

# 40 Days of Prayer

"Now this is the confidence that we have in Him, that if we ask anything according to His will, He hears us. And if we know that He hears us, whatever we ask, we know that we have the petitions that we have asked of Him."

(1 John 5:14-15)

## PRAYER AGREEMENT

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### *Day 1 - Unity & Understanding*

10 I appeal to you, brothers, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that all of you agree, and that there be no divisions among you, but that you be united in the same mind and the same judgment.

(1 Corinthians 1:10)

### *Day 2 - Forgiveness*

31 Let all bitterness and wrath and anger and clamor and slander be put away from you, along with all malice.

32 Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.

(Ephesians 4:31-32)

### *Day 3 - Restoration*

8 Above all, keep loving one another earnestly, since love covers a multitude of sins.

(1 Peter 4:8)

12 Put on then, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, compassionate hearts, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience, 13 bearing with one another and, if one has a complaint against another, forgiving each other; as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. 14 And above all these put on love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. (Colossians 3:12-14)

## *Day 4 - Wisdom & Guidance*

5 If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask God, who gives generously to all without reproach, and it will be given him.  
(James 1:5)

5 Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding.  
6 In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths.  
(Proverbs 3:5-6)

## *Day 5 - Patience & Kindness*

4 Love is patient and kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant or rude.  
(1 Corinthians 13:4)

29 Let no corrupting talk come out of your mouths, but only such as is good for building up, as fits the occasion, that it may give grace to those who hear.  
(Ephesians 4:29)

## *Day 6 - Passion in Intimacy & Connection*

4 For the wife does not have authority over her own body, but the husband does. Likewise the husband does not have authority over his own body, but the wife does. 5 Do not deprive one another, except perhaps by agreement for a limited time, that you may devote yourselves to prayer; but then come together again, so that Satan may not tempt you because of your lack of self-control.  
(1 Corinthians 7:4-5)

## *Day 7 - Peace in Conflict*

9 Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.  
(Matthew 5:9)

12 For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers over this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places.  
(Ephesians 6:12)

□ *Day 8 - Spiritual Growth Together*

17 You therefore, beloved, knowing this beforehand, take care that you are not carried away with the error of lawless people and lose your own stability. 18 But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be the glory both now and to the day of eternity. Amen.

(2 Peter 3:17-18)

8 Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded.

(James 4:8)

□ *Day 9 - Protection of Our Marriage*

7 The Lord will keep you from all evil; he will keep your life. 8 The Lord will keep your going out and your coming in from this time forth and forevermore.

(Psalm 121:7-8)

14 The Lord will fight for you, and you have only to be silent.  
(Exodus 14:14)

□ *Day 10 - Finances*

9 Honor the Lord with your wealth and with the firstfruits of all your produce; 10 then your barns will be filled with plenty, and your vats will be bursting with wine.  
(Proverbs 3:9-10)

5 Keep your life free from love of money, and be content with what you have, for he has said, "I will never leave you nor forsake you."  
(Hebrews 13:5)

□ *Day 11 - Joy in Marriage*

13 May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope!  
(Romans 15:13)

□ *Day 12 - Purity & Boundaries*

4 Let marriage be held in honor among all, and let the marriage bed be undefiled,  
for God will judge the sexually immoral and adulterous.  
(Hebrews 13:4)

□ *Day 13 - Growing in Love & Respect*

22 Wives, submit to your own husbands, as to the Lord. 23 For the husband is the head of the wife even as Christ is the head of the church, his body, and is himself its Savior. 24 Now as the church submits to Christ, so also wives should submit in everything to their husbands. 25 Husbands, love your wives, as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her, 26 that he might sanctify her, having cleansed her by the washing of water with the word, 27 so that he might present the church to himself in splendor, without spot or wrinkle or any such thing, that she might be holy and without blemish. 28 In the same way husbands should love their wives as their own bodies. He who loves his wife loves himself.

(Ephesians 5:22-28)

□ *Day 14 - Open Communication*

6 Let your speech always be gracious, seasoned with salt,  
so that you may know how you ought to answer each person.  
(Colossians 4:6)

□ *Day 15 - Renewed Commitment*

18 Let your fountain be blessed, and rejoice in the wife of your youth.  
(Proverbs 5:18)

□ *Day 16 - Lasting Foundation*

Unless the Lord builds the house, those who build it labor in vain.  
Unless the Lord watches over the city, the watchman stays awake in vain.  
(Psalm 127:1)

9 Two are better than one, because they have a good reward for their toil.  
10 For if they fall, one will lift up his fellow. But woe to him who is alone when he falls  
and has not another to lift him up!  
(Ecclesiastes 4:9-10)

□ *Day 17 - God's Blessing on Our Marriage*

24 The Lord bless you and keep you; 25 the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you;  
(Numbers 6:24-25)

□ *Day 18 - Protection from Negative Influences*

3 But the Lord is faithful. He will establish you and guard you against the evil one.  
(2 Thessalonians 3:3)

11 Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the schemes of the devil.  
(Ephesians 6:11)

□ *Day 19 - Laughter in Marriage*

22 A joyful heart is good medicine, but a crushed spirit dries up the bones.  
(Proverbs 17:22)

□ *Day 20 - Trust & Loyalty*

6 So they are no longer two but one flesh. What therefore God has joined together, let not man separate.  
(Matthew 19:6)

□ *Day 21 - Emotional Intimacy*

24 Therefore a man shall leave his father and his mother and hold fast to his wife, and they shall become one flesh.  
(Genesis 2:24)

6 So they are no longer two but one flesh. What therefore God has joined together, let not man separate.”  
(Matthew 19:6)

□ *Day 22 - Contentment*

6 But godliness with contentment is great gain.  
(1 Timothy 6:6)

□ *Day 23 - Faithfulness in Love*

3 Let not steadfast love and faithfulness forsake you; bind them around your neck;  
write them on the tablet of your heart.  
(Proverbs 3:3)

□ *Day 24 - Leading Our Family Christ Honoring*

4 Fathers, do not provoke your children to anger, but bring them up in the discipline and instruction of the Lord.  
(Ephesians 6:4)

3 Behold, children are a heritage from the Lord, the fruit of the womb a reward. 4 Like arrows in the hand of a  
warrior are the children of one's youth. 5 Blessed is the man who fills his quiver with them! He shall not be put to  
shame when he speaks with his enemies in the gate.

(Psalm 127:3-5)

□ *Day 25 - Our Children's Salvation & Spiritual Growth*

8 For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, 9 not a result  
of works, so that no one may boast. 10 For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which  
God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.

(Ephesians 2:8-10)

Train up a child in the way he should go; even when he is old he will not depart from it.  
(Proverbs 22:6)

□ *Day 26 - Discernment in Decision Making*

105 Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.  
(Psalm 119:105)

□ *Day 27 - Prayer for Unshakable Love*

8 Above all, keep loving one another earnestly, since love covers a multitude of sins.  
(1 Peter 4:8)

19 We love because he first loved us.  
(1 John 4:19)

□ *Day 28 - Endurance Through Trials*

13 I can do all things through him who strengthens me.  
(Philippians 4:13)

*Day 29 - Strengthening Love Through Christ*

□ 13 So now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; but the greatest of these is love.  
(1 Corinthians 13:13)

12 "This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. 13 Greater love has no one than this, that someone lay down his life for his friends.  
(John 15:12-13)

□ *Day 30 - Strength in Difficult Times*

9 And let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up.  
(Galatians 6:9)

28 Have you not known? Have you not heard? The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He does not faint or grow weary; his understanding is unsearchable. 29 He gives power to the faint, and to him who has no might he increases strength. 30 Even youths shall faint and be weary, and young men shall fall exhausted; 31 but they who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles; they shall run and not be weary; they shall walk and not faint.  
(Isaiah 40:28-31)

□ *Day 31 - Commitment to the Word*

24 "Everyone then who hears these words of mine and does them will be like a wise man who built his house on the rock. 25 And the rain fell, and the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house, but it did not fall, because it had been founded on the rock.  
(Matthew 7:24-25)

□ *Day 32 - Peace in Our Home*

15 And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in one body. And be thankful.  
(Colossians 3:15)

18 My people will abide in a peaceful habitation, in secure dwellings, and in quiet resting places.  
(Isaiah 32:18)

□ *Day 33 - Christ Honoring Obedience from Children*

8 Hear, my son, your father's instruction, and forsake not your mother's teaching.  
(Proverbs 1:8)

12 "Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the Lord your God is giving you.  
(Exodus 20:12)

□ *Day 34 - Godliness in Parenting*

4 Fathers, do not provoke your children to anger, but bring them up in the discipline and instruction of the Lord.  
(Ephesians 6:4)

26 She opens her mouth with wisdom, and the teaching of kindness is on her tongue. 27 She looks well to the ways of her household and does not eat the bread of idleness.  
(Proverbs 31:26-27)

□ *Day 35 - Pure Hearts*

10 Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.  
(Psalm 51:10)

□ *Day 36 - Service & Humility in Marriage*

3 Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves. 4 Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others.  
(Philippians 2:3-4)

6 But he gives more grace. Therefore it says, "God opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble.  
(James 4:6)

□ *Day 37 - Christ Centered Home*

15 And if it is evil in your eyes to serve the Lord, choose this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your fathers served in the region beyond the River, or the gods of the Amorites in whose land you dwell.  
But as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord.  
(Joshua 24:15)

## □ *Day 38 - Heart to Seek the Lord*

4 One thing have I asked of the Lord, that will I seek after: that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to gaze upon the beauty of the Lord and to inquire in his temple.

(Psalm 27:4)

33 But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.  
(Matthew 6:33)

## □ *Day 39 - Protection for Our Children*

1 He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High will abide in the shadow of the Almighty.

2 I will say to the Lord, “My refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust.”

(Psalm 91:1-2)

## □ *Day 40 - Bringing Glory to God Through Marriage*

9 And so, from the day we heard, we have not ceased to pray for you, asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of his will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, 10 so as to walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him: bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God; 11 being strengthened with all power, according to his glorious might, for all endurance and patience with joy; 12 giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of the saints in light.

(Colossians 1:9-12)

16 In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven.

(Matthew 5:1)