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¹⁶ Confess your trespasses to one another, and pray for one another, that you may be healed. **The effective, fervent prayer of a righteous man avails much.**

(James 5:16, NKJV)



¹⁶ Therefore, confess your sins to one another and pray for one another, that you may be healed. **The prayer of a righteous person has great power as it is working.**

(James 5:16, ESV)



¹⁶ Therefore, confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another so that you may be healed.

The effective prayer of a righteous man can accomplish much.

(James 5:16, NASB)



¹⁶ Therefore confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. **The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective.**

(James 5:16, NIV)



¹⁷ Elijah was a man with a nature like ours, and he prayed earnestly that it would not rain; and it did not rain on the land for three years and six months. ¹⁸ And he prayed again, and the heaven gave rain, and the earth produced its fruit.

(James 5:17-18, NKJV)



**Who / What do
we pray for?**



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**44 But I say to you, Love your
enemies and pray for those who
persecute you**

(Matthew 5:44)



**38 therefore pray earnestly to the
Lord of the harvest to send out
laborers into his harvest.**

(Matthew 9:38)



¹⁸ 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,** ¹⁹ and also for me, **that words may be given to me in opening my mouth boldly to proclaim the mystery of the gospel,** ²⁰ for which I am an ambassador in chains, **that I may declare it boldly, as I ought to speak.**

(Ephesians 6:18-20)



² Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it **with thanksgiving.** ³ At the same time, pray also for us, that **God may open to us a door for the word, to declare the mystery of Christ,** on account of which I am in prison—
⁴ **that I may make it clear, which is how I ought to speak.**

(Colossians 4:2-4)



First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made **for all people,** ² **for kings and all who are in high positions, that we may lead a peaceful and quiet life, godly and dignified in every way.** ³ This is good, and it is pleasing in the sight of God our Savior, ⁴ who desires all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth.

(1 Timothy 2:1-4)



Finally, brothers, pray for us, that the word of the Lord may speed ahead and be honored, as happened among you, ² and that we may be delivered from wicked and evil men. For not all have faith.

(2 Thessalonians 3:1-2)



¹³ Is anyone among you **suffering**? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing praise.
¹⁴ Is anyone among you **sick**? Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord. ¹⁵ And the prayer of faith will save the one who is sick, and the Lord will raise him up. And if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven.

(James 5:13-15)



Who / What do we pray for?

- To give thanks
- Our loved ones
- Our enemies
- Our church(es)
- The spread of the gospel
- Missionaries and mission fields
- For government officials
- For religious liberty



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