



Praying for the Lost

- + Ask God to draw the lost to Himself.
No one can come to Me unless the Father who sent Me draws him. And I will raise him up on the last day (JOHN 6:44).
- + Pray for the lost around the world to have the opportunity to hear the gospel.
And He said to them, "Go into all the world and proclaim the gospel to the whole creation" (MARK 16:15).
- + Ask God to send more laborers into His harvest to proclaim the gospel to the lost.
Then He said to His disciples, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into His harvest" (MATTHEW 9:37-38).
- + Pray that when the lost hear the gospel, they will respond to it in faith and believe in Jesus.
For God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life (JOHN 3:16).
- + Pray for the lost to turn from darkness to the glorious light of the gospel and from the fleeting power of Satan to God.
... I am sending you to open their eyes, so that they may turn from darkness to light and from the power of Satan to God, that they may receive forgiveness of sins and a place among those who are sanctified by faith in Me (ACTS 26:17B-18).
- + Praise the Lord for seeking the lost. Pray that He will bring them in by faith, heal their every wound, and strengthen them with His presence.
I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, and the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them in justice (EZEKIEL 34:16).

Praying for Missionaries

- + Pray for missionaries to faithfully abide in Jesus by remaining in Him through prayer and meditating on His Word. Ask that they will bear fruit that remains.
Abide in Me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit by itself, unless it abides in the vine, neither can you, unless you abide in Me (JOHN 15:4).
- + Pray that missionaries will make it a priority to be steadfast in prayer and take time to give thanks for answered prayer.
Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it with thanksgiving (COLOSSIANS 4:2).
- + Pray that missionaries will seek to labor in God's strength and not in their own so that the incarnational work of the Holy Spirit will be visible and at work in and through their lives and efforts.
For this I toil, struggling with all His energy that He powerfully works within me (COLOSSIANS 1:29).
- + Ask God to give missionaries the words to speak and the boldness to proclaim them.
Praying at all times in the Spirit, with all prayer and supplication. To that end, keep alert with all perseverance, making supplication for all the saints, and also for me, that words may be given to me in opening my mouth boldly to proclaim the mystery of the gospel, for which I am an ambassador in chains, that I may declare it boldly, as I ought to speak (EPHESIANS 6:18-20).
- + Pray for missionaries to seek to model dependence on Christ so that they can honestly say, "Follow me as I follow Christ."
Be imitators of me, as I am of Christ (1 CORINTHIANS 11:1).
- + Pray that missionaries will stand firm in the battle and push forward in prayer and fasting for the lost people of the world.
Therefore take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand firm (EPHESIANS 6:13).

