

January 2018 Prayer Focus - Having Faith in God

Foundation Scripture:

Psalms 138: 8 - The Lord will fulfill His purpose for me

PRAYER POINTS:

1. Faith in God
2. Fear of:
 - a. Failure
 - b. Success
 - c. Unknown
 - d. Fear of man
3. Knowledge of God's will
4. Understanding God's will
5. Wisdom to carry out God's will
6. Obedience
6. Word Curses
7. Missed Seasons
8. Lost Hope
9. Vision
10. Success

SCRIPTURE CONFESSIONS

Faith in God

Jeremiah 29:11

For I know the plans that I have for you declares the LORD plans for welfare and not for calamity to give you a future and a hope

Philippians 4:13

I can do all things through Him who strengthens me.

Proverbs 16:3

Commit your work to the Lord, and your plans will be established.

Fear of Failure

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2 Chronicles 26:5

He sought the Lord, and God gave him success.

Deuteronomy 20:3-5

Do not be afraid, for God goes with you to give you victory.

Psalms 20:6

The Lord gives victory to His chosen people.

Psalms 149:4

God crowns the humble with victory.

John 5:3-5

Everyone who believes in Jesus Christ overcomes the world and has victory.

Fear of Success

1 Chronicles 22:13

Follow God's commands and He will give you success; don't be afraid.

Proverbs 2:6-8

He plans success for the decent and honorable; he guards the course and protects the way of his faithful ones.

Fear of the Unknown

Daniel 4:5

I saw a dream and it made me fearful; and these fantasies as I lay on my bed and the visions in my mind kept alarming me.

Hebrews 11:8

By faith Abraham obeyed when he was called... And he went out, not knowing where he was going.

Philippians 4:6-7

Be careful for nothing; but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God. And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus.

Fear of People

Psalms 23: 4

Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I fear no evil for You are with me;

Your rod and Your staff they comfort me.

Proverbs 29:25

The fear of man brings a snare, but he who trusts in the LORD will be exalted.

Knowledge of God's Will

Proverbs 3:5-6

Trust in the LORD with all your heart and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge Him and He will make your paths straight.

Romans 12:2

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

Colossians 1:9

For this cause we also, since the day we heard it, do not cease to pray for you, and to desire that ye might be filled with the knowledge of his will. In all wisdom and spiritual understanding

Understanding of God's Will

Ephesians 5:20

Now 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.

Ephesians 5:17

So then do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is.

John 15:7

If you abide in Me and My words abide in you, ask whatever you wish and it will be done for you.

Wisdom to Carry out God's Will

Proverbs 3:13-18

Blessed is the one who finds wisdom, and the one who gets understanding, for the gain from her is better than gain from silver and her profit better than gold. She is more precious than jewels, and nothing you desire can compare with her. Long life is in her right hand; in her left hand are riches and honor. Her ways are ways of pleasantness, and all her paths are peace.

Jeremiah 9:23-24

Thus saith the Lord, Let not the wise man glory in his wisdom, neither let the mighty man glory in his might, let not the rich man glory in his riches: But let him that glorieth glory in this, that he understandeth and knoweth me, that I am the Lord which exercise loving kindness, judgment,

and righteousness, in the earth: for in these things I delight, saith the Lord.

Obedience

Psalm 37:4-5

Delight yourself in the Lord and He will give you the desires of your heart. Commit your way to the Lord, trust also in Him and He will do it.

Deuteronomy 28:1

If you fully obey the Lord your God and carefully follow all his commands I give you today, the Lord your God will set you high above all the nations on earth.

Joshua 1:8

Keep this Book of the Law always on your lips; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful.

Word Curses

Proverbs 18:21

Death and life are in the power of the tongue.

Isaiah 54:17

No weapon that is formed against thee shall prosper; and every tongue that shall rise against thee in judgement thou shalt condemn. This is the heritage of the servants of the Lord, and their righteousness is in me, saith the Lord.

Proverbs 12:18

The words of the reckless pierce like swords, but the tongue of the wise brings healing.

John 8:36

So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed.

Galatians 5:1 HCSB

Christ has liberated us to be free.

Missed Seasons

Ecclesiastes 3:1-8

To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven:

2 Chronicles 20:20

Have faith in God and he will bring you success. Lost

Hope

Isaiah 41:10

Fear thou not; for I am with thee: be not dismayed; for I am thy God: I will strengthen thee; yea, I will help thee; yea, I will uphold thee with the right hand of my righteousness.

Psalm 147:11

The LORD delights in those who fear him, who put their hope in his unfailing love.

Vision

Habbakk 2:2-3

... Write the vision, and make it plain upon tables, that he may run that readeth it. For the vision is yet for the appointed time; it hastens toward the goal and it will not fail though it tarries, wait for it; for it will certainly come, it will not delay.

Proverbs 29:18

Where there is no vision, the people perish: but he that keepeth the law, happy is he.

Proverbs 19:21

Many are the plans in a person's heart, but it is the Lord's purpose that prevails.

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