# HOW TO PRAY SCRIPTURE

When Christians pray the scriptures, it should be viewed as having a strategic prayer focus i.e. having a strategy for how you would like to approach God the Father. We find such an example in Nehemiah 1:1-11 where Nehemiah prays to God the Father because of the destruction of Jerusalem and a need to rebuild the walls. This passage is an example of how to strategically pray when you need God the Father to hear your prayer request and deliver what you are petitioning Him for.

01



## **Create the Prayer Focus**

What has been a burden on your heart or what has continously been on your mind? These are likely the things you need to consider praying about thus focusing on these things in prayer.

02

## **Find Key Scriptures**

Find key scriptures that are directly related to the prayer focus. This helps identify "what God has to say about this particular topic." It also keep you on task...it becomes guided prayer.





## 03

### **Pray Out The Scriptures**

Begin your prayer by acknowledging God the Father, Jesus Christ our Savior, and everything after those two acknowledgments should remind God of what His word says about the prayer focus.

04

#### **End Your Prayer**

End your prayer with thanksgiving unto God the Father and our savior Jesus Christ. This let's the Father know you are grateful and that you trust He has heard and will honor your prayer.

