

# PRAYER CONNECT

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## **Filled with the Knowledge of His Will**

*"For this cause we also, since the day we heard it, do not cease to pray for you, and to desire that ye might be filled with the knowledge of his will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding; That ye might walk worthy of the Lord unto all pleasing, being fruitful in every good work, and increasing in the knowledge of God. Strengthened with all might, according to his glorious power, unto all patience and longsuffering with joyfulness; Giving thanks unto the Father, which hath made us meet to be partakers of the inheritance of the saints in light" (Colossians 1:9-12).*

## **Pray that We Might be Filled with the Knowledge of God's Will.**

It is God's will for us to pray for God's people that they would be filled with the knowledge of God's will for all areas of our lives and in His Kingdom; praying that we be filled with all wisdom and spiritual understanding. The Lord, as our teacher, desires to teach us all things. He loves it when His people want to have His mind,

goals, and truth. Pray for our leaders on all levels that they may know and walk in the knowledge of God's will in all the areas in which they have authority. Pray that the children of God no longer walk in darkness but have clarity of wisdom and spiritual understanding. Pray that the children of God will no longer follow their own will but will earnestly seek after the perfect will of God for their lives instead.

### **Pray We Walk Worthy of the Lord unto All.**

It is God's will that we are pleasing to Him, fruitful, and continually increasing our knowledge of Him. He desires for us to know Him so that we may please Him and become fruitful in our lives toward Him. Pray that we may walk worthy of the Lord Jesus Christ.

### **Pray We are Strengthened with Might According to His Power.**

God wants us to walk in His glorious power, displaying the wonderous works He did on Calvary and in His resurrection. He wants to display His power in our lives as we are dead to sin and walk as new creatures in Christ. Jesus' quickening power wants to reveal itself through the children of God. While this world is seeking for strength in many areas, God wants to show His strength through us. We must not fear weakness, for it is in our weakness that God's strength is revealed. Pray that the children of God's light will shine so that they will draw all men out of the darkness and into the light of His strength, glory, and goodness, displaying to all what God can do in a life surrendered to Him.

### **Give Thanks and Praise.**

As a conduit for Christ all knowledge, strength, fruitfulness, and increase can flow from the heavenly places into and through our lives. He knows all, He has done all, and He can do all. We don't need to produce something miraculous. We just need to allow Him to flow through us. Prayer sets us in the proper alignment to do just that, giving praise and thanks that we are partakers of the glorious inheritance and illuminating light!

Deborah Smith



### **More Labourers**

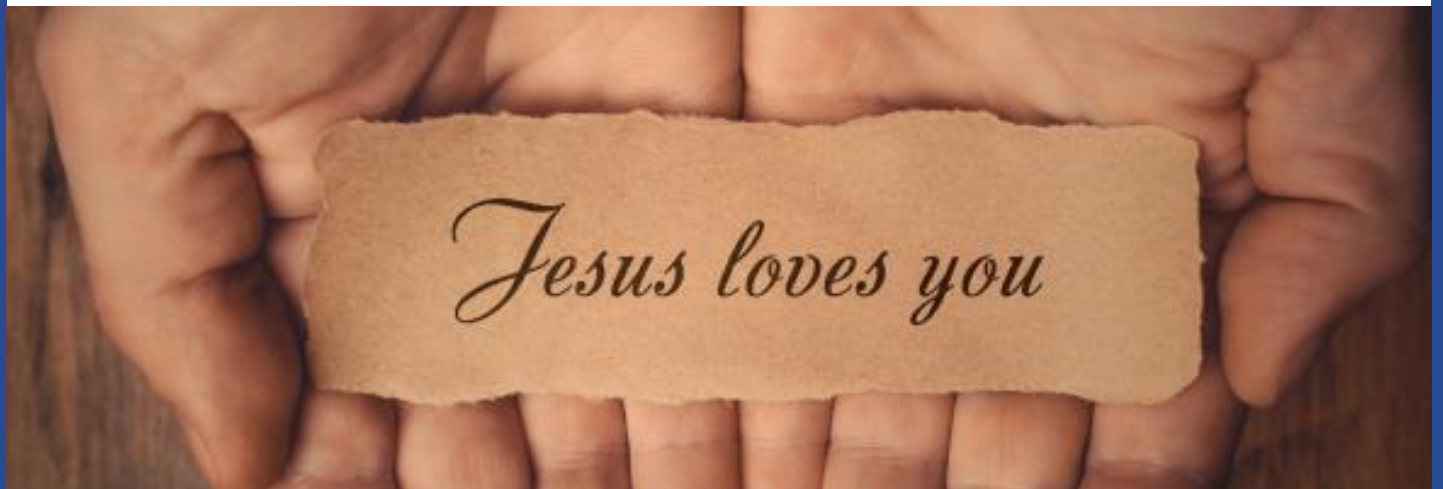
Jesus said, "*The harvest truly is plenteous, but the labourers are few; pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth labourers into his harvest*" (Matthew. 9:37-38).

The Lord is asking us to pray that He will send forth labourers into His harvest! There is a vast harvest, as the sand in the sea, for many souls have not yet received the whole gospel message of Apostolic doctrine and Truth. God is stirring the hearts of His people worldwide to earnestly pray for a great harvest and revival.

**We Pray:**

- That God would send forth more labourers into the mission field to reach the ripened harvest in these last days (Matthew 9:38).
- The Word of God would echo in their hearts to obey the call of the Great Commission to "*Go ... teach ... in all nations ... baptizing ...*" (Matthew 28:19).
- For labourers to stay focused, adhere to His Call, and be sensitive to His divine direction and that they be not diverted by the world (Acts 16:10).
- The labourers will have a renewed vision and passion to reach the harvest. So, the young, old, lost, and dying will receive deliverance and salvation. "*Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest*" (John 4:35).
- For labourers to come forth and apply for Missionary appointment.
- By the authority and power of the name of the Lord Jesus Christ we come against any confusion, intimidation, and opposition that will try to hinder God's people from coming forth to accomplishing the work of God.
- "*Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost [Jesus]*" (Matthew 28:19).

Teresa Hogue



If you or someone you know is experiencing symptoms of depression, prayer is an exceptional tool. Jesus loves when we come to Him with our sorrows! However, don't hesitate to reach out to a professional, in addition to the spiritual leaders in your life. We have each other for a reason! For those battling suicidal thoughts an additional resource includes: [National Suicide Prevention Hotline](https://www.suicideline.org/): 001 800-273-8255



## PRAYER FOCUS

You and I experience wonderful freedom each day largely in part to military soldiers serving in the armed services. Along with serving in their homeland, many are deployed around the world in war-torn countries, far from their homes and families. These brave men and women put their lives unselfishly on the line each day for our safety. One of the best ways to honor these heroes is simply to pray. Ask God to bless them for their sacrifices and for protecting the freedoms we know and love.

## PRAYER POINTS

- For protection. Many are stationed in areas where they are targets for enemy forces.
- For peace. Many are away from their families which weighs on them. Often they are in dangerous areas where they must be on constant alert.
- For our Commander-in-Chief and military leaders as they tirelessly seek peaceful solutions to international disputes.
- That military families would stay strong in times of separation and find support from their community, church, friends, and extended family during those times.
- That families would adjust to the many locations they are required to move to.
- For veterans. Many suffer from physical and emotional scars due to their service. Ask God to bring healing and peace to them.
- For sufficient healthcare for those who suffer medical conditions.
- For those who serve in the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines and Coast Guard.



## Access Challenged Nations

Join the World Network of Prayer and Global Missions in praying for these nations which need a stronger missionary presence. We will focus on one nation each week.



### Damascus

Population  
18,553,873

- 1** Pray for opportunities for Apostolics to have the wisdom and understanding to minister to the hurting and broken lives created by the on-going civil war in Syria.
- 2** Pray for Syria's minorities who have suffered greatly in recent years - ask the Lord to bless them and to give them opportunities to hear the Truth of God's Word and decide for themselves.
- 3** Ask the Lord Jesus to miraculously change the hearts and minds of the fighters on all sides of the conflict, to turn them toward Himself, and reveal to them the Truth of His Word.
- 4** Pray for a covering of peace and reconciliation for the Syrian people after years of harsh civil war. Pray that as they rebuild their lives and country, that they would see their great need of Jesus!