

PRAYERS TO DRAW CLOSER TO GOD

A PRAYER TO DESIRE GOD ABOVE ALL

(“You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart.” — Jeremiah 29:13)

The first step in growing closer to God is simply wanting Him. When we hunger for His presence more than anything else, He promises to draw near.

PRAYER:

Lord, stir up a deeper hunger for You in me. Help me desire You more than comfort, success, or anything else. I want my heart to chase after You today. In Jesus’ name, amen.

A PRAYER TO HEAR GOD’S VOICE

(“My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me.” — John 10:27)

God still speaks—through His Word, through prayer, and by His Spirit. Drawing closer to Him means learning to listen for His voice and follow His lead.

PRAYER:

Lord, help me slow down and listen for Your voice today. Speak through Your Word, through Your Spirit, and even through others You place in my life. Teach me to recognize and obey You. In Jesus’ name, amen.

A PRAYER TO ABIDE IN GOD’S PRESENCE

(“Remain in me, as I also remain in you. No branch can bear fruit by itself; it must remain in the vine.” — John 15:4)

Closeness to God isn’t a one-time thing—it’s about abiding. Staying connected to Him is the only way to live a life full of strength and fruit.

Prayer:

Lord, remind me to stay connected to You today. Keep me aware of Your presence in every moment, and let my life bear fruit that comes from walking with You. In Jesus’ name, amen.



A PRAYER FOR A CLEAN HEART

(“Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me.” — Psalm 51:10)

Sin and distraction create distance between us and God. When we ask Him to cleanse and renew us, He draws us back into closeness with Him.

PRAYER:

Lord, search my heart today. Forgive me where I’ve wandered, cleanse me from sin, and renew my spirit. I want nothing standing in the way of being close to You. In Jesus’ name, amen.

A PRAYER TO TRUST GOD FULLY

(Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding.” — Proverbs 3:5)

Trust builds intimacy. The more we trust God with our worries, our future, and our plans, the closer we walk with Him.

PRAYER:

Lord, I lay down my worries and my plans before You. Help me trust You with everything—my decisions, my future, my life. Draw me closer as I depend on You. In Jesus’ name, amen.

A PRAYER FOR OBEDIENCE TO GOD’S WILL

(“If you love me, keep my commands.” — John 14:15)

Closeness to God grows when we choose obedience. Every “yes” to Him deepens our love and strengthens our walk with Him.

PRAYER:

Lord, give me the courage to obey You today. Even when it’s hard, I want to choose Your way over my way. Let my obedience draw me closer to Your heart. In Jesus’ name, amen.



A PRAYER FOR GOD’S PRESENCE TO FILL MY LIFE

(“Come near to God and he will come near to you.” — James 4:8)

God isn’t far away—He promises to come near when we come near to Him. What a powerful promise to end the week with: He wants to be close.

PRAYER:

Lord, I draw near to You right now. Fill my life with Your presence. Let me sense Your nearness and walk in the peace of knowing You are with me. In Jesus’ name, amen.

