

**Pray Daily**  
**Psalm 86.3; 1 Thess 5.17**

*Psalm 86:3 - Be merciful unto me, O Lord: for I cry unto thee daily.*

*1 Thessalonians 5:17 - Pray without ceasing.*

**Things I pray for,**

*1 Timothy 2:1 - I exhort therefore, that, first of all, supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks, be made for all men;*

1. **Supplication** – This is to pray for whatever is in your heart and mind. Whatever you are dealing with. **It might be,**
  - a. **A Temptation** – Something alluring you toward sin.

What is a Temptation?

*James 1:14–15 - But every man is tempted, when he is **drawn away of his own lust, and enticed.** <sup>15</sup>Then when lust hath conceived, it bringeth forth sin: and sin, when it is finished, bringeth forth death.*

How do we transform our desires?

*Psalm 37:4–7 - Delight thyself also in the LORD; **and he shall give thee the desires of thine heart.** <sup>5</sup>**Commit thy way unto the LORD; trust also in him; and he shall bring it to pass.** <sup>6</sup>**And he shall bring forth thy righteousness as the light,** and thy judgment as the noonday. <sup>7</sup>Rest in the LORD, and wait patiently for him: fret not thyself because of him who prospereth in his way, because of the man who bringeth wicked devices to pass.*

Pray that you will delight in the Lord and His will and way.

*James 4:8 - Draw nigh to God, and he will draw nigh to you. Cleanse your hands, ye sinners; and purify your hearts, ye double minded.*

b. **A Trial** – Some hardship in your life that you are struggling with

c. **A Teasing Within You** – A desire whether good or bad or something with which you are struggling.

There is no sin in your life that prayer could not have overcome.

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Things To Pray For,

1. Supplication

*Philippians 4:6 - Be careful for nothing; but in every thing by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God.*

Whatever it might be you can and should talk to God about it. Pray and pray daily and continuously.

## 2. Intercession

*1 Timothy 2:1 - I exhort therefore, that, first of all, supplications, prayers, intercessions, . . . be made for all men;*

Intercessions are prayers made for others.

## 3. Thanksgiving

*1 Timothy 2:1 - I exhort therefore, that, first of all, supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks, be made for all men;*

## 4. Provision/Protection

*1 Timothy 2:1–2 - I exhort therefore, that, first of all, supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks, be made for all men; <sup>2</sup>For kings, and for all that are in authority; that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and honesty.*

## 5. Praise

*Psalm 150 - Praise ye the LORD. Praise God in his sanctuary: praise him in the firmament of his power. <sup>2</sup>Praise him for his mighty acts: praise him*

according to his excellent greatness. <sup>3</sup>Praise him with the sound of the trumpet: praise him with the psaltery and harp. <sup>4</sup>Praise him with the timbrel and dance: praise him with stringed instruments and organs. <sup>5</sup>Praise him upon the loud cymbals: praise him upon the high sounding cymbals. <sup>6</sup>**Let every thing that hath breath praise the LORD. Praise ye the LORD.**

## Qualities to pray for,

1. **The Faith of Abraham** - He took God at His Word.

*Romans 4:19–22* - And being **not weak in faith**, he considered not his own body now dead, when he was about an hundred years old, neither yet the deadness of Sara's womb: <sup>20</sup>**He staggered not at the promise of God through unbelief; but was strong in faith, giving glory to God;** <sup>21</sup>**And being fully persuaded that, what he had promised, he was able also to perform.** <sup>22</sup>And therefore it was imputed to him for righteousness.

2. **The Leadership of Moses**

*Exodus 32:30–32* - And it came to pass on the morrow, that Moses said unto the people, Ye have sinned a great sin: and now I will go up unto the LORD; peradventure I shall make an atonement for your sin. <sup>31</sup>And Moses returned unto the LORD, and said, Oh, this people have sinned a great sin, and have made them gods of gold. <sup>32</sup>Yet now, if thou wilt forgive their sin--; and if not, blot me, I pray thee, out of thy book which thou hast written.

3. **The Courage and Conviction of Daniel**

*Daniel 6:13* - Then answered they and said before the king, That Daniel, which is of the children of the captivity of Judah, regardeth not thee, O king, nor the decree that thou hast signed, but maketh his petition three times a day.

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**Daniel 6:16** - Then the king commanded, and they brought Daniel, and cast him into the den of lions. Now the king spake and said unto Daniel, Thy God whom thou servest continually, he will deliver thee.

### 3. The Heart of David

**Psalm 51:1–2** - Have mercy upon me, O God, according to thy lovingkindness: according unto the multitude of thy tender mercies blot out my transgressions. <sup>2</sup>Wash me thoroughly from mine iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin.

**Psalm 51:10** - Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me.

### 5. The Wisdom of Solomon

**1 Kings 3:7–9** - And now, O LORD my God, thou hast made thy servant king instead of David my father: and I am but a little child: I know not how to go out or come in. <sup>8</sup>And thy servant is in the midst of thy people which thou hast chosen, a great people, that cannot be numbered nor counted for multitude. <sup>9</sup>Give therefore thy servant an understanding heart to judge thy people, that I may discern between good and bad: for who is able to judge this thy so great a people?

**1 Kings 3:12** - Behold, I have done according to thy words: lo, I have given thee a wise and an understanding heart; so that there was none like thee before thee, neither after thee shall any arise like unto thee.

### 6. The Perseverance and integrity of Job

**Job 2:3** - And the LORD said unto Satan, Hast thou considered my servant Job, that there is none like him in the earth, **a perfect and an upright man, one that feareth God, and escheweth evil? and still he holdeth fast his integrity,** although thou movedst me against him, to destroy him without cause.

**Job 2:9** - Then said his wife unto him, Dost thou still retain thine integrity? curse God, and die.

*Job 27:2–6 - As God liveth, who hath taken away my judgment; and the Almighty, who hath vexed my soul; <sup>3</sup>All the while my breath is in me, and the spirit of God is in my nostrils; <sup>4</sup>My lips shall not speak wickedness, nor my tongue utter deceit. <sup>5</sup>God forbid that I should justify you: till I die I will not remove mine integrity from me. <sup>6</sup>My righteousness I hold fast, and will not let it go: my heart shall not reproach me so long as I live.*

## 7. The Zeal of Paul

*Acts 20:24 - But none of these things move me, neither count I my life dear unto myself, so that I might finish my course with joy, and the ministry, which I have received of the Lord Jesus, to testify the gospel of the grace of God.*

## 8. The Faithfulness of Timothy

*Philippians 2:22 - But ye know the proof of him, that, as a son with the father, he hath served with me in the gospel.*

## 9. The Compassion of Jesus

*Matthew 9:35–38 - And Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing every sickness and every disease among the people. <sup>36</sup>But when he saw the multitudes, **he was moved with compassion on them**, because they fainted, and were scattered abroad, as sheep having no shepherd. <sup>37</sup>Then saith he unto his disciples, The harvest truly is plenteous, but the labourers are few; <sup>38</sup>Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth labourers into his harvest.*

[Jesus Ministry Model - Jesus went, Jesus saw, Jesus felt, Jesus prayed.]

[We pray for the burden to go. God says go and I'll give you the burden.]

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