

Praying the Three Angels' Messages

Leader's Guide

Welcome—Let's Pray Together

We invite you to join God's people around the world in celebrating the quarterly Day of Prayer. No matter how great your challenges may be, our God is greater!

In a year filled with loss and grief, He offers hope beyond our imagination:

"Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need" (Heb. 4:16).

In a world of constant uncertainty, He promises answers:

"Call to Me, and I will answer you, and show you great and mighty things, which you do not know" (Jer. 33:3).

And to believers who regret the past or fear the future, He issues an open invitation:

"Come to Me, all you who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest" (Matt. 11:28).

Not one prayer escapes the notice of our loving heavenly Father, who waits eagerly to pour out blessings when His people ask. Please join us by gathering your church members, friends, and neighbors to seek God's wisdom and claim His endless promises!

Our 2022 Theme: Praying the Three Angels' Messages

This year our quarterly Day of Prayer guides will focus on praying through the timely three angels' messages of Revelation 14:6-12. Praying through Scripture gives substance to our prayers and allows God to speak directly through His Word.

You probably already know that the three angels' messages make up a vital part of Seventh-day Adventist identity. You may have memorized these verses. And yet a surprising number of Adventists cannot explain why these messages matter. Where do the three angels fit in the big picture of salvation? What do they say about God's love? How do they affect my life, and how can I share them with the world?

While the Day of Prayer guides are not intended as a theological study, we hope they lead you to pray with purpose and seek a deeper understanding of God's precious final messages to the world.

Invite Everyone—Young and Old

You may notice a change from previous years: these activities are designed especially for intergenerational groups. We want to inspire everyone to pray together: children and parents, teens and retirees, singles and couples, lifelong Christians and curious seekers. Please adapt the materials to suit your own group.

Many of the prayer activities will be more meaningful with children and youth present. Be sure to invite them to share their joy and talents during your Day of Prayer.

Suggestions for Day of Prayer Leaders

- The first Sabbath of each quarter is designated as the Day of Prayer. These materials could also be adapted for other prayer events or even youth groups.
- This year's Day of Prayer activities are designed for multiple generations praying together. Be intentional about inviting people of all ages. Ask children, youth, grandparents, single adults, and others to help lead activities.
- If you wish, begin prayer sessions with group singing or other music that is meaningful to your congregation and culture. Since this year's Day of Prayer is intended for multiple generations, consider including favorite songs for all ages. Ask young people or families to help choose and lead the music.
- Encourage participants to pray brief prayers so everyone can join in.
- This Day of Prayer guide includes suggested activities for five sessions:
 - Session 1:** Friday morning worship at church school or a youth meeting or other event.
 - Session 2:** Friday night family worship. (Families come in all shapes and sizes. If you are a family of one, consider inviting friends or neighbors to your home, or gather outdoors.)
 - Session 3:** Sabbath morning personal devotions. (Guard this time alone with Jesus. If you have young children, enjoy doing these activities together.)
 - Session 4:** Sabbath morning worship service at church.
 - Session 5:** Sabbath afternoon prayer service at church or another location.
- **Optional:** You may wish to hold an extended prayer session for adults and teens after Session 5 on Sabbath afternoon. See the United Prayer Guide for suggestions.

Basic Planning Checklist

- Talk to your pastor and church board well in advance and put the quarterly Day of Prayer on the church calendar for the first Sabbath of each quarter.
- Beginning several weeks in advance, announce Day of Prayer activities in church and in the bulletin. Let people know that this year's activities are designed especially for multiple ages.
- Encourage church members to invite community friends to join in Day of Prayer activities. God's timely messages of love are meant for all!
- Print the Church Handout and distribute several weeks in advance. The handout can also be distributed during the Day of Prayer to anyone who has not received it yet.
- Print activity sheets for Session 1, Session 4, and Session 5. Delegate a leader for each session.
- Print activity sheets for Session 2 and Session 3 and distribute copies to Day of Prayer participants one or two weeks in advance. Use the church bulletin or announcement time to briefly describe the Friday evening worship (Session 2) and Sabbath morning personal devotions (Session 3). Encourage members of all ages to join in. Send electronic reminders if possible.
- Print the United Prayer Guide and delegate a leader if you plan to hold a longer united prayer session after the group activities on Sabbath afternoon.
- Session leaders should read through activity sheets, gather any needed materials, find extra volunteers or music leaders if needed, and pray for the Holy Spirit to lead.
- Print other Day of Prayer materials as needed:
 - Welcome and Planning Suggestions (for leaders)
 - Prayer Promises (optional handout for participants)

More Resources

- Revival and Reformation website. Check under the Prayer tab for excellent prayer ministry ideas. Find all Day of Prayer resources for 2022 and previous years: <https://www.revivalandreformation.org/resources/all/prayer-and-fasting-days>.
- *Praying for Rain*. This downloadable booklet is filled with inspiring quotes and guidelines for leading united prayer: <https://www.revivalandreformation.org/resources/all/praying-for-rain>.
- *Experiencing God Through Prayer and Praise*. This downloadable packet includes fantastic resources for both personal and group prayer. Print individual topics or the entire packet. <https://www.revivalandreformation.org/prayer/experiencinggod>.
- ThreeAngels.info. If you want to learn more about God's end-time messages of love, the Seventh-day Adventist Church has created this new site filled with articles, videos, books and more: <https://www.threeangels.info>.

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You're Invited: Join Us for *Quarterly Days of Prayer* in 2022!

You're invited to join believers worldwide for a special Day of Prayer on the first Sabbath of each quarter.

- This year we're praying through the timely three angels' messages of Revelation 14.
- If your church is already celebrating the quarterly Day of Prayer, plan to attend and invite your friends. Otherwise, talk to your pastor or church board about participating in Day of Prayer this year. You can also participate as a family, in a small group, or on your own.
- Find Day of Prayer materials and other resources on the Revival and Reformation website under the Prayer pull-down tab: <https://www.revivalandreformation.org>.
- These prayer activities are designed especially for multigenerational groups. We want to inspire everyone to pray together: children and parents, teens and retirees, singles and couples, lifelong Christians and curious seekers. If you've never attended prayer events before, this is your chance!

No matter how great your challenges may be, our God is greater. In a year filled with loss and grief, He offers hope beyond imagination: "Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need" (Heb. 4:16). Let's pray together this year!

Why Pray Through the Three Angels' Messages?

You may have memorized the three angels' messages of Revelation 14:6-12. These are God's last messages of love to the world, and yet a surprising number of Christians cannot explain why these verses matter.

- Where do the three angels' messages fit in the big picture of salvation?
- What do they say about God's love?
- How do they affect my life and how can I share them with the world?

Praying through Scripture gives substance to our prayers and allows God to speak directly through His Word. We hope the 2022 quarterly Days of Prayer will lead you to pray with purpose and inspire you to study His precious prophetic messages more deeply.

So What Do the Messages Actually Say?

First, read Revelation 14:6-12 from a solid Bible translation. You may be confused at first because layers of meaning hide beneath the surface. How do you break the code? Start by prayerfully studying the entire Bible because it contains everything you need to understand the book of Revelation. Ask your pastor to offer a Revelation seminar or recommend good study materials that allow the Bible to interpret itself. Here's an extremely simplified summary to get you started:

Angel 1: Worship Jesus as our Savior and Creator in this time of judgment.

Angel 2: Follow Jesus through His written Word and do not be deceived.

Angel 3: You have a choice: follow Christ or Satan. Have faith in Christ as your Righteousness!

Praying the Third Angel's Message: Session 1

Time: Friday morning worship at church school or a youth meeting or other event

Theme: Patience

Connect

- Ask everyone to stand in a circle.
- Ask for several volunteers to briefly act out one situation in life that tests their patience. Ask the group to guess what is being acted out. Example: *Your restaurant order is slow to arrive.*
- Ask: Why do we lose our patience? (Sometimes we lose patience because we quit trusting Jesus to take care of us and our problems.)
- In Revelation 14:12, God describes His people who live in the last days before Jesus returns. Let's discover who His people are and pray for their experience to be ours!

Pray

- Pray for God to send the Helper—the Holy Spirit—to teach us God's Word.

Discover

- Read Revelation 14:12 together.
- Ask: We are going to focus on the first quality that describes God's people. What is it? ("patience" or "perseverance")
- Ask: Is God patient? Read 2 Peter 3:9 and 1 Timothy 1:16 together.
- What kind of patience does Jesus have? (perfect patience)

Pray

- Pray in groups of three or four: Thank God for a specific way He has been patient with you.

Sing

- Sing together: A song about how good God is.

Live

- Give each person a piece of paper. Invite everyone to draw a picture of a current situation where you need the patience of God to help you. Example: *Your little sister wants help with something.*

Pray

- Ask God to bless all of us with His unlimited patience.

Praying the Third Angel's Message: Session 2

Time: Friday night family worship or worship with friends in a home or outdoors

Theme: God gives us patience

Connect

- Sit with your family or group in a circle. Ask each person to describe their favorite fruit without naming it. Ask the others to guess the fruit. When they guess correctly, ask the person to tell why it is their favorite fruit.
- Explain: God says we all have fruit in our lives—a special kind of fruit.
- Let's discover what that fruit is and pray we will have it in our hearts every day.

Pray

- Pray that God will send the Holy Spirit to teach us about fruit that lasts.

Discover

- Read Revelation 14:12 together.
- Ask: In this verse, what is the first thing that God says His last-day people have? (“patience” or “patient endurance” or “perseverance,” depending on your Bible translation)
- Ask: How can we have more patience? Do we just need to try harder? Do we need to focus more on developing patience?
- Read Galatians 5:22, 23 together.
- Ask: What does the Holy Spirit grow in God's people? Notice that “patience” (or “longsuffering” or “forebearance”) is one of the fruits of the Holy Spirit.
- If possible, gather a basket of nine whole fruits and label each one with a fruit of the Spirit (write fruits of the Spirit such as “love” on small pieces of paper and attach with tape). Otherwise, work together to draw a basket on paper and add the “fruits” of the Spirit to your picture.
- Ask: How can we gain patience? Read Luke 11:13 together. (Ask for the Holy Spirit. He can grow patience in us.)

Live

- Ask each family member to answer: Where in my life do I need God's patience right now?

Sing

- Sing “He's Able” or another song about God's power to help you.

Pray

- In the third angel's message, God says His people have patience. Pray together for the Holy Spirit to give each of us His patience.

Praying the Third Angel's Message: Session 3

Time: Sabbath morning personal/family devotions

Theme: God's people keep His commandments

Connect

- Ask: What positive characteristics of your father or mother do you have? (These might be inherited traits or, especially in the case of adoptive families, they might be skills or traits you learned.) Examples: *good health, artistic skill, musical ability, friendliness, etc.* If you are worshiping with your family, share your answers together.
- People often know whose children we are by the characteristics our parents passed on to us.
- Let's discover a key characteristic of God's people at the end of time.

Pray

- Pray for God to send the Holy Spirit to teach His Word.

Discover

- Read Revelation 14:12 together.
- What is the second characteristic of God's people? (They keep the commandments of God. This includes the seventh-day Sabbath.)
- Read: "The special characteristic of the beast, and therefore of his image, is the breaking of God's commandments" (Ellen G. White, *The Great Controversy*, p. 446).
- God's people are those who keep His commandments, while those who follow the beast disregard God's commandments.
- Read: "The Sabbath will be the great test of loyalty, for it is the point of truth especially controverted" (Ellen G. White, *The Great Controversy*, p. 605).
- Read Philippians 4:13. What is the secret of how we can do all things that God has asked of us? (It is THROUGH CHRIST and by HIS STRENGTH.)
- Jesus Christ, the Author of the commandments, also kept the commandments during His life on earth. His grace and power have always been the Source of faithful obedience for God's people:
 - Genesis 39:7-13 Joseph refuses Potiphar's wife
 - Ruth 1:15-19 Ruth leaves heathen gods to follow the true God
 - 1 Kings 19:19-21 Elisha follows Elijah
 - Luke 1:31-38 Mary surrenders to carrying the Messiah

Pray

- Offer prayers of thanksgiving for how God always empowers His people to obey Him.
- Praise God for what these stories proclaim about God's faithfulness.
- Confess your personal need for Jesus Christ to be your Strength so you can obey.
- Ask God to fulfill Philippians 1:6 in you.

Live

- Does anything in your life presently compromise the commandments of God? Choose to surrender to Christ fully and trust in His strength.

Praying the Third Angel's Message: Session 4

Time: Sabbath morning worship service

Theme: Keeping the faith of Jesus

Planning suggestions:

Coordinate the church service with your pastor or elders. Include essential items from your usual order of service, such as welcome and offering. Note that Scripture readings, songs, and a multigenerational activity are included as part of this suggested service. Pray about how you can make the program special and include all ages in worship. Also remember to invite everyone to the afternoon prayer program, and encourage members to bring friends.

Before the Day of Prayer, prepare large pieces of paper listing the famous names for the Connect activity described below. Also gather paper and pens/pencils for the Live section below. Arrange for young people or other members to help by reading Scripture passages aloud. **This service can be "hosted" by a leader who remains up front to ask the discussion questions, explain passages, give directions, and announce songs. Young people or other volunteers may sit on the front row or beside the leader so they are ready to read Scripture passages, lead music, or help in other ways.**

Sing

- Sing songs focused on the love of Jesus. Choose one for children, one for youth, and one for adults.

Pray

- Have a child, youth, and adult each offer a short prayer inviting God to bless the worship with the presence of the Holy Spirit.

Connect

- See the list of famous names below. Write the names on large pieces of paper. (Feel free to change some of the names if they are not familiar in your region.)
- Ask the congregation to form groups of three or four. Have volunteers ready to team up with anyone sitting alone.
- Arrange for a young person to hold up the names one at a time for the congregation to read.
- As each paper is displayed, read out the famous name and give a brief description of the person as listed below.
- Ask the groups of three or four to discuss: Identify a characteristic of this famous person that you wish you had for yourself. Example: *I wish I could be as fearless as Sojourner Truth.*
 - Sojourner Truth Former slave and champion of freedom and women's rights
 - Albert Einstein One of the world's great physicists
 - Florence Nightingale Founder of modern nursing
 - Hicham El Guerrouj World record holder for fastest mile (as of 2021)
 - Frank Westphal Early Adventist missionary in Brazil
 - King Solomon King of Israel
- Explain: Humans may become famous because of wealth, power, character, intellect, beauty, or service to humanity.
- Ask: When you hear the name "Jesus," what characteristics come to mind?
- Explain: Today we will discover a trait found both in Jesus and in His last-day people.

Discover

- Read aloud: Revelation 14:12.
Ask: What is the final characteristic of God's end-time people mentioned in this verse? (God's end-time people have the "faith of Jesus.")
- Ask: What do we know from the written Word of God about the faith of Jesus?
Read aloud: Mark 4:35-41.
(Jesus had such faith in our Father's care that He could sleep peacefully in a storm-tossed boat.)
- Sing together: "A Shelter in the Time of Storm" or another song about God's care.
- Pray in groups of three or four: Offer prayers of thanksgiving that Jesus had perfect faith in our Father God and that we are safe in every storm.
- Sing together: "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" or another song about God's faithfulness.
- Read aloud: Mark 5:1-8.
Explain: Jesus had such strong faith in our heavenly Father that He had no fear in facing a demon-possessed man that no one else could subdue.
- Pray in groups of three or four. Praise God for specific acts of His faithfulness.

- Explain: We may be tempted to think, "I'm not Jesus, so how can I have His kind of faith? How can I sleep peacefully in this storm-tossed world? How can I face anything Satan might bring against me: disease, losing a job, or losing loved ones? How can I have faith to trust God and not give up?"
- Pray in groups of three or four: Confess our need of Christ and our past failures to believe.
- Sing together: "Give Me Jesus" or another song about how Christ is all we need.

- Read together in groups of three or four: Colossians 1:27. Find a three-word phrase in this verse that tells us the secret to having the "faith of Jesus."
- Ask: What's the secret? It's "Christ IN you!"
The Bible says that "Christ IN you" is "THE hope of glory!"
- Read aloud: "I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears My voice and opens the door, I will come in to him and dine with him, and he with Me" (Rev. 3:20).
- Pray in groups of three or four: If you have received Christ as Savior, thank Him for living in your heart by faith. If you have not accepted Him before, invite Him into your heart now.
- Sing together: first stanza of "Live Out Thy Life Within Me" or another song of consecration.

Live

- Give everyone a piece of paper and a pencil/pen. Invite everyone to draw a simple picture of themselves (stick figures are fine). Label the picture with your first name and add a large heart shape where the heart should be. Write the name "Jesus" inside that heart.
- Explain: Sometimes we forget where Jesus lives. Jesus lives in your heart. He comes in and gives you His faith and His righteousness!
- Consider displaying the pictures in front of the congregation or in the church entry for all to see.

Sing

- Sing together: the last three stanzas of "Live Out Thy Life Within Me" or another song.

Pray

- Thank God for Jesus, the Faithful One who lives within our hearts and gives us His faith.

Praying the Third Angel's Message: Session 5

Time: Sabbath afternoon prayer program

Theme: Complete in Jesus!

Sing

- Sing songs about Jesus: one for children, one for youth, and one for adults.

Pray

- Invite God to send the Holy Spirit with power into the hearts of His people.

Connect

- Ask everyone to form groups of three or four. Share with your group about a time in your life when something did not seem complete—a time when something was missing.
Example: *You started to make a cake but were missing a major ingredient.*
- Explain: Sometimes we're missing something important when we bake a cake or fix a car. Other times we might feel that *we ourselves* are not enough.
- The three angels' messages call us to pray and receive the righteousness of Christ. We are COMPLETE in Him.

Pray

- Pray for the Holy Spirit to plant the central message of the three angels deep in each heart. We are complete in Him!

Discover

(Have two people lead this section: one to read the passages and one to summarize.)

- Leader 1: This afternoon we will pray through each of the three angels' messages and sum up the high points. What does each message tell us about Jesus our Righteousness?

First Angel's Message

- Leader 2: Let's start with the first angel's message in Revelation 14:6, 7. (Read passage.)
- Leader 1: What are the spiritual highlights of this first message?
(Take several suggestions and then summarize for the group.)
 - The eternal gospel is salvation in Christ Jesus by the grace of our Father.
 - Our Righteousness is Christ, who stands up for us in this time of judgment.
 - Jesus, our Creator, is the focus of our worship!
- Pray in groups of three or four: Thank God for the salvation and righteousness we find in Christ.
- Sing together: "Jesus Paid It All" or another song of praise for salvation.

Second Angel's Message

- Leader 2: Next we'll read the second angel's message in Revelation 14:8. (Read passage.)
- Leader 1: What is the key message of this angel?
(Take several suggestions and then summarize.)
 - There is no confusion in God: the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit are one.
 - False systems of worship will soon fall, but Jesus our Righteousness will stand forever!

- Pray in groups of three or four: Praise God that He lives and does not change. Praise Jesus that even when others fall, He will stand forever!
- Sing together: "How Great Thou Art" or another song about God's greatness.

Third Angel's Message

- Leader 2: Finally, let's read the third angel's message in Revelation 14:9-12. (Read passage.)
- Leader 1: What are the highlights of this third message?
(Take several suggestions and then summarize.)
 - Jesus warns the world about false worship because He cares!
 - Jesus, Lord of the Sabbath, calls us to find our rest in His righteousness.
 - Jesus gives His people the Sabbath as His sign on us.
 - Jesus lives in us by faith. He is our completeness and righteousness.
- Invite everyone to pray silently. Confess anything that stands in the way of Christ being First, Last, and Best in you.
- Sing together: first stanza of "Crown Him with Many Crowns" or another song of worship.

Live

- Appeal: Choose today to live for Christ and surrender to Him as your Righteous Savior and King. As we sing the last three stanzas of "Crown Him with Many Crowns," I invite you to kneel in honor of Jesus, our King of Kings.
- Sing together while kneeling: last three stanzas of "Crown Him with Many Crowns."

Pray

- Pray a prayer of consecration, dedicating our lives to worship and honor Jesus, who is our Righteousness forever and ever throughout eternity.

Optional Activity for Children and Youth

- Work together to create three posters, one for each of the three angels' messages. Use pictures to illustrate the good news about each message. Ask the young people to briefly explain their posters (perhaps at a future church service) and display the posters in the church entry or hallway.

United Prayer Guide

One goal of this year's quarterly Day of Prayer sessions is to call a new generation to prayer. That's why the activities focus on bringing together all ages to seek God while exploring the practical truths of the three angels' messages. Let's mentor the young, encourage the lonely, and affirm the seekers among us. Everyone is invited!

We also encourage making time for a deeper united prayer time, especially for adults and teens. Consider adding an extended group prayer time after the multigenerational activities on Sabbath afternoon (Session 5). Other possible times for extended prayer include Friday evening or Sabbath morning before Sabbath School.

Possible Outline for a United Prayer Session

Singing: Begin with a song of praise. Feel free to mingle songs throughout the prayer time.

Thanks and Praise: Give thanks for specific blessings and praise God for His goodness.

Confession: Take a few minutes for private confession and thank God for His forgiveness.

Guidance: Ask God to grant wisdom for current challenges and decisions.

Our Church: Ask God to bless the efforts of our local, regional, and world church.

Local Requests: Pray for current needs of church members, family, and neighbors.

Listen and Respond: Take time to listen for God's voice and respond in praise or song.

Praying Scripture: In addition to bringing God your requests, make time to pray the words of Scripture. Claim God's promises and respond with praise and thanks. Your group may wish to pray through the three angels' messages, asking God for deeper understanding and wisdom for sharing truth with the world. Another option is to pray together through psalms of praise.

Optional Meal: Some churches conclude the Day of Prayer with a simple evening meal in celebration of God's blessings.

For additional guidance in leading united prayer, download the booklet *Praying for Rain* from the Revival and Reformation website: <https://www.revivalandreformation.org/resources/all/praying-for-rain>.

Bible Promises to Claim in Prayer

All Scripture quoted from NKJV

Promises for the Holy Spirit

"Ask the Lord for rain in the time of the latter rain. The Lord will make flashing clouds; He will give them showers of rain, grass in the field for everyone." Zech. 10:1

"If you then, being evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask Him!" Luke 11:13

"But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in My name, He will teach you all things, and bring to your remembrance all things that I said to you. . . . And when He has come, He will convict the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment." John 14:26; 16:8

"Most assuredly, I say to you, he who believes in Me, the works that I do he will do also; and greater works than these he will do, because I go to My Father. And whatever you ask in My name, that I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If you ask anything in My name, I will do it." John 14:12-14

"So he answered and said to me: This is the word of the Lord to Zerubbabel: 'Not by might nor by power, but by My Spirit,' says the Lord of hosts." Zech. 4:6

Promises that God Answers Prayers

"If you abide in Me, and My words abide in you, you will ask what you desire, and it shall be done for you." John 15:7

"Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need." Heb. 4:16

"Therefore I say to you, whatever things you ask when you pray, believe that you receive them, and you will have them." Mark 11:24

"Call upon Me in the day of trouble; I will deliver you, and you shall glorify Me." Ps. 50:15

"Again I say to you that if two of you agree on earth concerning anything that they ask, it will be done for them by My Father in heaven." Matt. 18:19

"And whatever things you ask in prayer, believing, you will receive." Matt. 21:22

"And whatever you ask in My name, that I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If you ask anything in My name, I will do it." John 14:13, 14

"And in that day you will ask Me nothing. Most assuredly, I say to you, whatever you ask the Father in My name He will give you. Until now you have asked nothing in My name. Ask, and you will receive, that your joy may be full." John 16:23, 24

"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 asked of Him." 1 John 5:14, 15

Promises About God's Power

"Is anything too hard for the Lord? At the appointed time I will return to you, according to the time of life, and Sarah shall have a son." Gen. 18:14

"The Lord will fight for you, and you shall hold your peace." Ex. 14:14

"But Jesus looked at them and said, 'With men it is impossible, but not with God; for with God all things are possible.'" Mark 10:27

"He who calls you is faithful, who also will do it." 1 Thess. 5:24

"I know that You can do everything, and that no purpose of Yours can be withheld from You." Job 42:2

"What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare His own Son, but delivered Him up for us all, how shall He not with Him also freely give us all things?" Rom. 8:31, 32

"God is not a man, that He should lie, nor a son of man, that He should repent. Has He said, and will He not do? Or has He spoken, and will He not make it good?" Num. 23:19

"Have you not known? Have you not heard? The everlasting God, the Lord, the Creator of the ends of the earth, neither faints nor is weary. His understanding is unsearchable. He gives power to the weak, and to those who have no might He increases strength. Even the youths shall faint and be weary, and the young men shall utterly fall, but those who wait on 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." Isa. 40:28-31

Promises for God's Guidance

"Have I not commanded you? Be strong and of good courage; do not be afraid, nor be dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go." Josh. 1:9

"Behold, I am with you and will keep you wherever you go, and will bring you back to this land; for I will not leave you until I have done what I have spoken to you." Gen. 28:15

"Behold, I send an Angel before you to keep you in the way and to bring you into the place which I have prepared." Ex. 23:20

"But from there you will seek the Lord your God, and you will find Him if you seek Him with all your heart and with all your soul." Deut. 4:29

"Call to Me, and I will answer you, and show you great and mighty things, which you do not know." Jer. 33:3

"Every valley shall be exalted and every mountain and hill brought low; the crooked places shall be made straight and the rough places smooth; the glory of the Lord shall be revealed, and all flesh shall see it together; for the mouth of the Lord has spoken." Isa. 40:4, 5

"I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will guide you with My eye." Ps. 32:8

"And the Lord, He is the One who goes before you. He will be with you, He will not leave you nor forsake you; do not fear nor be dismayed." Deut. 31:8

"Who is the man that fears the Lord? Him shall He teach in the way He chooses." Ps. 25:12

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your paths." Prov. 3:5, 6

"If you extend your soul to the hungry and satisfy the afflicted soul, then your light shall dawn in the darkness, and your darkness shall be as the noonday. The Lord will guide you continually, and satisfy your soul in drought, and strengthen your bones; you shall be like a watered garden, and like a spring of water, whose waters do not fail." Isa. 58:10, 11

"It shall come to pass that before they call, I will answer; and while they are still speaking, I will hear." Isa. 65:24

Promises for a Changed Heart

"Then I will give them a heart to know Me, that I am the Lord; and they shall be My people, and I will be their God, for they shall return to Me with their whole heart." Jer. 24:7

"And the Lord your God will circumcise your heart and the heart of your descendants, to love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul, that you may live." Deut. 30:6

"I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit within you; I will take the heart of stone out of your flesh and give you a heart of flesh." Ezek. 36:26

"Being confident of this very thing, that He who has begun a good work in you will complete it until the day of Jesus Christ." Phil. 1:6

"Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new." 2 Cor. 5:17

"I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me." Gal. 2:20

"Now may the God of peace Himself sanctify you completely; and may your whole spirit, soul, and body be preserved blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. He who calls you is faithful, who also will do it." 1 Thess. 5:23, 24

Promises for Forgiveness

"If My people who are called by My name will humble themselves, and pray and seek My face, and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin and heal their land." 2 Chr. 7:14

"For You, Lord, are good, and ready to forgive, and abundant in mercy to all those who call upon You." Ps. 86:5

"And whenever you stand praying, if you have anything against anyone, forgive him, that your Father in heaven may also forgive you your trespasses." Mark 11:25

"And be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God in Christ forgave you." Eph. 4:32

"If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness." 1 John 1:9

"Come now, and let us reason together, says the Lord, though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they are red like crimson, they shall be as wool." Isa. 1:18

"I, even I, am He who blots out your transgressions for My own sake; and I will not remember your sins." Isa. 43:25

"For I will forgive their iniquity, and their sin I will remember no more." Jer. 31:34

"In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of His grace." Eph. 1:7

Promises for Victory Over Sin

"For whatever is born of God overcomes the world. And this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith." 1 John 5:4

"Yet in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us." Rom. 8:37

"But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ." 1 Cor. 15:57

"Fear not, for I am with you; be not dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you, yes, I will help you, I will uphold you with My righteous right hand." Isa. 41:10

"Above all, taking the shield of faith with which you will be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked one." Eph. 6:16

"I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me." Gal. 2:20

"For it is God who works in you both to will and to do for His good pleasure." Phil. 2:13

"I say then: Walk in the Spirit, and you shall not fulfill the lust of the flesh." Gal. 5:16

"And the God of peace will crush Satan under your feet shortly. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you. Amen." Rom. 16:20

"And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God." Rom. 12:2

"Do not love the world or the things in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him." 1 John 2:15

Promises for Healing

"If you diligently heed the voice of the Lord your God and do what is right in His sight, give ear to His commandments and keep all His statutes, I will put none of the diseases on you which I have brought on the Egyptians. For I am the Lord who heals you." Ex. 15:26

"Your sandals shall be iron and bronze; as your days, so shall your strength be." Deut. 33:25

"Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits: who forgives all your iniquities, who heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from destruction, who crowns you with lovingkindness and tender mercies, who satisfies your mouth with good things, so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's." Ps. 103:2-5

"Do not be wise in your own eyes; fear the Lord and depart from evil. It will be health to your flesh and strength to your bones." Prov. 3:7, 8

"He is despised and rejected by men, a Man of sorrows and acquainted with grief. And we hid, as it were, our faces from Him; He was despised, and we did not esteem Him. Surely He has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we esteemed Him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted. But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities; the chastisement for our peace was upon Him, and by His stripes we are healed." Isa. 53:3-5

"Heal me, O Lord, and I shall be healed; save me, and I shall be saved, for You are my praise." Jer. 17:14

"For I will restore health to you and heal you of your wounds,' says the Lord, 'because they called you an outcast saying: This is Zion; no one seeks her.'" Jer. 30:17

"Behold, I will bring it health and healing; I will heal them and reveal to them the abundance of peace and truth." Jer. 33:6

"But to you who fear My name the Sun of Righteousness shall arise with healing in His wings; and you shall go out and grow fat like stall-fed calves." Mal. 4:2

"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. And the prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise him up. And if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven." James 5:14, 15

Promises for Strength to Do God's Will

"Therefore we do not lose heart. Even though our outward man is perishing, yet the inward man is being renewed day by day. For our light affliction, which is but for a moment, is working for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory, while we do not look at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen. For the things which are seen are temporary, but the things which are not seen are eternal." 2 Cor. 4:16-18

"And let us not grow weary while doing good, for in due season we shall reap if we do not lose heart." Gal. 6:9

"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." Phil. 4:13

"For it is God who works in you both to will and to do for His good pleasure." Phil. 2:13

"And He said to me, 'My grace is sufficient for you, for My strength is made perfect in weakness.' Therefore most gladly I will rather boast in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me." 2 Cor. 12:9

Promises About Being God's Witnesses

"Do not fear, nor be afraid; have I not told you from that time, and declared it? You are My witnesses. Is there a God besides Me? Indeed there is no other Rock; I know not one." Isa. 44:8

"Arise, shine; for your light has come! And the glory of the Lord is risen upon you." Isa. 60:1

"Now all things are of God, who has reconciled us to Himself through Jesus Christ, and has given us the ministry of reconciliation." 2 Cor. 5:18

"But the Lord said to me: Do not say, 'I am a youth,' for you shall go to all to whom I send you, and whatever I command you, you shall speak." Jer. 1:7

"But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be witnesses to Me in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth." Acts 1:8

"But you are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, His own special people, that you may proclaim the praises of Him who called you out of darkness into His marvelous light." 1 Peter 2:9

"But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts, and always be ready to give a defense to everyone who asks you a reason for the hope that is in you, with meekness and fear." 1 Peter 3:15