

BRIEF PRAYER OUTLINE

- I. "Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be thy name..."
 - A. Picture Calvary and thank God you can call Him Father by virtue of the blood of Jesus.
 - B. Hallow the names of God corresponding with the five benefits in the New Covenant.

<u>Benefit</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Meaning</u>
SIN(freedom from)	Jehovah-tsidkenu	The Lord My Righteousness
	Jehovah-m'kaddesh	The Lord Who Sanctifies
SPIRIT	Jehovah-shalom	The Lord My Peace
	Jehovah-shammah	The Lord Is There
SOUNDNESS	Jehovah – rophe	The Lord Who Heals
SUCCESS	Jehovah-jireh	The Lord Who Provides
SECURITY	Jehovah-nissi	The Lord My Banner
	Jehovah-rohi	The Lord My Shepherd

- II. "Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven..."
 - A. Pray for yourself.
 - B. Pray for your family.
 - C. Pray for your church. (Pastor, leadership, faithfulness of the people, harvest)
 - D. Nation (city, state, national political and spiritual leaders, and specific nations and conditions)
- III. "Give us this day our daily bread..."
 - A. Be in the will of God. (prayer life consistent, faithful to church, good work habits, obedient in giving)
 - B. Believe it is God's will to prosper you.
 - C. Be specific in making your requests of God.
 - D. Be tenacious. (persistent)
- IV. "And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors..."
 - A. Ask God to forgive you.
 - B. Forgive and release others to God, realizing that we cannot be forgiven unless we do this.
 - C. Set your will to forgive those who wrong you.
- V. "And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil..."
 - A. Put on the whole armor of God, the Lord Jesus Christ.
 1. Loins girt about with truth
 2. Breastplate of righteousness
 3. Feet shod with preparation (readiness) of the gospel of peace
 4. Shield of faith
 5. Helmet of salvation
 6. Sword of the Spirit which is the Word of God.
 7. Praying always in the Spirit
 - B. Pray a hedge of protection: The Lord is my refuge, my fortress, my God; in Him will I trust.
 1. Because you have made the Lord your habitation
 2. Because you have set your love upon Him
 3. Because you have known His name
- VI. "For thine is the kingdom, the power, and glory, for ever."
 - A. Praise God for inviting us to become participants in His kingdom, His power, and His glory.
 - B. Make the faith declaration: The Lord shall deliver me from every evil work and preserve me unto His heavenly kingdom.
 - C. Return to praise.

SIX-SEGMENT DETAILED PRAYER OUTLINE

- I. "Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be thy name..."
 - A. "Our Father, which art in heaven..."
 1. Form a mental picture of Jesus' blood shed on the cross and thank God you can call Him "Father" by virtue of that blood, for when I received Christ's forgiveness, I was adopted into the family of God and accepted as His child and heir.
 2. Thank Him for being a Father to us. We are not coming to a stranger, but to One who loves us, cares for us, and provides for us a father.
 - B. "Hallowed be thy name."
 1. Praise Him for the benefits brought to us by His death on the cross: (All beginning with "S" so they can be easily memorized). Hallow the 8 compound names of God that correspond to the benefits.
 - a. sin: Forgiveness and Deliverance from Sin's Dominion
 1. Jehovah-tsidkenu, the Lord our Righteousness-reveals the facet of God's character that transacts the redemption by which mankind is fully restored to God.
 2. Jehovah-m'kaddesh, the Lord Who Sanctifies-The blood of Jesus takes away sin, and also breaks the power of sin in you.
 - b. Spirit: The Fullness of the Holy Ghost
 3. Jehovah-shalom, the Lord our Peace-Harmony with God-wholeness, satisfaction, and contentment in life.
 4. Jehovah-shammah, the Lord is There-The veil in the temple is rent and every barrier is removed that stood in the way of reaching Him.
 - c. Soundness: The Promise of Health and Healing
 5. Jehovah-rophe, the Lord Who Heal-By His stripes we are healed-both physically and spiritually.
 - d. Success: Freedom From the Curse of the Law
 6. Jehovah-jirah, the Lord Who Provides-He provided salvation for me and redemption from the curse of the Law. We have been freed from moral, financial, emotional, social, or spiritual failure, for God has ORDAINED our success. I can do all things through Christ.
 - e. Security: Freedom from fear of Death and Hell
 7. Jehovah-nissi, the Lord our Banner-The banner represents God's cause, His battle, and was a sign of deliverance and salvation. His death gave us victory and makes us conquerors over all the enemy.
 8. Jehovah-rohi, the Lord our Shepherd-Also translated as companion or friend. He feeds us, leads us cares for us, and protects us. We do not have to fear anything.
 2. The 8 compound names of God are wrapped up in one single name of Jesus. "For there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved." Acts 4:12 Praise His name, Jesus! When you've said all this, you have just said, "Hallowed be thy Name."
 3. Ask God to show you ways you are taking His name in vain. If we allow anything in our lives that is not His nature and will, we are taking His name in vain. We are not HALLOWING it, we are profaning it. We must submit to the Lordship of Jesus and to the dominion of His name in every area of our lives.

- II. "Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.."
- A. Make a declaration of faith, declaring boldly: "Come kingdom of God. Be done, will of God." God has a will for each day of your life; therefore, put your foot down in prayer. Instead of constantly mouthing weak little prayers such as "Oh, Jesus, help me," begin boldly declaring God's promises. Refuse to let Satan's puny attempts to intimidate you hinder God's mighty purposes. Paul tells us, "The kingdom of God is not meat and drink, but righteousness, and peace, and joy in the Holy Ghost." Rom. 14:17 God reigns over us when we obey Him, accept His rule and authority in our lives and become active in Jesus' kingdom movement to defeat evil, redeem sinners, and bring to mankind the blessings of God's reign. When we pray this, we are submitting to God and calling upon Him to perform His will on earth.
- B. Establish your priorities for prayer in this order, praying for His kingdom to come and His will to be done in these 4 major areas:
1. Myself-Be sure I am right before God. If I am not, my prayers will not be effective. Each day pray that God's kingdom-His righteousness, joy and peace-be established in you and that His will for you that day be set in your spirit. Ask the Spirit to empower you with ability, efficiency and might.
 2. Your family-Your mate, your children, loved ones. This is vitally important because if you lose your own house, your work for the house of God will be greatly hindered. Pray that righteousness, peace, and joy will rule each family member's life. Make specific petitions. Be sensitive to what the Spirit of God tells you regarding each one. Claim God's wisdom daily in guiding and training your children. Allow the circle of your concern and compassion to be enlarged to others in the family. (Pray the Ephesians prayer here)
 3. Your church-Your pastor, the leadership, the faithfulness of the people, and for laborers for the harvest, and the harvest itself.
 - a. Your pastor-Ask God to anoint him, speak to him and direct him. Pray that he will have a shepherd's heart, to impart wisdom to him and to make him a pure channel through which the gifts and power of the Holy Ghost can flow.
 - b. Leadership-Say the leader's names in prayer. Pray that the Lord will make the various groups and departments in the church healthy and successful in winning the lost.
 - c. Faithfulness-Pray that the people of the church will be faithful to their families, to the church, and to Jesus. Ask that they be soul winners and intercessors, and that they would be faithful in bringing their tithes and offerings into the storehouse, and that they will serve God as He deserves.
 - d. Harvest-Pray this scripture for the harvest: "Fear not; for I am with thee; I will bring thy seed from the east, and gather thee from the west; I will say to the north, Give up; and to the south, keep not back; bring my sons from far, and my daughters from the ends of the earth, even everyone that is called by my name; for I have created him for my glory. Isa. 45:5-7 Speak to the powers of the air who work in the children of disobedience (see Eph.2:2) and hold the reins over certain areas. "North, you have people God wills to become a part of our church. I command you in the name of Jesus to release every person who is supposed to become a part of this body." Then speak to the other areas also. Bind the forces of evil, then in Jesus' name, ask God to dispatch angels to bring them in. Ask God to give the church laborers for the harvest, and for revival.

4. The Nation-city, state and national political and spiritual leaders, specific nations
 - a. Call the names of your city officials, state politicians, and leaders, asking God to give wisdom, be people of prayer, and be kept by the power of God. Pray this same prayer for our national leaders and the President.
 - b. Intercede for the United States. Pray for revival
 - c. Pray for specific countries, especially those oppressed by communism, famine, and experiencing revolution, etc. Allow the spirit of God to enlarge your borders of concern and compassion.
 - d. The Lord also commands us to pray for the peace of Jerusalem. Ps.122:6, so pray for the success of the nation of Israel.

III. "Give us this day our daily bread..."

This is a prayer for prosperity (not greed), a prayer that our needs be abundantly supplied by our Jehovah-jirah, the Lord Who provides. There are four requirements for this segment:

A. Must be in the will of God.

1. Ask the Lord to help you develop a consistent, daily personal prayer life and time in the Word where you fellowship daily with Him.
2. Pray the Lord will plant you in your local church and make you a contributing, functioning, healthy part of the body.
3. Examine your work habits. Are you slothful? A workaholic? Ask the Lord to give you ability, efficiency, might, and balance.
4. Examine your giving. Are you obeying the Lord in bringing your tithes (10% of income) and offerings into the storehouse? Or are you greedy, stingy or a poor manager? Do you pay your bills and have a reputation as a fair and honest person who keeps your word? Take time to pray along these lines.

B. Believe it is God's will to prosper you.

1. Memorize scriptures such as Luke 6:38 and Phil. 4:19 to use as faith declarations as you pray in you provision. "Give and it shall be given to you, good measure, pressed down, and shaken together, and running over, shall men give into your bosom. For with the same measure that ye mete withal it shall be measured to you again. Luke 6:38
But my God shall supply all your needs according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus. Phil. 4:19
2. Meditate upon the Word of God until you truly understand and believe it is God's will to bless you.

C. Be specific.

1. Bring specific needs daily before God.
2. Decide to pray instead of worry.

D. Be tenacious (persistent)

1. Repossess lost ground the devil has stolen from you. Discouragement and unbelief have robbed you of answers to prayer. Take up those petitions again and persevere until the answer comes.
2. Praise the Lord because He is Jehovah-jirah; He sees your need beforehand and make provision. Include here prayers for the needs of the church-both spiritual and material.

IV. "Forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors..."

A. Ask God to forgive you for known sins and even unknown sins.

1. Deal with your sins. Ask the Lord to reveal areas in your life that are not pleasing to Him.

2. Confess you sin to God. Agree with God and say what He says about your sin. Ask Him to help you hate your sin with perfect hatred and to deliver you from its dominion. Praise His name Jehovah-m'kaddesh, "the Lord Who Sanctifies."
 3. Do not allow condemnation. Remember: You are the righteousness of God in Christ. You are forgiven-God has forgotten.
- B. Forgive as often as you want to be forgiven.
1. Meditate upon your great debt of sin that God has forgiven.
 2. See your sin actually causing Jesus' suffering on the cross. Get a picture of the blood shed for your forgiveness.
 3. By an act of your will, forgive those who have sinned against you and release them to God. Pray for those who have wronged you.
- C. Set your will to forgive anyone who sins against you.
1. Make up your mind to return good for evil by the grace and power of the Holy Spirit within you.
 2. Make this faith declaration, "I will love my enemies, I will bless them that curse me and do good to them that hate me. I will pray for them which despitefully use me, and persecute me. (see Matt. 5:44)
 3. Pray that you will begin to experience the fruit of the Spirit in your life in greater measure: love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, meekness, temperance and faith. Gal. 5:22-23
- V. "And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil..."
- When Jesus commanded us to pray this part, He was instructing us to pray that forces beyond our own control will not lead us into trials. He is commanding us to watch and pray against entering into temptation through our own carelessness or disobedience. We should not neglect the prayer so essential for victory in spiritual conflicts. "Deliver us from evil" goes beyond the sense of a test or trial related to our inclination to sin. It introduces the supplication to be saved from the grasping, potent power of evil that seeks to influence, overcome and master us, then lead us astray. We must defeat the powerful evil forces seeking to hinder or destroy God's plan for our lives. Therefore, in Eph. 6:11,13, Paul instructs us to put on the whole armor of God so we will be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. This armor is really Jesus Christ. He wants to be our defense.

A. Here's how to put on the armor:

ARMOR

Loins girt about with truth

DECLARATION

Jesus is my truth

PROMISE

"I am the way, the truth, and the Life." John 14:6 "In the hidden part, thou shalt make me to know wisdom." Ps. 51:6

Breast plate of righteousness

Jesus, you are my Righteousness.

"For he hath made him to be sin For us, who knew no sin; that we might be made the righteousness of God in him." II Cor. 5:21 "Ye are complete in him." Col. 2:10

Feet shod with preparation of The gospel of peace

Jesus, You are my readiness.

"I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me." Phil. 4:13

ARMOR

DECLARATION

PROMISE

The shield of faith

Jesus, You are my faith

"I am crucified with Christ; nevertheless I live; yet not I, but Christ liveth in me: and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by the faith of the Son of God who loved me, and gave himself for me." Gal. 2:20
"Faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word (rhema) of God." Rom. 10:17

The helmet of salvation

Jesus, You are my Salvation

"And being made perfect, he became the author of eternal salvation unto all them that obey him." Heb. 5:9 "O God the Lord, the strength of my salvation, thou hast covered my head in the day of the battle." Ps. 140:7

Sword of the Spirit which
Is the Word (rhema) of God.

Jesus, You are my
Living Word.

"The words (rhema) that I speak
Unto you, they are spirit, and
they are life." John 6:63

Praying always in the Spirit

Jesus, You are my
Baptizer in the Spirit.

"And He shall baptize you with
The Holy Ghost, and with fire."
Matt. 3:11
"And He Who searches the
hearts of men knows that is in
the mind of the Holy Spirit-what
His intent is-behalf of the saints
according to and in harmony
with God's will." Rom. 8:27 amp.

B. Build a Hedge of Protection

1. Three "because" (see Ps. 91)
 - a. Because we have made the Lord our habitation (Ps. 22:3)
 - b. Because we have set our love upon Him (by seeking Him first Ps. 37:4)
 - c. Because we have known His name (Prov. 18:10-strong tower)
2. Declare: "He is my refuge and my fortress; my God, in Him will I trust."
Ps.91:2 In You do I trust. I know Your name. You are my righteousness, sanctifier, peace, healer, provider, banner, and shepherd, and Your presence dwells within me.

That is the way to pray a hedge of protection about yourself and your loved ones. When you live in these three "because" and daily declare He is your refuge and fortress, the Lord's protection forms around you like a cocoon.

- VI. "For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever."
- A. The kingdom
1. Praise the Lord because He has translated you out of the kingdom of darkness and into the kingdom of love and light.
 2. Make the faith declaration: "The Lord shall preserve me from every evil work, and preserve me unto His heavenly kingdom."
 3. Praise God because He has invited you to be a participant In His kingdom.
- B. The power
1. Praise the Lord because He has invited you to be a participant in His power.
 2. Meditate upon His power. Measure your problems against His mighty, miraculous works and His great love for you.
 3. Make this faith declaration: "I am strong in the Lord and in the power of His might. I have been endued with power from on high. Greater is He that is in me than he that is in the world. My Father gives me strength and power to get wealth. He gives power to the faint. As my day so shall my strength be. He keeps me by his power. He has given me power to tread upon serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy. Nothing shall by any means hurt me." Luke 10:19
- C. The glory
1. Behold the glory of the Lord-the character and ways of God exhibited through Christ. Ask the Holy Spirit to change you into the same image by forming Christ within you. Ask that you be transformed by the renewing of your mind.
 2. Ask the Lord to help you walk worthy of Him and to help you serve Him as He deserves to be served.
 3. Praise Him and give Him glory.

As an extra boost to your prayer time, examine closely the prayers of Paul in Ephesians. These are powerful prayers-taken straight from the Word of God. Pray them daily and substitute "me" for "you" (as it will be done already here for you.) Also, pray these prayers for your unsaved loved ones, substituting their names for "me". You will see dynamic results from these timeless prayers to God.

Ephesians 1:17-20

17. That the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of Glory, may give unto me (or _____) the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of him.
18. The eyes of my (_____)'s understanding being enlightened; that I (_____) may know what is the hope of your calling and what the riches of the glory of your inheritance in the saints.
19. And what is the exceeding greatness of your power to usward who believe, according to the working of your mighty power.
20. Which you wrought in Christ, when you raised him from the dead, and set him at your own right hand in the heavenly places.

Ephesians 3:14-21

14. For this cause I bow my knees unto the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.
15. Of whom the whole family in heaven and earth is names.
16. That You would grant me (_____), according to the riches of your glory, to be strengthened with might by your spirit in the inner man,

17. That Christ may dwell in my heart by faith; that I, (_____), being rooted and grounded in love,
18. May be able to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth, and length, and depth, and height;
19. And to know the love of Christ, which passeth knowledge, that I (_____) might be filled with all the fullness of God.
20. Now unto him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us, Unto him be glory in the church by Christ Jesus throughout all ages, world without end. Amen.