

PRAYERS

For Your Children

Father, in the name of Jesus, I pray and confess Your Word over my children and surround them with my faith — faith in Your Word that You watch over it to perform it! I confess and believe that my children are disciples of Christ taught of the Lord and obedient to Your will. Great is the peace and undisturbed composure of my children, because You, God, contend with that which contends with my children, and You give them safety and ease them.

Father, You will perfect that which concerns me. I commit and cast the care of my children once and for all on You, Father. They are in Your hands, and I am positively persuaded that You are able to guard and keep that which I have committed to You. You are more than enough!

I confess that my children obey their parents in the Lord as His representatives, because this is just and right. My children (say their names here) give honor and esteem to us as parents, and value us as precious; for this is the first commandment with a promise: that all may be well my children and that they may live long on the earth. I believe and confess that my children choose life and love You, Lord, obey Your voice, and cling to You; for You are their life and the length of their days. Therefore, my children are the head and not the tail, and shall be above only and not beneath. They are blessed when they come in and go out.

I believe and confess that You give Your angels charge over my children to accompany and defend and preserve them in all their ways. You, Lord, are their refuge and fortress. You are their glory and the lifter of their heads.

As parents, we will not provoke, irritate or fret our children. We will not be hard on them or harass them, or cause them to become discouraged, sullen, or pessimistic, or feel inferior and frustrated. We will not break or wound their spirits, but we will rear them tenderly in the training, discipline, counsel, and admonition of the Lord. We will train them in the way they should go, and when they are old they will not depart from it.

O Lord, my Lord, how excellent (majestic and glorious) is Your name in all the earth! I sing praise to Your name, O Most High. The enemy is turned back from my children in the name of Jesus. They increase in wisdom and in favor with God and man.

Scripture References: Jeremiah 1:12; Isaiah 54:13; Isaiah 49:25; Psalm 91:11; Psalm 91:2; Psalm 3:3; Psalm 8:1-2; Psalm 9:2-3; I Peter 5:7; 2 Tim. 1:12; Ephesians 6:1-3; Ephesians 6:4; Colossians 3:21; Deut. 28:3,6,13; Deut. 30:19-20; Proverbs 22:6

For Your Family

Father, in the name of Jesus, I thank You that You have poured Your Spirit upon our family from on high. Our wilderness has become a fruitful field, and we value our fruitful field as a forest. Justice dwells in our wilderness, and righteousness abides in our fruitful field. The effect of righteousness is peace (internal and external), and the result of righteousness is quietness and confident trust forever.

Our family dwells in a peaceable habitation, in safe dwellings and in quiet resting places. And there is stability in our times, abundance of salvation, wisdom and knowledge. Our homes shall be filled with reverent fear and worship for you, for it is our treasure and Yours.

O Lord, be gracious to us; we have waited expectantly for You. Be the arm of Your servants – our strength and defense — every morning, our salvation in the time of trouble.

Father, we thank You for our peace, our safety and our welfare this day. Hallelujah! In Jesus' name.

Scripture References: Isaiah 32:15-18; Isaiah 33:2, 6

For Marriages

Father, in the name of Jesus, it is written in Your Word that love is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost who is given to us. Because You are in us, we acknowledge that love reigns supreme. We believe that love is displayed in full expression enfolding and knitting us together in truth, making us perfect for every good work to do Your will, working in us that which is pleasing in Your sight.

We live and conduct ourselves and our marriage honorably and becomingly. We esteem it as precious, worthy, and of great price. We commit ourselves to live in mutual harmony and accord with one another delighting in each other, being of the same mind and united in spirit.

Father, we believe and say that we are gentle, compassionate, courteous, tender-hearted, and humble-minded. We seek peace, and it keeps our hearts in quietness and assurance. Because we follow after love and dwell in peace, our prayers are not hindered in any way, in the name of Jesus. We are heirs together of the grace of God.

Our marriage grows stronger day by day in the bond of unity because it is founded on Your Word and rooted and grounded in Your love. Father, we thank you for the performance of it. In Jesus' name.

Scripture References: Romans 5:5; Philippians 1:9; Colossians 3:14; Colossians 1:10; Philippians 2:13; Philippians 2:2; Ephesians 4:32; Isaiah 32:17; Philippians 4:7; 1 Peter 3:7; Ephesians 3:17-18; Jeremiah 1:12

For Singles

Father, I thank you for where I am in my life and my state of singleness. Singleness does not mean I am unloved, undesirable or alone, for You are always with me and satisfy me. Therefore I ask in faith, nothing wavering, to be filled with the knowledge of Your will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding. Today I incline my ear unto wisdom and apply my heart to understanding so that I might receive that which has been freely given unto me.

In the name of Jesus, I receive skill and godly wisdom and instruction. I discern and comprehend the words of understanding and insight. I receive instruction in wise dealing and the discipline of wise thoughtfulness, righteousness, justice, and integrity. Prudence, knowledge, discretion, and discernment are given to me. I increase in knowledge. As a person of understanding, I acquire skill and attain to sound counsels [so that I may be able to steer my course rightly].

I will walk in paths of uprightness. When I walk, my steps shall not be hampered – my path will be clear and open; and when I run I shall not stumble. I take fast hold of instruction, and do not let her go; I guard her, for she is my life. I let my eyes look right on (with fixed purpose), and my gaze is straight before me. I consider well the path of my feet, and I let all my ways be established and ordered.

Father, in the name of Jesus, I look carefully to how I walk! I live purposefully and worthily and accurately, not as unwise and witless, but as a wise – sensible, intelligent person. I make the most of my time in every area of life and take hold to every opportunity. In Jesus' name.

Scripture References: James 1:5-6a; Colossians 1:9b; Proverbs 2:2; Proverbs 1:2-5 (Amp); Proverbs 4:6, 8, 9 (Amp); Proverbs 3:16 (Amp); I Corinthians 1:30; Colossians 2:3 (Amp); Proverbs 2:7(Amp); 2 Corinthians 5:21; Proverbs 4:11-13, 25, 26(Amp); Ephesians 5:15-16 (Amp)

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