

The burden to pray is different from anxiety or fear. Anxiety fills the mind with panic and confusion. But when the Holy Spirit places a burden upon you, there is usually a pull toward prayer itself. The burden pushes you toward God rather than away from Him.

Sometimes, the Holy Spirit may not reveal every detail immediately. He simply draws you into prayer. As you begin praying, clarity may come gradually. Other times, you may pray without fully understanding what is happening spiritually. This is why praying in the Spirit is important. The Holy Spirit knows what you cannot see naturally.

One important thing to recognize is this: many times, the burden lifts after prayer. The heaviness begins to leave, and peace settles into your spirit again. Often, this is a sign that something has shifted spiritually through intercession. Do not ignore moments when the Holy Spirit suddenly draws you into prayer. Sometimes, heaven is inviting you to stand in the gap for someone else.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

I declare that my spirit is sensitive to the promptings of the Holy Spirit. I will recognize when God is calling me into prayer and intercession. My spiritual discernment is increasing, and I will not ignore divine burdens or spiritual alerts. I am spiritually attentive, yielded to God's direction, and available for His purpose. In Jesus' Name. Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Romans 8:26; Ezekiel 22:30; Luke 22:31-32	Ezr 2-3; Acts 20

3 8
THE GATE OF IMAGINATION

Wednesday, July 22, 2026

“Now unto him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us.”

— **Ephesians 3:20**

Many people underestimate the power of imagination, yet imagination shapes internal pictures that influence expectation, perception, and direction. Long before actions appear outwardly, images are often formed inwardly. The mind naturally moves toward the pictures it entertains continually. This is why imagination matters spiritually.

The Bible reveals in **Genesis 11** that *“nothing will be restrained from them, which they have imagined to do.”* This shows how powerful inward vision can become. Imagination is not simply creativity. It is an inner canvas where beliefs, fears, expectations, and desires begin to take shape.

The enemy understands this well. He often attacks imagination before attacking circumstances. He plants images of defeat before battles even begin. He introduces inward pictures shaped by fear, shame, lust, trauma, rejection, confusion, and hopelessness. Many people are physically free while remaining mentally imprisoned because unhealthy images continue to dominate their inner world.

A person who continually sees failure inwardly may struggle to believe achieving victory outwardly. Someone who constantly

imagines rejection may begin withdrawing from people unnecessarily. Corrupted imagination slowly influences identity, expectation, and behavior. This is why you must guard not only your thoughts, but also the images they continually meditate upon.

Healthy spiritual imagination allows believers to see restoration before it manifests, expect breakthrough during difficult seasons, and maintain hope when situations appear impossible. Abraham was shown the stars because God wanted to enlarge his inward vision before fulfilling the promise. God often changes internal vision before external reality.

The imagination surrendered to God becomes a place where faith grows stronger instead of weaker. Instead of replaying defeat continually, believers can meditate on God's promises, His faithfulness, His power, and His purpose. The more the mind becomes filled with truth, the more spiritual confidence begins to rise.

PRAYER/DECLARATION

I declare that my imagination is surrendered to God. Fear, shame, hopelessness, lust, and every corrupt image are cast down in the Name of Jesus. My mind will not be governed by trauma, defeat, or false identity. I see restoration, breakthrough, healing, purpose, and the fulfillment of God's promises. In Jesus' Name. Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Ephesians 3:20; Genesis 11:6; 2 Corinthians 10:5 ESV	Ezr 4-6

3 8
**THE GENTLE NUDGE OF
THE HOLY SPIRIT**

Thursday, July 23, 2026

*“And thine ears shall hear a word behind thee, saying,
this is the way, walk ye in it...” — Isaiah 30:21*

One of the ways the Holy Spirit leads you is through a gentle inward nudge. It may come suddenly during an ordinary moment. You may feel prompted to call someone, encourage a person, change direction, pray briefly, or do something small that seems insignificant naturally. There may be no dramatic sign attached to it. Yet, inwardly, you sense a quiet urging within your spirit.

Many times, the Holy Spirit leads through simple impressions rather than overwhelming experiences. The prompting may seem small, but obedience to these gentle nudges often opens the door for greater sensitivity to God's voice. The Holy Spirit usually leads progressively. As you learn to respond to Him in smaller matters, your discernment becomes stronger in deeper spiritual matters.

Sometimes the gentle nudge is connected to helping someone. You may suddenly feel led to send a message, visit a person, or pray for them unexpectedly. Later, you discover they were struggling during that exact moment. At other times, the Holy Spirit may prompt you away from distractions, wrong conversations, or unnecessary environments.

The Holy Spirit understands what you cannot see naturally.

Many believers miss these promptings because they expect God's leading to always feel dramatic or highly emotional. But often, the Spirit of God speaks quietly within the heart. This is why spiritual sensitivity matters. A distracted and rushed life can make it difficult to recognize these gentle leadings.

The more time you spend in prayer, worship, and fellowship with God, the easier it becomes to recognize when the Holy Spirit is nudging your spirit. You begin noticing His direction more clearly in daily life. Never underestimate simple obedience.

A small prompting from the Holy Spirit can become the reason someone receives encouragement, protection, hope, clarity, or spiritual help at the right moment. God often works through willing and sensitive hearts.

The Holy Spirit still leads believers personally today. He still guides, warns, redirects, and speaks quietly to hearts that remain attentive before Him.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

I declare that my spirit is sensitive to the gentle leading of the Holy Spirit. I will recognize divine promptings and respond with obedience. My heart remains attentive to God's direction, and my spiritual discernment is increasing daily. In Jesus' Name. Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Isaiah 30:21 NIV; John 10:27; Galatians 5:25 NLT	Ezr 7; Acts 21

3 8
**THE INWARD CHECK OF
THE HOLY SPIRIT**

Friday, July 24, 2026

"For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, they are the sons of God." — **Romans 8:14**

One of the primary ways the Holy Spirit leads you is through what many call the inward check. This prompting is usually quiet and inward. It may not come through an audible voice or dramatic spiritual encounter. Many times, it comes as an internal restraint that causes you to pause, slow down, or seek God further before making a decision.

There are moments when something may appear right naturally; yet, inwardly, your spirit does not settle comfortably. Your mind may approve it. People around you may encourage it. Circumstances may seem favorable. Yet, within yourself, you sense hesitation, uneasiness, or lack of peace that you cannot fully explain. This is often how the Holy Spirit protects and guides you.

Many people overlook inward checks because they expect God's leading to always be loud or obvious. But spiritual maturity develops when you learn to recognize the gentle promptings of the Spirit. God often warns quietly before problems become visible openly. The inward check is different from fear and anxiety. Fear produces panic, torment, and confusion. The inward check usually carries a quiet caution within your spirit. Even if you cannot explain it logically, inwardly, you sense the need to stop, wait, or pray further before moving ahead.

Throughout Scripture, the Holy Spirit restrained people from certain directions. In Acts 16, Paul and his companions were prevented by the Holy Spirit from entering certain regions. The direction may have looked reasonable naturally, but God was leading them differently.

Sometimes, the inward check protects you from wrong decisions. Sometimes, it keeps you away from unhealthy relationships, dangerous situations, or unnecessary battles. At other times, it simply means the timing is not right yet. This is why spiritual sensitivity matters.

A distracted life filled with constant noise can make it difficult to recognize the leading of the Holy Spirit. But as you spend time in prayer, worship, and fellowship with God, your spirit becomes more sensitive to His voice. You begin recognizing when the Holy Spirit is warning you, restraining you, redirecting you, or leading you toward peace. God still leads His people today. He still speaks inwardly to hearts that remain yielded and attentive before Him.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

Father, help me become more sensitive to the leading of the Holy Spirit. I declare that my spirit is attentive to God's direction. I will not ignore the inward check of the Holy Spirit through impatience or pressure. My discernment is increasing, and my heart remains yielded to God's wisdom. In Jesus' Name. Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Romans 8:14; Acts 16:6-7; Isaiah 30:21	Ezr 8-10

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THE INWARD PEACE
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Saturday, July 25, 2026

*“And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus.” — **Philippians 4:7***

One of the ways the Holy Spirit leads you is through inward peace. This peace is deeper than emotion. It is not excitement, temporary happiness, or emotional relief. In many situations, your emotions may still feel uncertain while inwardly, your spirit remains calm and settled before God.

There are moments when you may not have every answer yet, but deep within yourself, there is rest instead of turmoil. Even while facing unfamiliar situations, your spirit remains steady. This inward peace often becomes one of the ways the Holy Spirit confirms direction and alignment within your heart.

Many people mistake emotional excitement for God's leading. But excitement can disappear quickly when circumstances change. True spiritual peace remains steady even when emotions fluctuate. You may still feel nervous naturally, yet inwardly, there is confidence that God is leading you correctly.

This is why learning to recognize inward peace is important. The Holy Spirit does not lead through confusion, torment, panic, or inward chaos. Scripture says God is not the author of confusion. When the Holy Spirit gives peace concerning something, there is usually a quiet inward assurance that remains even while external situations are still unfolding.

That does not mean every step of faith will feel comfortable. Sometimes, obedience still requires courage. Abraham still had to leave familiar territory. Peter still had to step out onto the water. Yet, even in those moments, God gave inward assurance that He was present and leading them forward.

As you continue growing spiritually, your sensitivity to the peace of God becomes stronger. Prayer sharpens it. Fellowship with God strengthens it. The more time you spend with the Lord, the easier it becomes to recognize when His peace is guarding your heart and confirming your steps.

Never ignore the peace of God within your spirit simply because circumstances around you appear uncertain. Sometimes, the Holy Spirit gives peace before visible confirmation appears outwardly. God still leads His people inwardly today, and one of the ways He does so is through the peace of the Holy Spirit.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

Father, help me become sensitive to the inward peace of the Holy Spirit. I declare that my heart and mind are guarded by the peace of God. I will not be ruled by confusion, fear, anxiety, or emotional instability. The Holy Spirit is leading me into clarity, wisdom, and spiritual confidence. In Jesus' Name. Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Philippians 4:7; Colossians 3:15; Isaiah 26:3	Neh 1-2; Acts 22

THE SEED OF ABRAHAM

Sunday, July 26, 2026

*"And if ye be Christ's, then are ye Abraham's seed,
and heirs according to the promise"*

- Galatians 3:29, KJV

When a person comes into Christ, they become part of a divine heritage established through God's covenant with Abraham. This is more than a religious idea; it is a spiritual reality. The believer is connected to the blessings, promises, and inheritance God spoke concerning Abraham.

The word "seed" comes from the Greek word *sperma*, which refers to offspring, descendant, or lineage. Through Christ, believers become the spiritual seed of Abraham; meaning we are partakers of the covenant blessings that flow from faith in God.

Abraham is called the father of faith because he believed God even when circumstances seemed impossible. God promised to bless him, multiply him, and make him a blessing to nations. Those promises ultimately find their fulfillment in Christ, and everyone who belongs to Christ becomes an heir of those promises.

This means the believer should never live with a mentality of defeat, rejection, or spiritual poverty. In Christ, you have been brought into a covenant of grace, righteousness, and blessing. You are not disconnected or abandoned; you belong to God's family and carry a spiritual inheritance. Many people identify

themselves only by natural background, limitations, or past experiences. But the Word of God reveals a greater identity. Your life is now connected to God's covenant promises through Christ. The same God who guided, preserved, increased, and blessed Abraham is still at work in the lives of His people today.

Being the seed of Abraham also means living by faith. Abraham trusted God beyond human reasoning. Even when he could not see immediate results, he remained persuaded that God was faithful to fulfill His Word. Believers are called to walk with that same confidence.

Sometimes, circumstances may appear contrary to what God promised, but faith looks beyond present conditions and holds firmly to the integrity of God's Word. This is why you must continually renew your mind with Scripture and speak in agreement with God's promises over your life. You are part of a covenant established by God Himself. Walk daily with the consciousness that you are Abraham's seed and an heir according to the promise.

PRAYER/DECLARATION

Father, thank You for making me Abraham's seed through Christ. I rejoice in the covenant of grace, righteousness, and blessing that belongs to me. Help me to walk by faith and remain confident in Your promises regardless of circumstances. I firmly declare that my life is a reflection of Your favour, provision, and faithfulness daily. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Genesis 12:2–3; Romans 4:16; Galatians 3:13–14	Neh 3-4

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**BE AT PEACE WITH
OTHERS**
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Monday, July 27, 2026

"If it be possible, as much as lieth in you, live peaceably with all men." — **Romans 12:18**

Pace is not the absence of conflict. Peace is a condition of the heart that seeks harmony, reconciliation, and goodwill toward others. It is possible to be surrounded by people and still carry strife within. It is also possible to disagree with someone without becoming their enemy.

God places great value on peace. One of the realities of life is that you will not agree with everyone. People will misunderstand you. Some may offend you. Others may disappoint you. If you are not careful, hurt can turn into resentment, and resentment can slowly grow into bitterness. This is why the above opening Scripture says, "...as much as lieth in you, live peaceably with all men." Notice that God does not place the behavior of others under your control. He places your response under your control.

Being at peace with others does not mean allowing people to take advantage of you. It does not mean avoiding necessary conversations or pretending problems do not exist. Peace is not weakness. Peace is choosing to respond in a way that honors God rather than allowing anger, pride, or offense to control your actions. Many conflicts continue because neither person is willing to humble themselves. Both sides want to be right. Both sides want the last word. But wisdom understands that winning

an argument is not always the same as preserving a relationship. Sometimes, peace requires patience. Sometimes, it requires forgiveness. Sometimes, it requires choosing not to react emotionally.

Jesus was called the Prince of Peace, and His followers should reflect that same nature. Wherever Christ is allowed to rule in the heart, peace begins to influence attitudes, conversations, and relationships. A peaceful person brings calm into tense situations instead of adding fuel to the fire. This is especially important because unresolved offense affects more than relationships. It affects your spiritual life. A heart filled with bitterness struggles to enjoy the peace God desires to give. This is why Ephesians 4:31 encourages believers to put away bitterness, wrath, and malice.

You cannot control how everyone treats you. You cannot control what people say about you. But you can choose how you respond. The world has enough division already. Let your life be known for peace.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

I declare that the peace of God rules in my heart. I will not be controlled by bitterness, offense, anger, or resentment. I choose to pursue peace in my relationships and honor God in my responses. My heart is free from strife, and my life will reflect the nature of Christ. In Jesus' Name. Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Romans 12:18; Ephesians 4:31 to 32; Hebrews 12:14	Neh 5-7; Acts 23

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BE VIRTUOUS

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Tuesday, July 28, 2026

“Who can find a virtuous woman? for her price is far above rubies.” — Proverbs 31:10

In a world where people are often valued or recognized by appearance, status, or popularity, God still places great value on character. Virtue may not always receive attention publicly, but it matters deeply to God.

A virtuous person is someone who chooses to live with integrity, purity, wisdom, and reverence for God. This kind of life is not built only through outward appearance or public image. It is formed quietly through daily choices, private decisions, and a heart that genuinely desires to honor God.

Many people work hard to look good outwardly while neglecting what is happening within. But Scripture reminds us that character is far more valuable than temporary beauty or public admiration. **Proverbs 31:30** says, *“Favour is deceitful, and beauty is vain: but a woman that feareth the Lord, she shall be praised.”*

Virtue becomes evident in everyday life. It affects the way a person speaks, handles relationships, responds to temptation, and treats others. A virtuous person understands that who they are in private matters just as much as who they appear to be publicly.

Living virtuously also requires conviction. There will always be pressure to compromise, fit in, or lower godly standards. But believers are called to live differently. **Romans 12:2** says, “*Be not conformed to this world.*” God desires His people to reflect His nature through their conduct and decisions.

Joseph is a powerful example of this. When temptation came privately in Potiphar’s house, he chose to honor God rather than satisfy temporary desire. His integrity remained strong even when nobody else would have known.

Virtue is not about becoming perfect or acting superior to others. It is about allowing God to shape the heart daily. As believers grow in fellowship with Him, their lives begin reflecting greater wisdom, self-control, humility, and sincerity. True virtue carries a beauty that outward appearance alone can never produce. It brings stability to life and leaves a lasting testimony before both God and people. God still honors those who choose to walk uprightly before Him.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

Father, thank You for continually shaping my heart through Your Word and by Your Spirit. Thank You because my life is being formed in integrity and godly character daily. My decisions, words, and conduct will reflect wisdom and reverence for You. Compromise will not control my life, and my heart will remain established in truth. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Proverbs 31:30; Romans 12:2; Psalm 15:1–2 RSV	Neh 8; Acts 24

3 8
**CALL LIGHT OUT OF
DARKNESS**

Wednesday, July 29, 2026

“For God, who commanded the light to shine out of darkness, hath shined in our hearts, to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ”

- 2 Corinthians 4:6 KJV

One of the first things God did in creation was speak light into darkness. In Genesis, the earth was without form, empty, and covered with darkness, yet God did not focus on the darkness; He spoke light. His Word changed the condition of creation and brought order, beauty, and life where confusion once existed.

This reveals an important spiritual principle for every believer. We are called to speak in agreement with God's Word and not merely according to circumstances. The same God who called light out of darkness now shines His light in our hearts through Jesus Christ.

The word “light” comes from the Greek word *phōs*, meaning illumination, brightness, or that which reveals and gives life. God's light drives out confusion, fear, deception, and hopelessness. Wherever His light appears, darkness loses its power.

There are moments in life when situations may appear uncertain or overwhelming. Some people respond by speaking fear, negativity, and defeat continually. But believers are called to respond differently. We speak faith. We declare truth. We call

forth what aligns with God's promises. This does not mean denying reality; it means refusing to allow darkness have the final word. God has given you His Word so you can release life, hope, and truth into situations around you. Your words carry influence, and faith-filled speech creates room for God's power to work.

When Jesus faced storms, sickness, and impossible situations, He spoke with authority. He understood the power of words spoken in faith. Likewise, believers should learn to speak light over their families, health, future, purpose, and circumstances.

Perhaps there are areas of your life where things seem unclear right now. Instead of surrendering to discouragement and fear, begin declaring God's promises over those situations. The light of God's Word has the power to transform what appears dark and hopeless. Remember, the light within you is greater than the darkness around you. Christ lives in you, and through Him, you carry divine illumination everywhere you go.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

Father, thank You for shining Your light into my heart through Jesus Christ. I refuse to walk in fear, confusion, or discouragement. Your Word lights my path and brings clarity, hope, and life to every area of my life. Help me to speak faith continually and reflect Your light to the world around me. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Genesis 1:3; Matthew 5:14–16; Ephesians 5:8	Neh 9-10

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CHRIST IS YOUR FOUNTAIN

Thursday, July 30, 2026

“For other foundation can no man lay than that is laid, which is Jesus Christ.” — 1 Corinthians 3:11

A foundation is the base upon which something is built and supported. It determines the strength, stability, and endurance of a structure. No building can stand properly if the foundation is weak. In the same way, the foundation of a person's life determines how they will stand through the pressures, trials, and uncertainties of life.

Scripture reveals that Jesus Christ is the only true foundation that cannot fail. Everything built outside of Him is unstable and temporary. Careers, possessions, human approval, emotions, and worldly success may change with time, but Christ remains unshaken forever.

Jesus explained this in Matthew 7:24–25 when He spoke about the wise man who built his house upon a rock: *“And the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house; and it fell not: for it was founded upon a rock.”* The storms still came, but the house remained standing because its foundation was secure.

Christ is that solid rock. He is often called the Rock of Ages because He is eternal, dependable, and unchanging. **Isaiah 26:4** says, *“Trust ye in the Lord for ever: for in the Lord Jehovah is everlasting strength.”* The phrase everlasting strength carries

the picture of an eternal rock that cannot collapse. You are also described as a spiritual house being built upon Christ. **1 Peter 2:5** says, “*Ye also, as lively stones, are built up a spiritual house.*” A life established on Christ becomes steady even in difficult seasons because its foundation is rooted in truth.

Many people appear strong outwardly until pressure exposes what their lives were truly built upon. Storms reveal foundations. Difficult seasons reveal whether trust has been placed in God or merely in temporary things.

Building on Christ means allowing His Word to shape decisions, values, desires, and direction. It means remaining rooted in Him through prayer, obedience, and fellowship with the Holy Spirit. A life built on Christ may still face storms, but it will not collapse. The foundation remains secure because Christ Himself remains faithful.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

Father, thank You because Christ is the firm foundation of my life. Thank You because my heart remains established upon truth that cannot be shaken. My life is rooted in Your Word, and my confidence remains secure in You. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Corinthians 3:11; Matthew 7:24–25 TPT; 1 Peter 2:5	Neh 11-12; Acts 25

3 8
LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE

Friday, July 31, 2026

*“Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven.” — **Matthew 5:16***

Many people underestimate the impact one life can have. They look at the size of the problems around them and conclude that their contribution is too small to matter. They assume that real change can only come through powerful leaders, wealthy individuals, or people with large platforms. But throughout Scripture, God repeatedly used ordinary people to accomplish extraordinary things. Never underestimate what God can do through a yielded life.

A difference is made whenever something changes for the better because of your influence, actions, or contribution. Sometimes that difference is visible immediately. Other times, its impact may not be seen until much later. A word of encouragement, an act of kindness, a prayer offered in faith, a problem solved at work, or a life pointed toward Christ can affect people more deeply than you realize.

When Jesus spoke about being the light of the world, He was reminding believers that their lives should influence the environment around them. Light does not need to announce its presence. It simply shines, and darkness gives way. In the same way, God has placed you where you are so that your life can bring hope, wisdom, truth, and positive influence to others.

Many people spend their lives waiting for a major opportunity while overlooking the opportunities already in front of them. The truth is that making a difference often begins with small acts of faithfulness. Joseph made a difference in a prison before he influenced a nation. David served faithfully as a shepherd before he became king. Dorcas impacted lives through simple acts of service and generosity. You do not have to change the whole world at once. You can make a difference in your family, church, workplace or community.

Every day presents opportunities to leave people better than you found them. The enemy wants people to believe their lives are insignificant. God says otherwise. He created you with purpose and placed gifts, abilities, experiences, and influence within your life that can be used for His glory and for the benefit of others. Do not spend your life wondering whether you can make a difference. Start where you are. Use what God has given you. Be faithful with the opportunities before you. One life surrendered to God can impact more people than it ever imagined.

PRAYER / DECLARATION

I declare that my life will be a positive influence wherever God has placed me. I will not underestimate the gifts, opportunities, and influence God has entrusted to me. Through my words, actions, and service, I will bring hope, encouragement, and blessing to others. God will use my life to make a meaningful difference in my family, community, workplace, and generation. In Jesus' Name. Amen.

FURTHER STUDIES	DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
Matthew 5:16; Ephesians 2:10; Philippians 2:15-16	Neh 13; Est 1; Acts 26

**HAVE YOU EVER WONDERED WHAT IT MEANS TO BE SAVED?
ARE YOU READY FOR A RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD AND
NOT JUST RELIGION?**

Many people think that having a relationship with GOD is about joining a religion or a church denomination. The simple truth is that it's all about a relationship with GOD, our Maker. It's about giving your heart and life to JESUS CHRIST, the Son of God, who died for your sins and the sins of the whole world so that you don't have to spend eternity separated from GOD.

Maybe you've felt unworthy of salvation because of things you've done in the past. Perhaps you've believed that your good works or simply being a "good" person would save you. Or maybe you thought you were saved just because you were baptized or prayed a prayer, without experiencing a real change of heart.

The good news is that JESUS is calling you right now to trust and believe in HIM. Trust that HE has done all the work and paid the price for your sins. JESUS died, was buried, and rose from the dead because He took the penalty for your sins upon Himself. He died so that you could have eternal life. GOD simply asks you to believe in JESUS CHRIST and receive HIS free gift of salvation so you can live an abundant life with GOD both here on earth and for all eternity. I invite you now to accept JESUS CHRIST into your heart by saying this prayer:

PRAYER OF SALVATION

O Lord God, I believe with all my heart in Jesus Christ, the Son of the living God. I believe He died for me, You raised Him from the dead, and He is alive today. I confess with my mouth that Jesus Christ is LORD. From this moment, I accept JESUS CHRIST into my heart as my personal LORD and SAVIOR. I declare that I am saved. LORD, take full control of my life, fill me with The HOLY SPIRIT, and help me to serve You, live for You, and glorify You now and forever. Amen!



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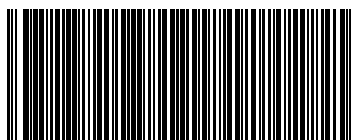


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