

PAUL'S PRAYERS

1 Thessalonians

1:²We give thanks to God always for all of you,
making mention *of you* in our prayers;
³constantly bearing in mind your work of faith
and labor of love
and steadfastness of hope
in our Lord Jesus Christ
in the presence of our God and Father,

3:¹⁰as we night and day keep praying most earnestly that we may see your face,
and may complete what is lacking in your faith

¹¹Now may our God and Father Himself and Jesus our Lord direct our way to you;

¹²and may the Lord cause you to increase and abound in love for one another,
and for all people,

just as we also *do* for you;

¹³so that He may establish your hearts without blame in holiness
before our God and Father

at the coming of our Lord Jesus with all His saints.

2 Thessalonians

1:³We ought always to give thanks to God for you, brethren, as is *only* fitting,
because your faith is greatly enlarged,
and the love of each one of you toward one another grows *ever* greater;

¹¹To this end also we pray for you always,

that our God will count you worthy of your calling,
and fulfill every desire for goodness

and the work of faith with power,

¹²so that the name of our Lord Jesus will be glorified in you,

and you in Him,

according to the grace of our God and *the* Lord Jesus Christ.

2:¹⁶Now may our Lord Jesus Christ Himself and God our Father,

who has loved us

and given us eternal comfort

and good hope by grace,

¹⁷comfort

and strengthen your hearts in every good work and word.

3:¹Finally, brethren, pray for us

that the word of the Lord will spread rapidly and be glorified,
just as *it did* also with you;

²and that we will be rescued from perverse and evil men; for not all have faith.

⁵May the Lord direct your hearts into the love of God

and into the steadfastness of Christ.

¹⁶Now may the Lord of peace Himself continually grant you peace in every circumstance.

Romans 1:8-12

⁸First, I thank my God
through Jesus Christ
for you all,
because your faith
is being proclaimed throughout the whole world.

⁹For God,
whom I serve
in my spirit
in the *preaching of the* gospel of His Son,
is my witness
as to how unceasingly I make mention of you,
¹⁰always in my prayers making request,

if perhaps now at last by the will of God
I may succeed in coming to you.

¹¹For I long to see you
so that I may impart some spiritual gift to you,
that you may be established;
¹²that is, that I may be encouraged
together with you *while* among you,
each of us by the other's faith,
both yours and mine.

Romans 15:30-33

³⁰Now I urge you, brethren,
by our Lord Jesus Christ
and by the love of the Spirit,

to strive together with me
in your prayers to God for me,
³¹that I may be rescued
from those who are disobedient in Judea,
and *that* my service for Jerusalem may prove acceptable to the saints;
³²so that I may come to you in joy by the will of God
and find *refreshing* rest in your company.

³³Now the God of peace be with you all. Amen.

1 Corinthians 1:4-9

⁴I thank my God always
concerning you
for the grace of God
which was given you in Christ Jesus,
⁵that in everything
you were enriched in Him,
in all speech
and all knowledge,
⁶even as the testimony concerning Christ
was confirmed in you,
⁷so that you are not lacking in any gift,
awaiting eagerly the revelation of our Lord Jesus Christ,
⁸who will also confirm you to the end,
blameless
in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ.
⁹God is faithful,
through whom you were called into fellowship
with His Son,
Jesus Christ our Lord.

2 Corinthians 1:8-11

⁸For we do not want you to be unaware, brethren,
of our affliction which came *to us* in Asia,
that we were burdened excessively,
beyond our strength,
so that we despaired even of life;
⁹indeed, we had the sentence of death within ourselves
so that we would not trust in ourselves,
but in God who raises the dead;
¹⁰who delivered us from so great a *peril of death*,
and will deliver *us*,
He on whom we have set our hope.
And He will yet deliver us,
¹¹you also joining in helping us through your prayers,
so that thanks may be given by many persons on our behalf
for the favor bestowed on us
through *the prayers of many*.

Ephesians 1:15-23

¹⁵For this reason I too,
 having heard of the faith in the Lord Jesus which *exists* among you
 and your love for all the saints,
¹⁶do not cease giving thanks for you,
 while making mention *of you* in my prayers;
¹⁷that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory,
 may give to you a spirit of wisdom
 and of revelation in the knowledge of Him.
¹⁸*I pray that* the eyes of your heart may be enlightened,
so that you will know what is the hope of His calling,
 what are the riches of the glory of His inheritance in the saints,
¹⁹and what is the surpassing greatness of His power toward us who believe.
These are in accordance with the working of the strength of His might
 ²⁰which He brought about in Christ,
 when He raised Him from the dead
 and seated Him at His right hand
 in the heavenly *places*,
²¹far above all rule and authority and power
 and dominion,
 and every name that is named,
not only in this age but also in the one to come.
²²And He put all things in subjection under His feet,
 and gave Him as head over all things
 to the church, ²
 ³which is His body,
 the fullness of Him
 who fills all in all.

Ephesians 3:14-21

¹⁴For this reason I bow my knees before the Father,
 ⁵from whom every family in heaven and on earth
 derives its name,
¹⁶that He would grant you,
 according to the riches of His glory,
 to be strengthened with power through His Spirit in the inner man,
¹⁷so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith;
 and that you,
 being rooted and grounded in love,
 may be able to comprehend with all the saints
 what is the breadth and length and height and depth,
¹⁹and to know the love of Christ
 which surpasses knowledge,
 that you may be filled up to all the fullness of God.
²⁰Now to Him who is able to do far more abundantly beyond all that we ask or think,
 according to the power that works within us,
²¹to Him *be* the glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations forever and ever. Amen.

Philippians 1:3-5

³I thank my God
in all my remembrance of you,
⁴always offering prayer
with joy
in my every prayer
for you all,
⁵in view of your participation in the gospel
from the first day until now.

Philippians 1:9-11

⁹And this I pray,
that your love may abound
still more and more
in real knowledge
and all discernment,
¹⁰so that you may approve
the things that are excellent,
in order to be sincere
and blameless
until the day of Christ;
¹¹having been filled with the fruit of righteousness
which *comes* through Jesus Christ,
to the glory
and praise of God.

Philippians 1:19-20

¹⁹for I know that this will turn out for my deliverance
through your prayers
and the provision of the Spirit of Jesus Christ,

²⁰according to my earnest expectation and hope,
that I will not be put to shame in anything,
but *that* with all boldness,
Christ will even now,
as always,
be exalted in my body,
whether by life
or by death.

Colossians 1:3-14

³We give thanks to God,
the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
praying always for you,
⁴since we heard of your faith in Christ Jesus
and the love which you have for all the saints;
⁵because of the hope laid up for you in heaven,
of which you previously heard in the word of truth,
the gospel ⁶which has come to you,
just as in all the world also it is constantly bearing fruit
and increasing,
even as *it has been doing* in you also
since the day you heard *of it*
and understood the grace of God in truth;
⁷just as you learned *it* from Epaphras,
our beloved fellow bond-servant,
who is a faithful servant of Christ on our behalf,
⁸and he also informed us of your love in the Spirit.

⁹For this reason also,
since the day we heard *of it*,
we have not ceased to pray for you
and to ask that you may be filled with the knowledge of His will
in all spiritual wisdom and understanding,
¹⁰so that you will walk in a manner worthy of the Lord,
to please *Him* in all respects,
bearing fruit in every good work
and increasing in the knowledge of God;
¹¹strengthened with all power,
according to His glorious might,
for the attaining of all steadfastness
and patience;
joyously ¹²giving thanks to the Father,
who has qualified us
to share in the inheritance of the saints in Light.
¹³For He rescued us from the domain of darkness,
and transferred us to the kingdom
of His beloved Son,
¹⁴in whom we have redemption,
the forgiveness of sins.

1 Timothy 2:1-4

¹First of all, then, I urge that entreaties
and prayers,
petitions
and thanksgivings,
be made on behalf of all men,

²for kings
and all who are in authority,

so that we may lead a tranquil
and quiet life
in all godliness
and dignity.

³This is good and acceptable
in the sight of God our Savior,
⁴who desires all men to be saved
and to come to the knowledge of the truth.

2 Timothy 1:3-4

³I thank God,
whom I serve with a clear conscience
the way my forefathers did,
as I constantly remember you
in my prayers
night and day,

⁴longing to see you,
even as I recall your tears,

so that I may be filled with joy.

Hebrews 13:18-19

¹⁸Pray for us,
for we are sure that we have a good conscience,
desiring to conduct ourselves honorably
in all things.

⁹And I urge *you* all the more to do this,
so that I may be restored to you the sooner.

Hebrews 13:20-21

²⁰Now the God of peace,
 who brought up from the dead
 the great Shepherd of the sheep
 through the blood of the eternal covenant,
 even Jesus our Lord,
²¹equip you in every good thing to do His will,
 working in us that which is pleasing in His sight,
 through Jesus Christ,
 to whom *be* the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Philemon 4-7

⁴I thank my God always,
 making mention of you in my prayers,
⁵because I hear of your love
 and of the faith
 which you have toward the Lord Jesus
 and toward all the saints;
⁶*and I pray* that the fellowship of your faith may become effective
 through the knowledge of every good thing
 which is in you for Christ's sake.
⁷For I have come to have much joy and comfort in your love,
 because the hearts of the saints have been refreshed
 through you,
 brother.