

MISSION KIDS



PRA YER GUIDE



HI FRIEND!

We've learned to be prayerful people. In any situation, whether good or bad, we try to pray before responding. Many times people react first and then look to God to get them out of that situation. But prayer must be our first option, not our last resort.

It is not enough to just understand our need for prayer. For it to be part of our lives, it needs to be something we look forward to. Many people don't enjoy praying because they never learned how to do it.

During these 21 Days of Prayer our goal is to learn to pray and we hope that you can use this simple prayer guide to grow in your relationship with God. When you discover the power of prayer your life changes radically. We hope that prayer becomes your lifestyle. We are sure you will experience the power of God!

Mission Kids Team

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PRAYER IS OUR LIFESTYLE

*Before daybreak the next morning,
Jesus got up and went out to an isolated place to pray.*

Mark 1:35 NLT

What can we learn from Jesus?

- He got up early to pray.
- He prayed in a specific place.
- He had a plan.

1. TIME:

The Bible says that Jesus got up very early in the morning to spend time with His Heavenly Father and pray. Jesus had a specific time to pray each day so He never missed out. We should do the same.

Did you talk to Jesus today?



What time are you going to pray?

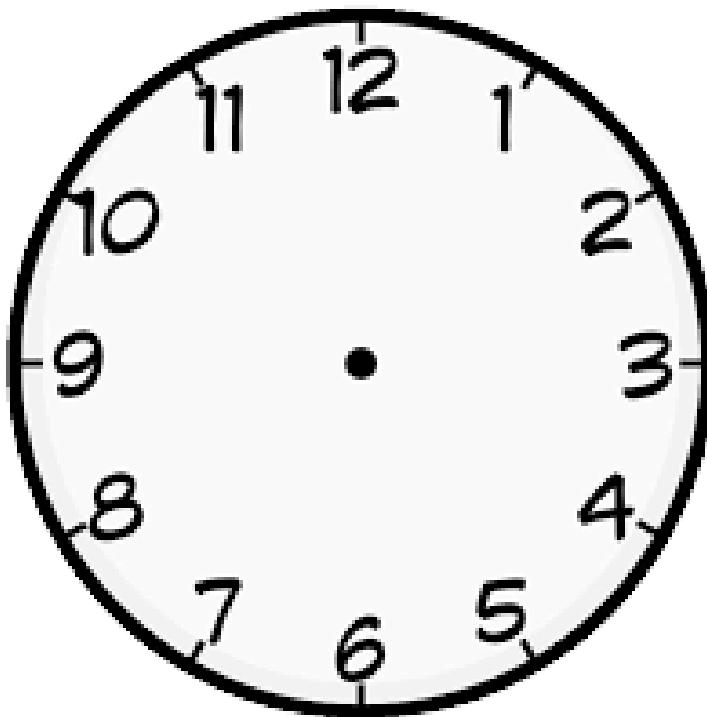
Use a pencil to circle your answer:

When I wake up

Before going to sleep

In the afternoon

**USE A PENCIL TO DRAW THE
TIME YOU PRAYED TODAY**

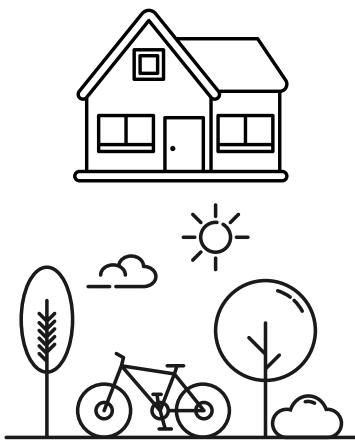


2. PLACE

Jesus had a place where He went to pray. We also need to find a place that is free of distractions, noises, or things that prevent us from focusing on Jesus.

My favorite place to pray is:

**BETWEEN, DRAW AND COLOR WHERE
YOU LIKE TO PRAY TO JESUS:**

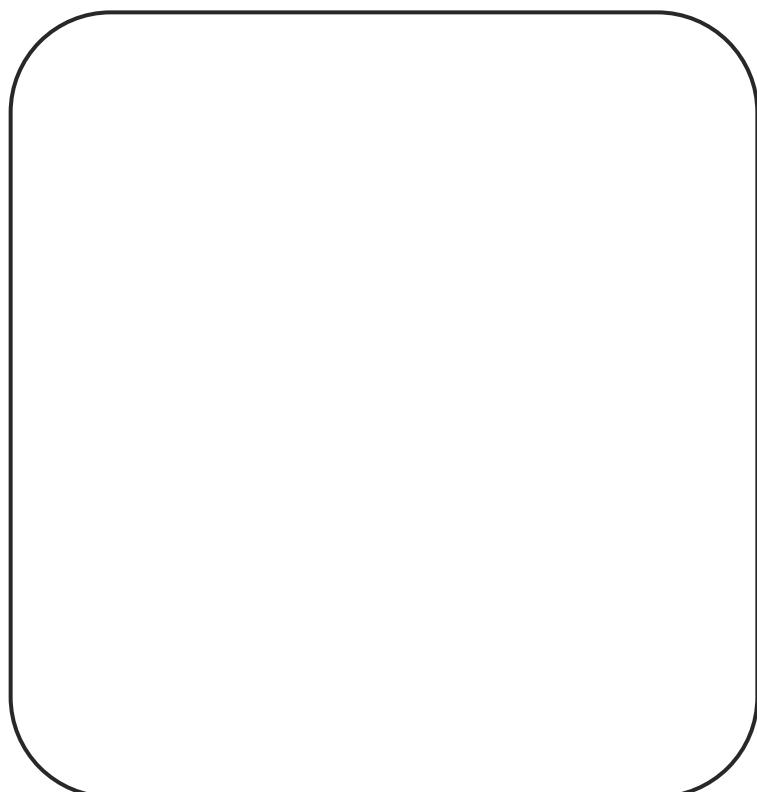


3 . PLAN

Every time Jesus prayed, He always had a plan. He had things in His heart that He wanted to pray for and He knew how He wanted to pray about them.

What is something you want to pray for, today?

**WRITE OR DRAW SOMEONE OR
SOMETHING YOU WANT TO PRAY
FOR TODAY:**



THE LORD'S PRAYER

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

Luke 11:1 NLT

This, then, is how you should pray: "Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one."

Matthew 6:9-13 NIV

"OUR FATHER WHO IS IN HEAVEN..."

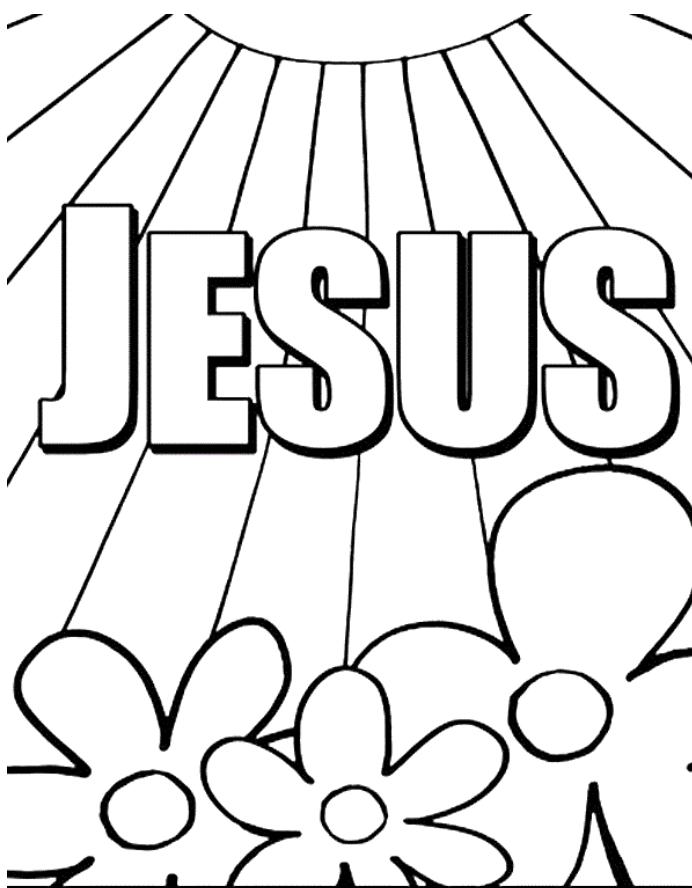


Connect with God. He is our Father.

MAKE A LIST OF WHAT YOU COULD SAY TO START YOUR PRAYER TO GOD:

Examples: "Dear God...", "Hello Father!", "Good morning, Lord!",

"... HOLY IS YOUR NAME..."



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LOVE HIS NAME!

*The name of the Lord is a strong fortress; the
godly run to him and are safe.*

Proverbs 18:10 NLT

CONNECT WHO HE IS WITH WHAT HE CAN DO:

HEALER

- God is on my side and will fight for me.

FRIEND

- God is in charge and He wants the best for me.

PEACE

- I will choose joy because God is my joy.

FORGIVENESS

- He is my hope for every situation.

LOVE

- He forgives me for everything I have done and will do.

HOPE

- Jesus loves me.

JOY

- He brings me peace no matter what happens.

KING

- He is always with me.

PROTECTOR

- God heals all our diseases.

**"...YOUR KINGDOM COME,
YOUR WILL BE DONE ON
EARTH AS IT IS IN HEAVEN..."**



Pray about what He wants for you.

*Seek the Kingdom of God above all else, and
he will give you everything you need.*

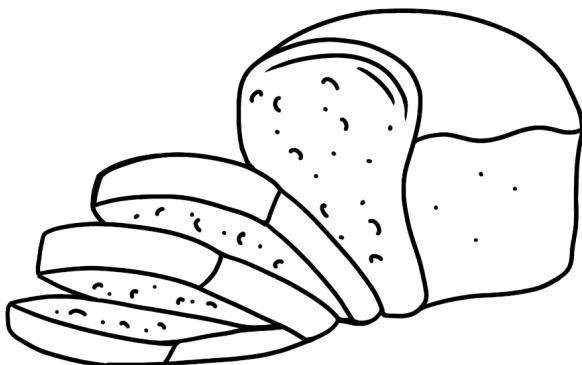
Luke 12:31 NLT

THE BEST THING WE CAN WANT IS WHAT GOD WANTS FOR US.

He will take care of everything we need!

Make a list of the things God wants for the world and you, and pray about them.

"...GIVE US TODAY OUR DAILY BREAD..."



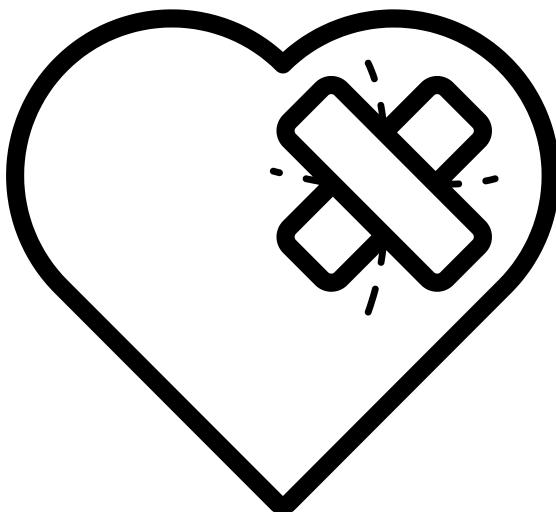
**Ask God for what you want and need, and
then trust Him to provide.**

*I look up to the mountains does my help come from
there? My help comes from the Lord, who made
heaven and earth!*
Psalms 121:1-2 NLT

HOW ARE YOU TRUSTING IN GOD?

Write some of your answers below.

**"... FORGIVE US OUR OFFENSES, AS
WE ALSO HAVE FORGIVEN OUR
OFFENDERS..."**



**Make sure your heart is right with
God and with people.**

*But if we confess our sins to him, he is
faithful and just to forgive us our sins
and to cleanse us from all wickedness.*

1 John 1:9 NLT

ASK JESUS TO LOOK INSIDE YOUR HEART:

1. What do you need to ask forgiveness for?

2. Who do you need to forgive?

Once you have prayed, color the following phrases:

**I AM
FORGIVEN**

**I CAN
FORGIVE**

**"...AND DO NOT LEAD US INTO
TEMPTATION, BUT DELIVER
US FROM THE EVIL ONE..."**



**Replace any of the lies the enemy
has told you with the truth in the
Word of God.**

*For we are not fighting against flesh-and-blood
enemies, but against evil rulers and authorities of the
unseen world, against mighty powers in this dark world,
and against evil spirits in the heavenly places.*

Ephesians 6:12 NLT

THE WORD OF GOD IS TRUTH!

Replace the lies you may have heard with
what God says is true.

LIES I HAVE HEARD

WHAT GOD SAYS IS TRUE

"I'm bad." _____ I can be a friend like Jesus.

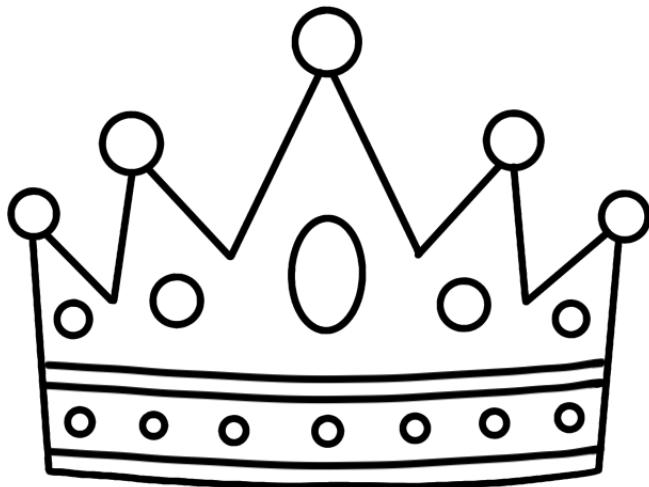
"I'm ugly." _____ I am wonderfully made.

"I do not have friends" _____ Jesus loves me and I am
never alone.

"If I lie, I won't get in trouble." _____ I can tell the truth and I'm
not afraid.

"If I do what is wrong, I will fit in." _____ My identity comes from
Jesus.

**“...FOR YOURS IS THE KINGDOM,
THE POWER AND THE GLORY
FOREVER. AMEN.”**



God can do anything (believe it)!

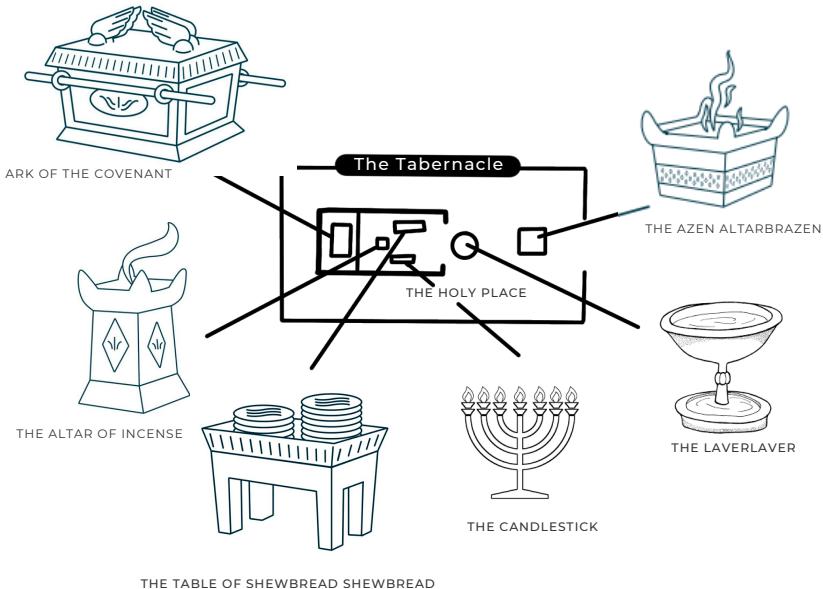
*O Sovereign Lord! You made the heavens
and earth by your strong hand and powerful
arm. Nothing is too hard for you!*

Jeremiah 32:17 NLT

THE TABERNACLE PRAYER

From the beginning, God has always wanted to be with us. In the Old Testament, God told Moses to build a place called the Tabernacle.

The Tabernacle was the place where God lived here on earth, where He would meet His people, and where they could worship Him. For people to enter the Tabernacle, they had to follow God's instructions by going through seven stations to experience His presence. Today, even though we no longer need the physical Tabernacle to meet God, these same steps can help us connect with Him. Each station of the Tabernacle can be used to guide our prayers.



THE OUTER COURT

Thanksgiving and Praise

Enter his gates with thanksgiving; go into his courts with praise. Give thanks to him and praise his name.

Psalms 100:4 NLT

PRAYER:

“Father God, You are good and deserve all my praise. Thank You for the many ways You have blessed me and for taking care of me. (Tell Him the specific things in your life that you are grateful for. Thank Him for something you have never thanked Him for before.) Lord stay with me. I want to experience Your presence and Your love in a new way today, Jesus. Thank You because no matter what happens, You always love me. I find hope in Your endless forgiveness and care. Thank You for who You are and for everything You have done for me.”

I AM GRATEFUL FOR...

Take some time to think about the blessings in your life and the amazing things God has given you that you are grateful for. Write a list, sing your praise song, or simply spend a quiet moment praising God.

THE BRAZEN ALTAR

The Cross of Jesus

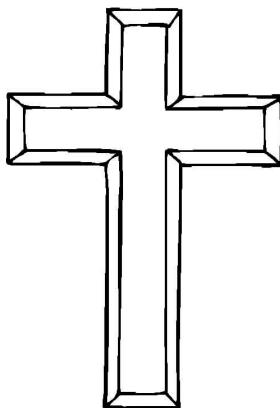


In the Old Testament, everyone had to bring animals to sacrifice as payment for their sins. Today, we don't have to do that because Jesus paid for our sins by dying on the cross.

Thank You, God, for sending Jesus to die for our sins so we don't have to! Thank You Jesus for Your sacrifice and Your love.

Take a moment to think about the sacrifice Jesus made. He loves you so much that He paid the consequences of our sins. He didn't have to, but He wanted to make a way for us to live with Him one day. Jesus can change our hearts and make us better because of what He did on the cross.

THE CROSS OF JESUS



Let all that I am praise the Lord; may I never forget the good things he does for me. He forgives all my sins and heals all my diseases. He redeems me from death and crowns me with love and tender mercies.

He fills my life with good things. My youth is renewed like the eagle's!

Psalms 103:2-5 NLT

PRAYER:

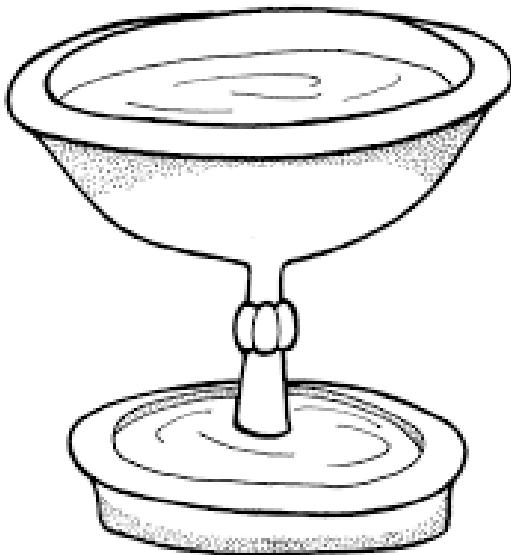
“Thank You, God, for making a way for me to be with You through Your Son. Jesus, thank You for the sacrifice You made for me on the cross. You saved me and freed me by paying for my sins. I praise You for being my Healer. You have power over all sickness and pain in my life (list areas where you need God to heal you). Thank You for being my Redeemer. You rescue me from sin and give me purpose in life. Thank You for changing my life with Your love and for making me new. I want to grow to be more like You (give God control of every area of your life). Thank You for blessing me and giving me the things I need. I know You have good plans for me, and everything I have comes from You. (Thank Him for the blessings in your life).”

THE LAVER THE LAVER

Cleaning and preparation

Next up in the Tabernacle was a bowl of water where people were reminded of their need to be washed and cleansed of their sins and forgiven by God.

Unfortunately, all of us sin. But it is an important part of our daily prayer to surrender our lives to God by giving Him control over every area of our lives. With His help, we can make the right decisions and follow God's plan for our lives.



And so, dear brothers and sisters, I plead with you to give your bodies to God because of all he has done for you. Let them be a living and holy sacrifice—the kind he will find acceptable. This is truly the way to worship him.

Romans 12:1 NLT

Unfortunately, sometimes we do what we want instead of what God wants. We all fall short of God's standard, and we all struggle with sin. Because of what Jesus did on the cross, we can confess our sins and receive full forgiveness and a new beginning. As you pray, be humble turn away from your sins, and allow God to wash, cleanse, and renew you. So, give your life to Him. Surrender your will and thoughts to God and allow Him to help you make the right decisions.

PRAYER:

"God, I confess my sins to You and turn away from them. (Tell God any sin you know is in your life. Ask Him to show you any other areas you need to change.) Thank you, God, for freely forgiving me. As I turn away from my sin, I turn to You, and give myself to You:

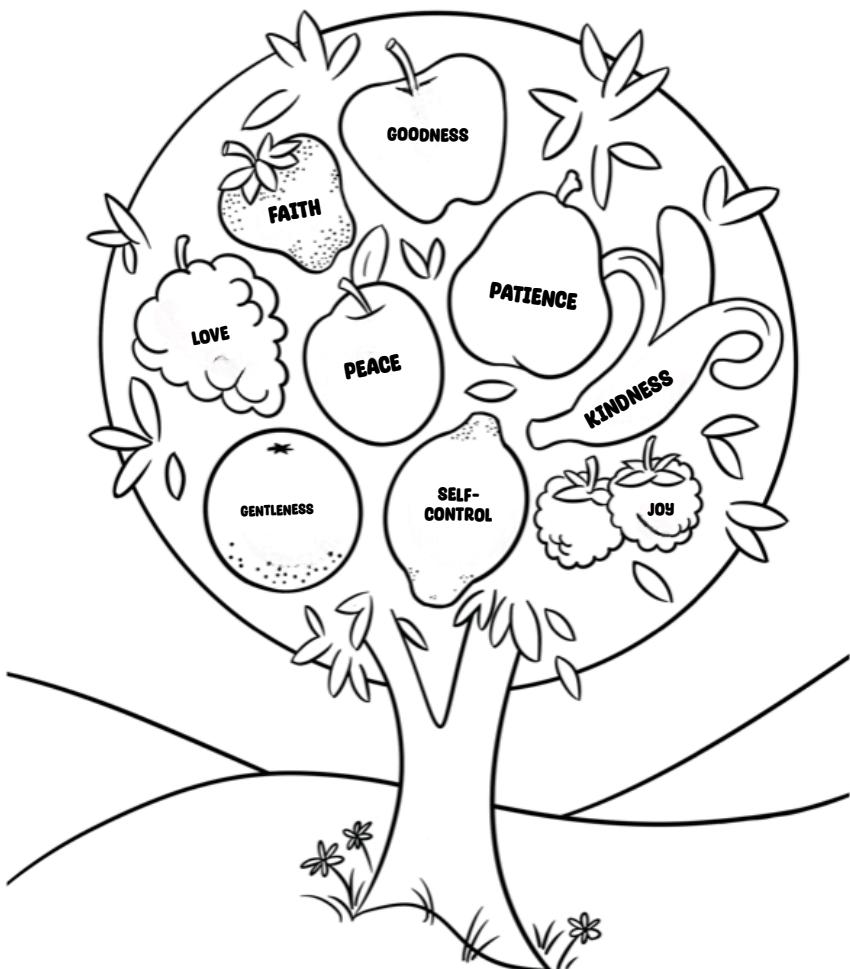
I give You my mouth, to speak well and not evil.

- I give You my eyes, to focus on You and the needs of others.
- I give You my ears, to hear Your voice.
- I give You my hands, to do good for others.
- I give You my feet, to walk where You take me.
- I give You my mind, to think positive things and to be transformed and used by You.

I ask You, Lord, for the wonderful gifts of Your Holy Spirit, so that I may draw closer to You and make a difference in the lives of others. I ask You for love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, meekness, and self-control. God, help me do the right thing."

THE GIFTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

When we follow Jesus and let the Holy Spirit guide us, we become more like Him.



THE CANDLESTICK THE CANDLESTICK

The Holy Spirit

The next piece of the Tabernacle was a seven-branched golden candlestick. The fire represents the Holy Spirit and how we are called to be a light in the darkness of the world by helping others experience the love of God.



And the Spirit of the Lord will rest on him—the Spirit of wisdom and understanding, the Spirit of counsel and might, the Spirit of knowledge and the fear of the Lord.

Isaiah 11:2 NLT

When Jesus left the earth, Christians were given the gift of the Holy Spirit. He calls the Holy Spirit our “advocate,” our supporter. The Holy Spirit helps us with everything we need. We cannot do what God called us to do without His supernatural power. It is through the Holy Spirit that God comforts us, guides us, and helps us.

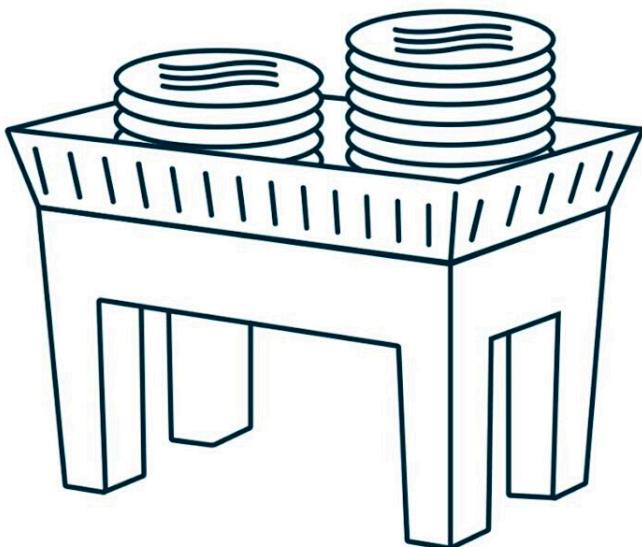
PRAYER:

"Holy Spirit, I ask You to fill me. I need Your presence in my life – guiding me, directing me, comforting me, and helping me. I know that You, Holy Spirit, are God. Help me see how great You are. Amaze me with who God is and what He does. Work in me, Holy Spirit. Teach and transform me (pray for any area in your life you need to change today). I honor You and ask You to help me love others the way You love them. "

THE TABLE OF SHEWBREAD WITH THE SHEWBREAD

The Word of God

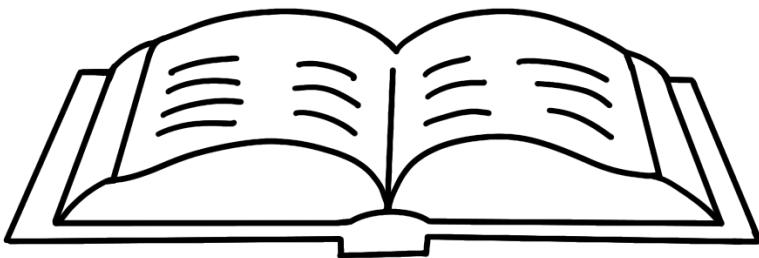
In the Tabernacle, a table with twelve loaves was set out to show the importance of reading the Word of God. Eating bread nourishes and strengthens us. Without eating, we cannot live. The same thing happens when we read the Bible: it satisfies and strengthens our spirit. Regularly reading God's Word keeps us healthy and helps us become more like Jesus.



THE WORD OF GOD

The Word of God, the Bible, is an incredible gift and a powerful tool to use in our daily lives. This is how you can use God's Word in your prayers:

- Take time to read the Bible and think about what you are reading.
- Find hope in the many promises God has for your life.
- Ask Him to show you and teach you things you didn't know before.
- Ask Him for a Word to help you start your day.



Study this Book of Instruction continually. Meditate on it day and night so you will be sure to obey everything written in it.

Only then will you prosper and succeed in all you do.

Joshua 1:8 NLT

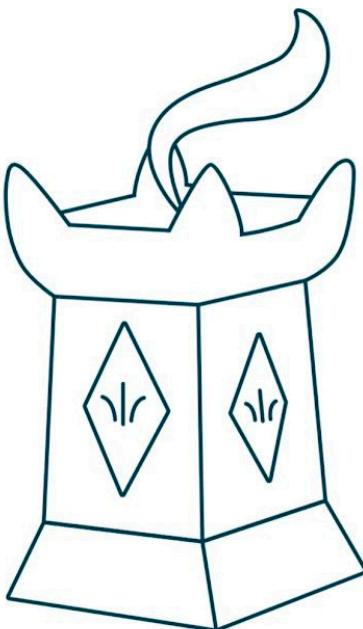
PRAYER:

“Thank you, God, for giving me Your Word, the Bible. I commit to reading it and ask You to speak to me through it and show me who You are. Help me fall more in love with You and Your Word, and help me use it more. I find hope in the promises You have for me, and I know that what You say is true (say whatever scripture you have in mind or read it aloud). Teach me more of You today and every day! I want to know You more and I want to see You more clearly through Your Word.”

THE ALTAR OF INCENSE

Worship

A small altar of burning incense was at the entrance to the Sanctuary where the presence of God dwelt. God's people worshiped His name when they came into His presence. (Many names in the Bible show us what God has done for us.) This altar represents worship and how much God loves us when we worship Him.



The name of the Lord is a strong fortress; the godly run to him and are safe.
Proverbs 18:10 NLT

When you pray, consider the names the Bible uses to describe who God is.

My Justice – Jeremiah 23:6

God is just and when you accept Jesus in your heart, you, too, become righteous. It means that He paid the price for your sin so you can be in right standing with God.

My Sanctifier – Leviticus 20:7-8

God is continuously working in you to change you so you can be more like Jesus. God sets you apart and makes you holy.

My Healer – Exodus 15:26

Jesus can comfort and heal you when you don't feel good. God can heal your mind, your body, and your spirit.

My Provider – Genesis 22:14

God will provide for you. Have hope and trust that God has great things for you. This does not mean that He gives you what you want, but rather, what you need.

My Banner of Victory – Exodus 17:15

A banner, much like a flag, is raised high to celebrate. We find our victory in what Jesus has done for us at the cross. He is always faithful.

My Peace – Judges 6:24

Trust God, He will give you peace in every situation.

My Shepherd – Psalm 23:1

Like a shepherd caring for his sheep, God will guide you, provide for you, and take care of your needs. He is always there for you and He will never leave you.

PRAYER:

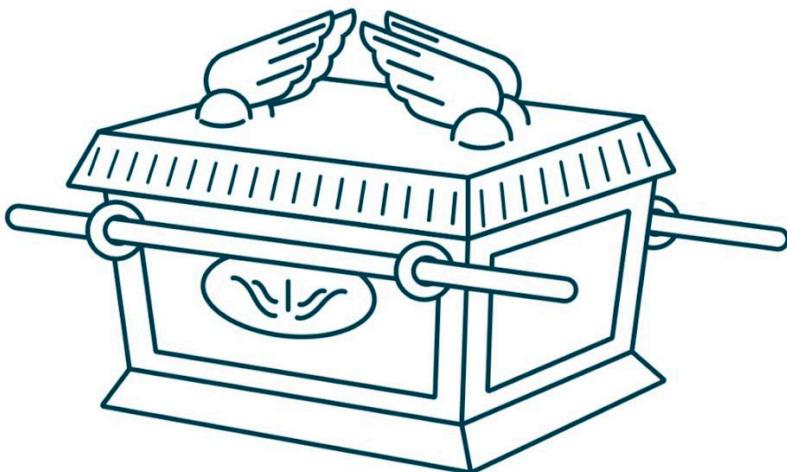
"God, thank You for wanting to be with me. Thank You for Your presence. I know You are here with me. I adore You and only You. I know, God, that You are my Righteousness, my Sanctifier, my Healer, my Provider, my Banner of Victory, my Peace, and my Shepherd. (As you pray, praise His Name and worship Him personally and specifically for who He is and what He has done in your life.) I know that You are always with me God, and Your presence means everything. You give me life, joy, and purpose, I love You, God."

I WORSHIP GOD FOR HIS...

THE ARK OF THE COVENANT

Intercession

The final station in the Tabernacle was the Holy of Holies, the most holy place where God dwelt. Only the priests could enter. Once inside, they would pray for other people. Today, since we all have access to God's presence through Jesus, we can do the same by praying for those around us. When we pray for others, it is called "intercession."



I urge, then, first of all, that petitions, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for all people—for kings and all those in authority, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness. This is good, and pleases God our Savior, who wants all people to be saved and to come to a knowledge of the truth.

1 Timothy 2:1-4 NIV

We can make a difference when we spend time praying for others. Pray for the people around you including:

- **Those in authority:** People who guide you and help you make good decisions such as your church leaders, your parents, your family, and your teachers.
- **Your family:** Your parents, grandparents, siblings, aunts, uncles and cousins.
- **Your church:** Pastors, Go Group leaders, and friends around me.
- **Your community:** People in your community, in your city, nation, and the world.
- **Your relationships:** Friends from church, your neighborhood, your school, or your sports teams.

PRAYER

“Thank You, God, for creating a path through Jesus so I have Your presence wherever I go. I want to specifically ask You to take care of those who have authority over me: my parents, my church leaders, and my teachers (use their names when you pray for them). I ask that You give them wisdom and grace, watch over them, protect them, and help them know and love You more.

I ask You, God, to be with my family. Bless them and keep them from evil (pray for anything your family needs). For those in my family who do not know You, meet them where they are and guide their hearts to You.

God, I ask You to take care of my church. Protect my pastor, take care of my leaders, and I pray for all who come to church. I pray that You bring new people to church who don't know You yet and that they have a great time and come to know You.

I ask that You take care of my community and my city, my nation, and the world. Bring peace and help them know You better. I pray for Your help in showing the love of Jesus to everyone I come to know. I pray that they see Your light in me.

I pray for my friends, my neighbors, and my classmates. Thank You for them, and please bless them (pray for any specific needs of others).

Lastly, God, I bring before You the things that matter to me. I know that You help me, give me what I need, and take care of me. I give You all my needs (share the needs in your mind). Thank You for loving me, choosing me, and calling me Yours. In the name of Jesus, amen.”

PRAYER AND DAILY READING

MY PRAYER LIST

Write a list of the things you want to pray for each day:

TELL JESUS HOW GREAT HE IS

A good start to prayer is below. Fill in the blanks and add your praise and worship as you tell Jesus about how great He is.

Search the Scriptures as you work through these lines:

Hi Jesus!

I love You very much!

Thank You _____ (Psalms 100:4; 118:24)

I love what You created _____

When I'm outside, I notice _____
in Your beautiful creation!

God, You made me. Thank You for my ability to
do _____ (Mark 12:30).

You love me for who I am, no matter what.
Thank You for being my God and my Friend. I love You!
In the name of Jesus, amen.

GIVE THANKS EVERY DAY

Jesus loves a grateful heart. Thanking God makes even the bad days good. A good start to praying this way is below. Fill in the blanks and add your own words of gratitude!

Hello Dad!

I am very grateful for You and everything You have given me.

Today, I thank You for my family!

I pray for my family, that You_____.

I thank You that I can wake up and have a new day!

I pray today for_____.

Thank You for the food I have to eat, the clothes I have to wear, and the house I live in.

Thank You for_____.

Thank You for dying for me and saving me.

Help me to be more like You, Jesus.

I am so grateful for You! I love You! (Psalms 96:1-2)

In the name of Jesus, amen.

ASK GOD TO GUIDE YOU EVERY DAY

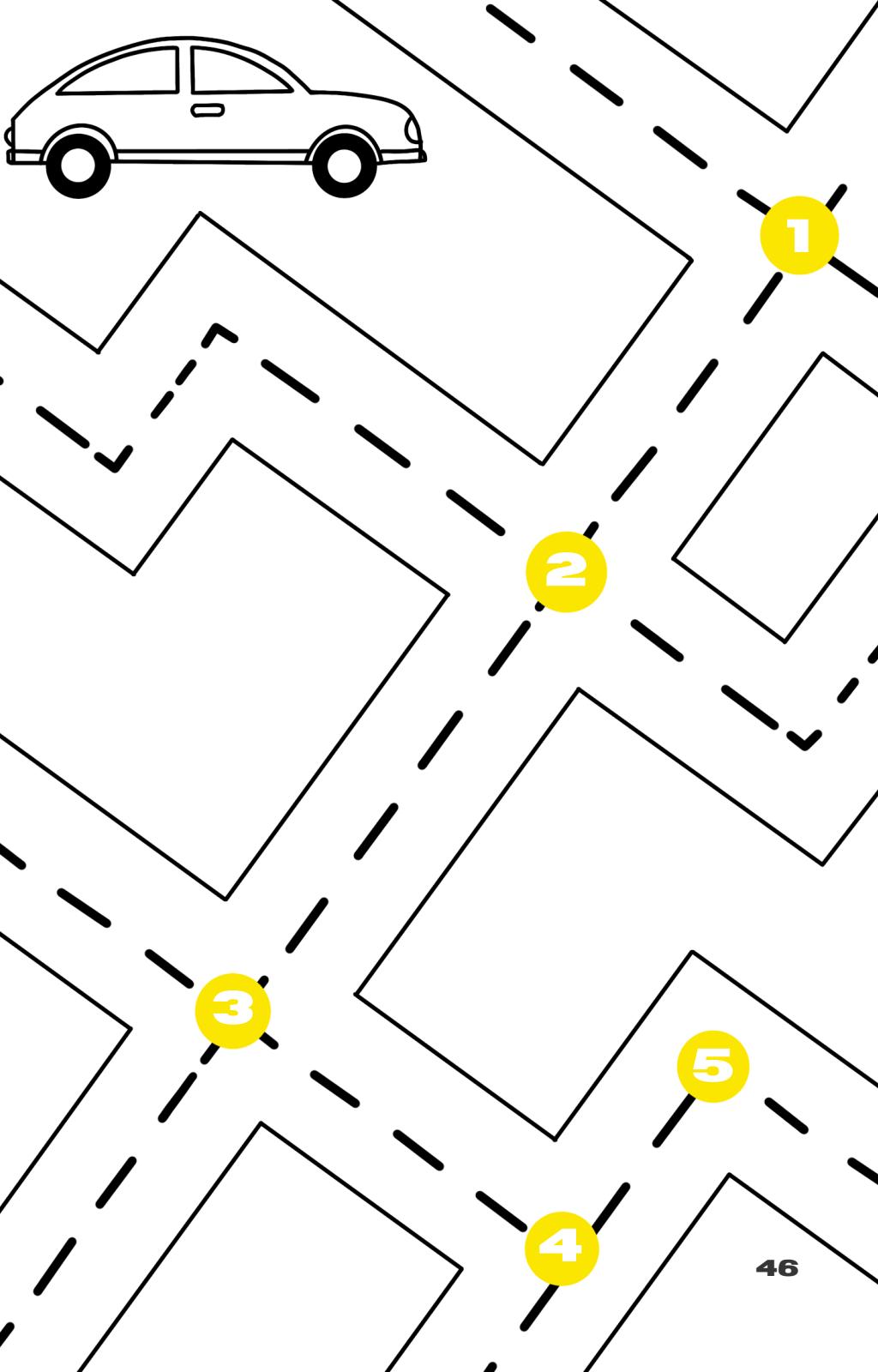
Have you ever gotten lost and didn't know where you were going?

It's not a fun feeling. The easiest way to avoid this is to ask someone with a map for directions. Jesus has the map of life and He has the best plan for your life.

Follow numbers 1-5 and color the road map on the next page as you ask Jesus to guide you today!

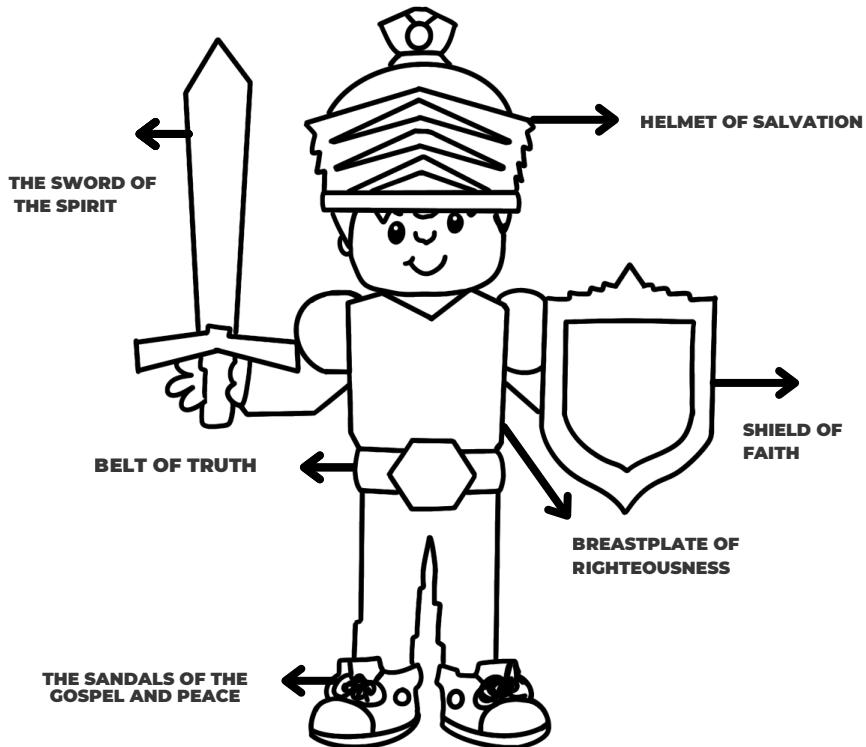
- 1.Thank You, Jesus, for the plan You have for me!
- 2.Today I choose Your plan for my life because I know it is the best!
3. Guide me. Give me the right words to say. Help me to think good thoughts.
4. Help me to be kind to people, be wise, and make good choices.
- 5.Jesus, make me more like You every day.

In the name of Jesus, amen.



PRAYERS FOR WHEN I NEED HELP

PRAY WITH THE ARMOR OF GOD



Read Ephesians 6:11-18 and then say a prayer to God like the one below to put on your armor!

Put on the whole armor of God so that you can stand up to the devil's schemes. Because our fight is not against human beings, but against powers, against authorities, against powers that dominate this world of darkness, against evil spiritual forces in the heavenly regions. Put on the full armor of God, so that you can take your stand against the devil's schemes. For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms. Therefore put on the full armor of God, so that when the day of evil comes, you may be able to stand your ground, and after you have done everything, to stand. Stand firm then, with the belt of truth buckled around your waist, with the breastplate of righteousness in place, and with your feet fitted with the readiness that comes from the gospel of peace. In addition to all this, take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming arrows of the evil one. Take the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God . And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord's people.

Ephesians 6:11-18 NIV

PRAYING WITH THE ARMOR OF GOD

“Lord,

Today I put on the whole armor of God. I am protected.

I put on the belt of truth to speak and walk honestly.

I will put on the Breastplate of Righteousness to do what is right.

I put on the sandals of the Gospel of peace so I will be ready to spread Your light.

On my arm, I will carry the shield of faith and block the attacks of the enemy. I know that God is with me.

On my head, I will wear the helmet of salvation. Jesus loves me, and I belong to Him!

With my shield in one hand, I will carry the sword of the Spirit with me in the other. It is the Word of God.

I will pray on all occasions, everywhere, for anything. I will be alert and will never stop praying daily for those around me.

In the name of Jesus, amen.

PRAYING FOR MY FAMILY

Honor your father and mother. Then you will live a long, full life in the land the Lord your God is giving you.

Exodus 20:12 NLT

“Jesus, thank You for my family. I appreciate that You love us and want the best for us. I pray that You give (names) and me wisdom today to make good decisions and do the things You want us to do. I pray that You will bless us so that we can be a blessing to others. I pray that You give us favor and influence. I pray that You guide us throughout the day and I ask that You watch over everything we do. I pray that You will cover us, protect us, and keep us from all evil so that we can do good things for You. In the name of Jesus, amen.”

PRAYERS FOR WHEN I FEEL ALONE

I will always be with you.

Matthew 28:20 NLT

I will never leave you; I will never abandon you.

Hebrew 13:5 NIV

“Jesus, thank You because You are my best friend. Thank You because You never leave me, and because I never feel alone.

As You are with me today, help me to follow You and make good decisions.

Help me to forgive anyone who has hurt me. Thank You for the comfort that Your Spirit brings me.

Help me to be like You and choose to love people the way You love others.

In the name of Jesus, amen.”

PRAYERS FOR WHEN I FEEL AFRAID

For God has not given us a spirit of fear and timidity, but of power, love, and self-discipline.

2 Timothy 1:7

“Jesus, Today I pray against the spirit of fear.
I command it to leave by the authority given to me by Your name.
I ask You to give me peace, Your perfect love that casts out fear, and complete trust in You.
Thank You because I don't have to be afraid. Thank You because You are in control. Thank You for loving me.
In the name of Jesus, amen.”

PRAYERS FOR PROTECTION

Jesus always wants to keep us safe because He loves us. There are three great things we can use to protect ourselves:

1. The Name of Jesus

Jesus tells us that He will protect us and keep us. He will cover us with His wings. The Bible says that the name of the Lord is a strong tower that we can run to to stay safe.

2. The covering of the blood of Jesus

When Jesus died on the cross for us, He shed His precious blood. And that blood saves us, washes away our sins, and protects us.

3. The Word of God (The Bible)

The Bible is full of prayers for protection. It is such a powerful weapon against the enemy! We can declare the Word of God over ourselves and our families. Psalm 91 is one of those great prayers of protection.

THE PRAYER OF JABEZ

He was the one who prayed to the God of Israel, “Oh, that you would bless me and expand my territory! Please be with me in all that I do, and keep me from all trouble and pain!” And God granted him his request.

1 Chronicles 4:10 NIV

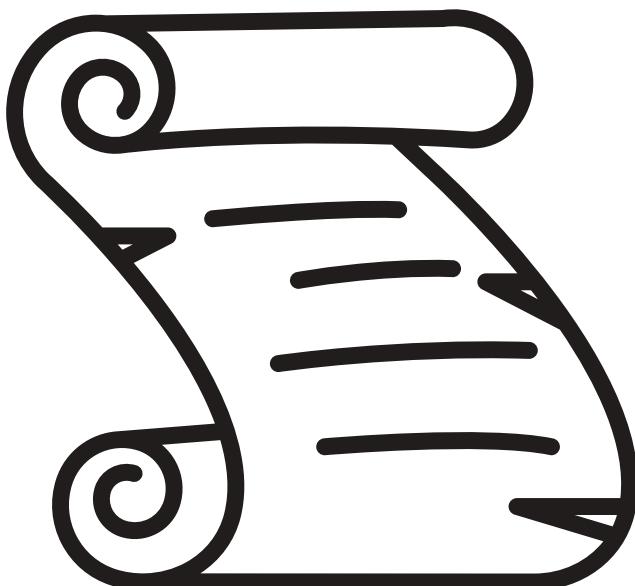
BLESSING

INFLUENCIA

PRESENCE

PROTECTION

Jabez prayed, “Oh, that you would bless me...” 1 Chronicles 4:10 NIV



Jabez begins his prayer asking God for his blessing. A blessing is like a good gift that is meant to help us or encourage us. We need more of God's blessing so that we can make a difference by helping others and showing them the love of Jesus. James 4:2-3 tells us: "They do not have because they do not ask. And when they ask, they do not receive, because they ask with bad intentions, to satisfy their own passions." How cool is this? God wants to bless us, but He is often waiting for us to ask with the right heart and attitude. He wants to see that we not only keep His blessings for ourselves but use them to bless others.

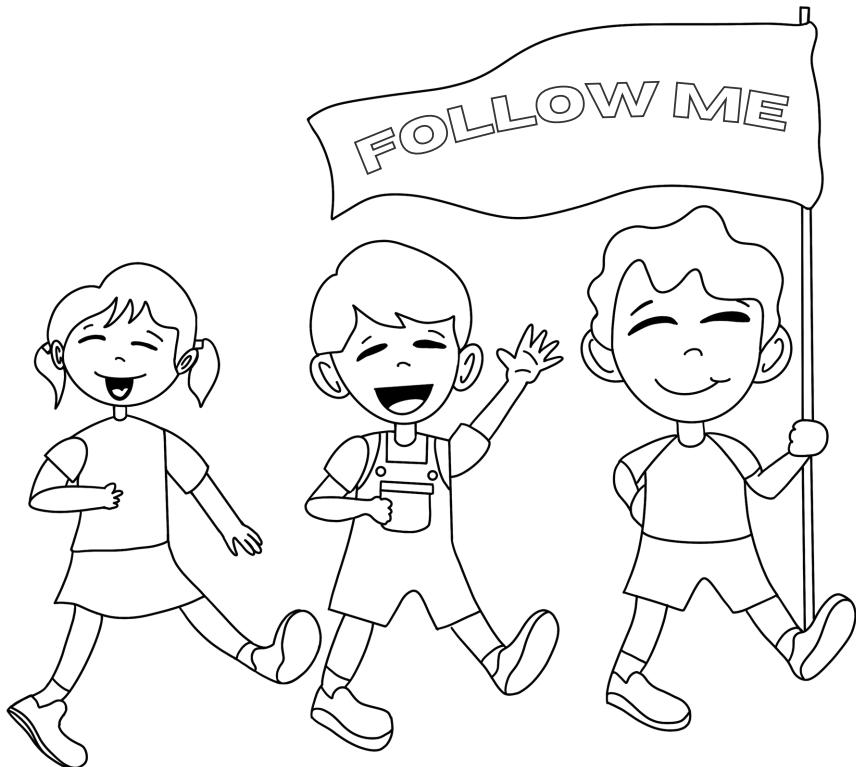
We have a really great God, and we can be bold and hopeful in asking for His gifts and blessings. In the Bible, James says that God sees our hearts and knows exactly what we need, but He wants to hear it from us. We receive God's attention when we ask for blessings to help others.

Ask God for His blessing. He knows that you need Him more than you do. You need Him so you can be a blessing to others and show them the great love of Jesus.

PRAYER:

"Father God, I know that You take care of me and give me what I need. I don't want to be selfish when asking for things, give me more so I can be generous and share Your blessings with others. Jesus, I want to be a blessing to bring others to You."

"...Enlarge my territory..." 1 Chronicles 4:10 NIV



God would help make Jabez's territory larger so that he could share God's blessings with more people. He wanted to be more successful in life so that he would have more opportunities to tell others about God and bring glory to Him. When God blesses us and gives us more, we too ask for more opportunities to influence the world around us to give Jesus the glory.

God has the power to bless us greatly, and He also has the power to give us more ways to make a difference. Pray for more influence. Pray that You will get to know more people so You can share God's love and blessings.

PRAYER:

"God, make me a better friend, a better classmate, and a better leader. Show me more ways I can reach more people and show them who You are and how much You love them. Help me to take good care of the things You have given me, and help me make a difference in the lives of more people."

“..I beg you to be with me in everything I do...”
1 Chronicles 4:10 NLT



To reach more people, we need the presence of God. God empowers us through the Holy Spirit to help us do more than we could ever ask or imagine (Ephesians 3:20). When we ask for blessing and influence, we also need to ask for God's presence to help us, so we don't try to do things in our own strength. Jabez knew that he could not be successful on his own. He wanted God to put His hand on him to help him make good decisions.

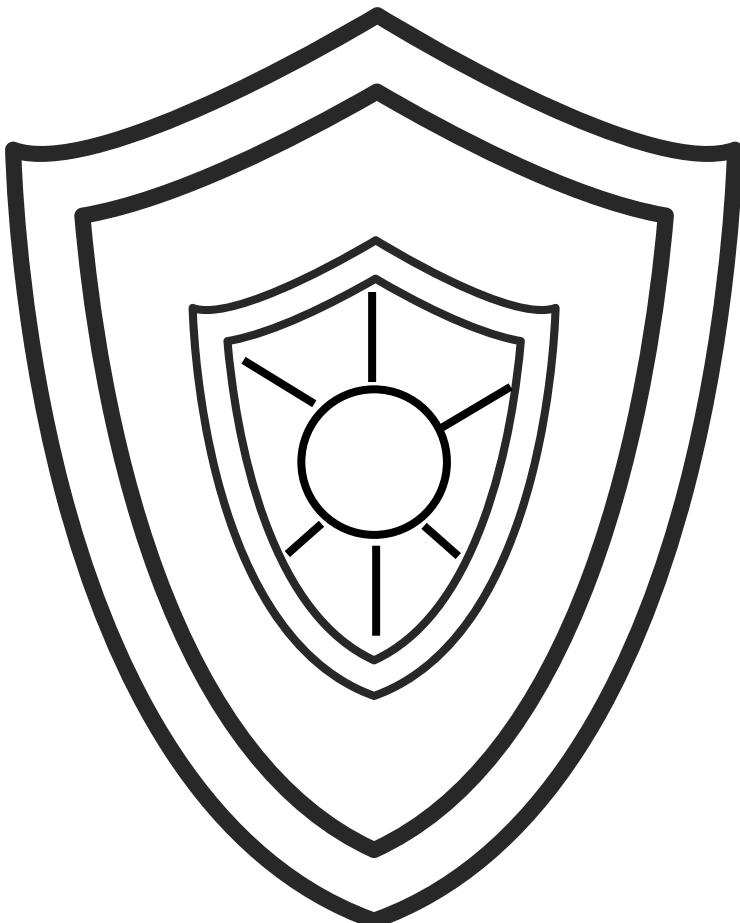
Trust in God and depend on Him; Ask for more of Him in your life today. Be humble and admit that you can't do things on your own, and that you need God to be with you and help you.

PRAYER:

"Lord, I know that without You I am nothing. I cannot do what You have called me to do on my own. I need Your hand, and I need You to be with me. I trust and depend completely on You. Help me, Lord. Thank You for giving me the power of Your Holy Spirit. The same power that raised Jesus from the dead now lives in me. By the power of Your Spirit, I pray that You help me to succeed and be better at the things You have entrusted to me. Thank You for always being with me and keeping me safe."

..Keep me from evil so that it does not hurt me..."

1 Chronicles 4:10 AMP NIV



Finally, Jabez asks the Lord to protect him. He asks God to keep him safe so that he will be free from pain. If we are making a difference in the lives of others, we must understand that the enemy will try to stop us. We can ask God to protect us, even before the enemy attacks. There is no need to be afraid—Jesus has already won the victory because of what He did for us on the cross! We have nothing to fear because God promises to be with us and protect us.

Trust that God protects you. Put your hopes in Him. Tell Him the specific areas in which you need His protection. Maybe it's at school, at home, or somewhere else. Pray that He will keep you from any harm in the future that you cannot yet see.

PRAYER:

"God, as I do the things You want me to do, I pray that You will stop every attack against me. Please keep me safe and protect my body, mind, and emotions. I pray that You keep me from any harm or danger. I also pray that you protect my family and friends. Jesus, I know You love me and care for me. I know I have nothing to fear because You have already won! Thank You for protecting me. I love You and trust You."

PRAYING FOR OTHERS

I urge you, first of all, to pray for all people. Ask God to help them; intercede on their behalf, and give thanks for them. Pray this way for kings and all who are in authority so that we can live peaceful and quiet lives marked by godliness and dignity. This is good and pleases God our Savior, who wants everyone to be saved and to understand the truth.

1 Timothy 2:1-4 NLT

COMPLETE THE LISTS BELOW WITH THE NAMES OF THE PEOPLE YOU WANT TO PRAY FOR:

MY CHURCH

THE GOVERNMENT

MY SCHOOL

MY FAMILY

MY FRIENDS

PEOPLE I DON'T KNOW

MY PRAYER REQUESTS

**DRAW SOMETHING YOU ARE
TRUSTING GOD FOR**



DRAW A PRAYER THAT GOD ALREADY ANSWERED



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